

Forced Displacement in Sub-Saharan Africa Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Migration and Refugee	Duration	5 Days
Base Fee	\$1,500 USD	Delivery Mode	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

1. Understand the root causes and drivers of forced displacement in Sub-Saharan Africa.
2. Analyze patterns of migration, refugee flows, and internally displaced populations.
3. Examine the socio-economic and political impacts of displacement on communities.
4. Explore humanitarian laws, frameworks, and protection mechanisms for displaced persons.
5. Develop skills in needs assessment, program planning, and resource allocation.
6. Enhance knowledge of conflict resolution, peacebuilding, and community resilience.
7. Investigate the role of climate change and environmental degradation in displacement.
8. Apply evidence-based monitoring and evaluation techniques for displacement programs.
9. Understand cross-border dynamics, regional cooperation, and international interventions.
10. Evaluate strategies for integrating displaced populations into host communities.
11. Explore innovative technologies and data-driven approaches in displacement management.
12. Examine gender-sensitive, child-focused, and vulnerable-group-specific interventions.
13. Foster collaboration and partnerships between NGOs, governments, and local actors.

Organizational Benefits

- Strengthened capacity to manage forced displacement challenges effectively.
- Improved humanitarian response planning and decision-making.
- Enhanced organizational knowledge on policy frameworks and international laws.
- Increased ability to monitor, evaluate, and report on displacement programs.
- Greater readiness to implement community-based interventions.
- Improved coordination with stakeholders, NGOs, and governmental agencies.
- Reduced operational risks through evidence-based strategies.
- Enhanced organizational reputation in humanitarian management.
- Capacity to apply innovative and digital solutions for displacement issues.
- Increased staff competency in gender, protection, and child-focused interventions.

Target Audiences

1. Humanitarian practitioners and field officers.
2. Policy makers and government officials.
3. NGO program managers and coordinators.
4. Community development specialists.
5. Researchers and academic professionals.
6. Refugee and migration officers.
7. Disaster management and climate adaptation experts.

8. International development consultants.

Course Duration: 5 days

Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Forced Displacement

- Definition and conceptual frameworks of displacement.
- Historical overview of displacement in Sub-Saharan Africa.
- Key drivers: conflict, climate change, and socio-political instability.
- Overview of displacement trends and statistics.
- Policy and international frameworks governing displacement.
- Case Study: The displacement crisis in South Sudan.

Module 2: Patterns and Dynamics of Displacement

- Types of displacement: refugees, IDPs, and asylum seekers.
- Migration corridors and regional movement trends.
- Push and pull factors influencing displacement.
- Socio-economic impact on host communities.
- Humanitarian challenges in displacement management.
- Case Study: Migration patterns from the Sahel region.

Module 3: Humanitarian Protection and Legal Frameworks

- International and regional protection laws.
- Rights of displaced persons under the 1951 Refugee Convention.
- UNHCR and IOM operational frameworks.
- Community-based protection strategies.
- Human rights and accountability mechanisms.
- Case Study: Protection strategies for displaced populations in the DRC.

Module 4: Humanitarian Response Planning

- Needs assessment methodologies.
- Program design and resource allocation.
- Coordination mechanisms in humanitarian interventions.
- Emergency response strategies and contingency planning.
- Monitoring and evaluation of humanitarian programs.
- Case Study: Humanitarian response to displacement in Somalia.

Module 5: Socio-Economic Impacts of Displacement

- Displacement and livelihood disruptions.
- Economic integration of displaced populations.
- Education, health, and social services challenges.
- Community resilience and recovery strategies.
- Social cohesion and conflict mitigation approaches.
- Case Study: Economic impacts of displacement in the Central African Republic.

Module 6: Conflict Resolution and Peacebuilding

- Identifying conflict triggers in displacement settings.
- Mediation and negotiation strategies.
- Role of local governance and traditional authorities.
- Community-based reconciliation initiatives.
- Post-conflict recovery programs.
- Case Study: Peacebuilding interventions in Northern Nigeria.

Module 7: Climate Change, Environment, and Displacement

- Environmental drivers of forced migration.
- Climate adaptation and disaster risk reduction.
- Sustainable livelihood strategies for displaced communities.
- Environmental impact assessments.
- Policy approaches to climate-induced displacement.
- Case Study: Flood-induced displacement in Mozambique.

Module 8: Innovative Approaches and Technology in Displacement Management

- Digital tools for tracking and mapping displaced populations.
- Data-driven humanitarian planning.
- Mobile applications for service delivery and monitoring.
- Social media and communication strategies.
- Technology-enabled early warning systems.
- Case Study: Use of digital platforms in refugee support in Kenya.

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures and presentations.
- Group discussions and peer learning sessions.
- Practical exercises and simulation activities.
- Case study analysis and problem-solving workshops.
- Role plays and scenario-based learning.
- Field visits and on-ground exposure where feasible.
- Q&A sessions with subject-matter experts.
- Continuous assessment and feedback loops.

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

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Key Notes

- a. The participant must be conversant with English.
- b. Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate

- c. Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.
- d. The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.
- e. One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.
- f. Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Online	\$1,000
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$1,500
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
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