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Director of **Best Value Europe** (BVE); BVE connects and facilitates Best Value experts, provides B, B+ and A training and certification

Top scorer of the A+ Train the Trainer exam in 2013 (103%) and 2015 (100%)

> 40 projects in BV, both in public and in private sector, zero law suits or complains.

Organized 4 Best Value conferences with more than 700 attendees.

Success rate for training persons for Train the Trainers exam of 100%.

Developed *an interactive B certification training* including playing a Best Value game, where the principles and the process of Best Value are integrated. Trained and certified over *100 persons* in 8 months and got an *average score* of *9.3* of the last 40 attendees.

Very experienced *interviewer*, interviewed more than 170 key personnel, trained > 40 persons for interviews, with an average score of more than 7.5

>15 years of experience in project management and engineering.



Program

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- Project result
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- Best Value Europe



Best Value in the Netherlands









Best Value in the Netherlands

- 324 tenders, 245 public and 79 private
 - Construction and maintenance: 191
 - IT: 33
 - Facilities: 68
 - Commodities: 16
 - Healthcare: 16
- Projects: 30%
- Delivery: 16%
- Services: 54%
- 27 A+ certified individuals





Best Value projects



Wat buyers want?

Realisation of objectives



Risk and deviation minimized





10 Main Causes of Project Failure

source: http://www.umsl.edu/~sauterv/analysis/6840 f03 papers/frese/

- 1. Incomplete requirements
- 2. Lack of user involvement
- 3. Lack of resources
- 4. Unrealistic expectations
- 5. Lack of executive support
- 6. Changing requirements & specifications
- Lack of planning
- 8. Didn't need it any longer
- 9. Lack of IT management
- 10. Technical illiteracy



What is Best Value?

Best Value is an approach based on common sense and logic;

- that uses natural law
- increases the predictability of project success
- utilizes expertise



Best Value





Project: Road for bicyclers

Goal: Realize a bike road which is more durable compared to traditional infrastructure





Bike road: selection

	Vendor A	Vendor B	Vendor C
Projectcapability	6	10	6
Risk assesment	8	8	6
Value add	6	8	6
Interview 1	8	10	6
Interview 2	6	10	8
Total	40	56	38
Budget	1.6 miljon	0.9 miljon	1.6 miljon

Vendor B has highest quality and lowest cost



Project: bike road

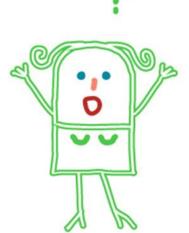
- 40% cheaper
- Realisation 2 months faster
- Innovative: first implementation of this type of asphalt in the Netherlands
- Knowledge development program
- 18% reduction of CO2 emision
- 10 years of maintenance included



How to start?











Best Value B certificate training: 19.-20. april 2016 in Oslo (DIFI)







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