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## Amanda's HR STUDENTS

A Special Invitation to Attend A Course That Will  
Change Your Approach To HR

### Strategic Business Partner (A-Z)

#### A Paradigm Shift

Instructor: Amanda Close, MBA, SPHR, CPT

"We need our HR professionals to be strategic business partners."  
Well, what DOES that mean?! Join this class and find out.  
Change your mindset and change your role in HR.

The course will help you create a very clear picture of how you can provide more value to your business and generate the right solutions to address the challenges found in today's business environment. The course provides practical insights, knowledge, skills and the application necessary to help organizations and individuals achieve their goals one day at a time.

This 10-week course is designed to be a roadmap for becoming a strategic business partner.

*"I highly recommend this course to anyone who is interested in broadening their consulting skills. I have found more opportunity to be a strategist in my work than I ever thought possible. Now, my role adds such a different value than it did before. Thank you, Amanda!"*

Jennifer Johnson  
Assistant Vice-President, Manager  
Washington Mutual

*"Taking this class caused an enormous mind shift, especially with regard to mentoring that has flowed over into my personal life as well, causing me to stop and ask good questions in order to understand the true nature of the situation before rushing off to solve it! The class as a whole has made me a better H.R. Manager and has given me the necessary skills to be a more effective leader and a business partner in my organization."*

Francine Steuernagel  
HR Manager  
Titus

*"This methodology is invaluable and I often found myself applying the class materials immediately! The process is so logical and results oriented, I continue to utilize the process on almost every project I work on."*

Matt Biedermann  
Washington Mutual

**Dates: Sept 13-Nov 15, 2006, Wed evenings from 6-9:15 pm**

**Cost: (includes books) \$995 Certificate of Completion, or \$1295 CEU's/CR from SPU + certificate of completion**

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