

Practice Journal

Certification of Embodiment Coaching
- 2nd Semester -
Getting into Embodiment Coaching



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What is Coaching?

„The ICF (International Coaching Federation) defines coaching as partnering with clients in a thought-provoking and creative process that inspires them to maximize their personal and professional potential. The process of coaching often unlocks previously untapped sources of imagination, productivity and leadership.

We all have goals we want to reach, challenges we're striving to overcome and times when we feel stuck. Partnering with a coach can change your life, setting you on a path to greater personal and professional fulfillment.“

- <https://coachingfederation.org/about>



Welcome to the 2nd Semester - Getting into Embodiment Coaching

Let's take a moment to acknowledge the brave step you are taking by continuing this embodiment journey.

With this you are not only getting more familiar with your own embodied patterns, you are actually committing to working on them in order to be able to support others - by using the embodiment tools that enabled you to make a change.

With this you are on the path of serving our society, facilitating a way to a better future for individuals, and ultimately for all of us.

Thank you for this.

We are here to teach you the techniques Mark used for years to help thousands of people throughout different settings. Additionally all the trainers and guest teachers are bringing in their own experiences, so that you can take what you like to make it yours.

At the end of this second semester you will have learned and practiced some profound Embodiment Coaching techniques. You will have the basic understanding of how to establish a coaching relationship, about the importance of listening and questioning skills, as well as how you can use marketing to find the people that can benefit from your coaching. You will also know how to use some of the FEC tools effectively within a coaching session.

Knowing how diverse this learners-group is, I would like to invite you to use the chance to learn from each other. Be open to go deeper in your peer practise group sessions, spend the extra 15 minutes after the Core Content calls to connect with other peers in break-out-rooms and use the course group on the learning platform to discuss questions and insights in regards to Embodiment and Coaching.

And while we are diving into the area of coaching, keeping up your own embodiment practice is key! You can only take your clients as far as you went before. So use your Core Embodied Practice to build up a specific quality, the daily personal practices to get into the habit of a balanced embodiment and join the Embodiment Studio sessions on the portal to deepen your experience/understanding of specific topics.

In case you have questions, please remember the 3 golden P's/ check-marks - have a look for the answer here:

- ◇ 1. Platform
- ◇ 2. Peers
- ◇ 3. Precise question via email to cec@embodimentunlimited.com

Enjoy the ride, future Embodiment Coach!

Best,
Alina



Creating your Embodiment Coach Identity

For some of you it might be the first step into coaching, for others it might be the continuation of years of work - just with a new focus, namely on the body.

Whatever is true for you, you are united in the point of not being an Embodiment Coach, YET. Deciding to embark on this journey was the first great step, committing to learning during the course is the next one.

But actually going out there, to support other people, also requires us to understand ourselves as Embodiment Coaches. To embody it. And this is where our identity comes into play.

Below I'm offering some prompts for you to start creating your Embodiment Coach Identity, by becoming clear on what this means to you. It's like the beginning of a good coaching session: if we have a clear goal mapped out, the path towards it gets easier.

What is your role as an Embodiment Coach?

What are qualities of a person you can trust / of a great Coach? How do you know a person has these qualities?



What are you already good at, that will support you when you're coaching?

Why do you actually want to become a great Embodiment Coach?

Who do you need to become to be this great Embodiment Coach?

How do you know you achieved it/ you are a good Embodiment Coach? How will you feel/ what will be different?



CEC Semester Requirements

Overall requirements

- ◇ Attending opening and graduation + 80% of the core live sessions at one of the 3 time slots available (9am, 6pm or 2am next morning UK time) --> means for the whole CEC course: 19 out of 24 calls
- ◇ Watch all guest teacher sessions (either live or recorded)
- ◇ Participate in at least 80% of the weekly practice group meetings (starting Week 2, with a possible break between the semesters)
- ◇ Watch and mark complete all core complimentary resources on the learning platform, bonus material is optional
- ◇ Do your weekly personal practice and track your progress, e.g. in this pdf version of the Practice Journal or in a notebook
- ◇ Complete the core reading by the end of the course

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- ◇ Submit a short summary of your Practice Journal for each week of the semester via the survey on the learning portal
(hand-in deadline for all weeks of the 2nd semester is **Friday, 2nd of June, 9 AM UK time**)
- ◇ min. 1h of Core Embodied Practice each week
(recommended: 2h, Bonus level: 5h per week)
- ◇ Practise the learned embodiment technique of each week with your peers
- ◇ Find a volunteer to practise the embodiment technique learned the previous week
(min. 30 minutes)



Core Embodiment Practice

To become a great Embodiment Coach, I am committing to a minimum of 1 hour of the following Core Embodied Practice per week, until the CEC-Course finishes:

Im going to join at the following day and time, the following trainer at:

Im doing this practice to build up the following quality - and it will serve me, because:

What else do you want to commit to in regards to this course / Embodiment Coaching?



Week 10: CEC Opening + Ethics

Personal practise:

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Week 11: Establishing the coaching relationship + Goal setting & centring tool

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Week 12: Listening & Questioning skills

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Week 13: Teaching Awareness Pointing technique

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Week 14: Practicing Centring & Awareness Pointing technique

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Week 15: Teaching 4 Elements Bodystorming in coaching

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Week 16: Teaching Embodied Toolkit in coaching

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Week 17: Practicing 4 Elements Bodystorming & Embodied Toolkit

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