# **Track and engineering structures**



## TARGET AUDIENCE

Young Managers and Technicians: Infrastructure Maintainers.



#### **GOALS**

- Integrate the operation of the installations and the general principles of the maintenance of the Track and Structures.
- Understand the principles of track geometry monitoring, recording and processing.
- Understand the phenomenon of rail expansion and its impact on track stability.
- Know and understand the operation and monitoring of track switches.
- Know and understand the different aspects of the "Railway gauge" and their applications for siting installations near the tracks.
- Discover the evolution of the construction of engineering structures over the generations from masonry to mixed and prestressed concrete.



## **PREREQUISITES**

Immersion in an establishment and discovery of the railway environment.





## **PROGRAM**

- Railroad technology
- Rail traffic gauge (overall aspect)
- Recording of track geometry
- · Rail safety related to the track and switches
- Platforms and seating layers
- Structures: OH / OT / OA between old and new
- Work near and under railway tracks
- Pathologies and dysfunctions affecting the railway infrastructure
- Field trip: visit of crossings and structures



#### **EDUCATIONAL MODALITIES**

Diversified training alternating between theory and practice of Track and Structures technology.



**DURATION:** 4,5 Days

•Level 2 assessment: Skills assessment acquired at the end of training → Yes

