Is this training recorded so I can take it any time?
No, our live, instructor-led classes work just like our regular in-person classes except that you're not there in person! Our virtual, instructor-led training is a live broadcast. It includes multiple media elements: visual, audio, chatting and interactive elements. You need to be available on the dates and times when the class is offered.

What is the typical class schedule?
Classes are delivered over three days and participants should plan on six hours per day. The six-hour class schedule includes breaks and out-of-session assignments. You're encouraged to keep snacks and water handy!

Is attending a virtual class really an effective way to learn?
Virtual Instructor Led Training (VILT) combines the benefits of traditional classroom training and online learning. It allows participants to have the experience of live, instructor-led training without having to go to a classroom or have the instructor present in person.

The Life Cycle Institute's live, instructor-led virtual classes offer the same engaging, effective learning and application benefits as our regular classes, without requiring anyone to travel. Our highly rated Institute facilitators will be guiding you through the same course material covered in the in-person classes. The facilitators will use a virtual learning engagement toolbox to reinforce learning objectives and foster a community of learners in the virtual classroom.

Using Zoom's technology, our facilitators will lead sessions chock full of activities that get class participants involved:
- Online breakout sessions with facilitator support
- Individual and group assignments and discussions
- Polls, Q&A, and online whiteboard activities

How will the breakout sessions work?
The Zoom platform enables a class leader to split participants up into separate, smaller virtual groups of three to four people. They will work on an exercise together in the small group using a virtual whiteboard or an Excel document. Everyone in the small group will be able to contribute to the document. Once the breakout session is over, the groups will converge seamlessly back into the main virtual session and the groups can share the documents that they just worked on. The facilitator can even bounce in and out of the different small groups to check in and answer questions.

Do I have to have a Zoom license?
No. You'll be provided with a link to access the online course.

What are the technical requirements for me to participate in the training?
You can find a list of technical requirements and recommendations here: https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/201362023-System-Requirements-for-PC-Mac-and-Linux

How about workbooks? Will I get a course workbook?
You'll receive electronic materials via a Wordpress link and during the course you'll have access to any materials you need. Since they're in digital format, you'll be able to easily save them so you don't have to worry about losing a workbook!

How many CEUS will I earn?
Participants will earn 2.1 CEUS – the same as our in-person classes

Will this count towards my certification?
Yes, the same courses will count towards the Reliability Engineering Certification, Planning and Scheduling Certification, or Maintenance Management Certification.