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**CENTRE CONSULTING'S FEDERAL CONTRACTING INSTITUTE  
RECEIVES CERTIFICATION OF EQUIVALENCY FOR  
"CON 100: SHAPING SMART BUSINESS ARRANGEMENTS"  
FROM THE DEFENSE ACQUISITION UNIVERSITY**

VIENNA, Va.—March 18, 2008—Centre Consulting's Federal Contracting Institute (FCI), a leader in providing acquisition, project management, and leadership training to government and industry, has received certification of equivalency from the Defense Acquisition University (DAU) for "CON 100: Shaping Smart Business Arrangements." FCI has added the course to its catalog and is offering it immediately, both on client sites and to the public.

Designed for government personnel new to the contracting career field, CON 100 covers such topics as the contracting mission, managing team dynamics, the various roles in government acquisition, and the interests and motivations of sellers and buyers.

Centre President Barbara S. Kinosky, Esq., said, "CON 100 is a perfect fit into FCI's course catalog, which offers the full spectrum of government acquisition courses, from introductory to advanced. I am delighted that with approval of this course, Centre furthers its offerings to the federal acquisition professionals who hold so much responsibility for the effective and efficient operation of government."

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