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St. Edward's University PEC Career Management Certification System

AUSTIN —In partnership with the **National Society of Career Management (NSCM)**, the St. Edward's University Professional Education Center is offering the **Career Management Certification System (CMCS)**, a comprehensive training program that prepares students for the **Professional in Career Management (PCM®)** certification examination.

The PEC can help career coaches find success and a rewarding career in this emerging field. The CMCS course is for anyone currently in a career counseling, educational or consulting role as well as anyone looking to transition to the career management industry.

This comprehensive curriculum will prepare individuals with the knowledge, skills and systematic framework to deliver career services in a range of settings — whether community-based agencies, K–12 schools, colleges and universities, private practice, business, or government.

Curriculum for Career Success

The CMCS course combines the latest in career management tactics with real-world experience from industry experts. You'll learn how to:

- Develop winning strategies tailored to various career transition paths
- Use the Career Development Model®, a structured approach to facilitate change
- Select, administer, integrate and interpret assessments to unique career profiles
- Identify, organize and synthesize resources to help clients with career decision-making
- Develop, plan, and evaluate programs that address individual and group career goals
- Implement job search and branding strategies to help clients secure, create, and maintain work
- Learn how to use technology in the remote career coaching and counseling process
- Understand how ethics and best practices lead to long-term success

Sign up today [Link to http://www.pec.stedwards.edu/register_course.asp?sID=4049] for this comprehensive course that includes 60 hours of instruction.

- Feb. 16–April 29, 2010
- Meets for 10 weeks; Tuesday and Thursday evenings, 6–9 p.m.
- Total course cost is \$2,295; textbook is \$95

Register Now [Link to http://www.pec.stedwards.edu/register_course.asp?sID=4049]

For more information, view the [course curriculum](#) [Link to new curriculum web page], or contact Tamara Ford [tamaraf@seupec.com] at 512-428-1060.

ABOUT ST. EDWARD'S UNIVERSITY PEC

The St. Edward's University Professional Education Center, located in Northwest Austin, offers multiple options to provide a blended education and the best training in the subjects that matter most. The St. Edward's PEC specializes in: robust online learning programs, and offers training in areas such as Information Technology, Project Management, Financial Services, Executive Education, Industry Professions, Career Management and Green Building. For more information, visit www.pec.stedwards.edu.

Founded by the [Congregation of Holy Cross](#), St. Edward's University is named among the top five "Up-and-Coming Universities" in the Western Region by its academic peers in a 2010 [U.S. News & World Report](#) survey. For seven consecutive years St. Edward's has been recognized as one of "America's Best Colleges" by *U.S. News & World Report* and this year by [Forbes](#) and the Center for College Affordability and Productivity. St. Edward's is a private, Catholic, liberal arts university of nearly 5,300 students located in Austin, Texas. For more information on St. Edward's University, visit www.stedwards.edu.

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