

GIS-Enabled Monitoring Dashboards Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Master GIS integration with real-time monitoring dashboards.
2. Develop skills in spatial data visualization for evidence-based decision-making.
3. Analyze geospatial patterns and trends to inform program interventions.
4. Design interactive dashboards for monitoring performance indicators.
5. Enhance data storytelling through GIS-enabled visualizations.
6. Apply spatial analytics to optimize resource allocation.
7. Leverage GIS for predictive monitoring and risk assessment.
8. Interpret multi-layered datasets for strategic planning.
9. Build automated reporting systems using GIS dashboards.
10. Implement monitoring frameworks that combine GIS and KPIs.
11. Evaluate program impact using geospatial insights.
12. Integrate GIS dashboards with mobile and web platforms.
13. Apply real-world case studies to improve monitoring and evaluation.

Target Audience

1. Monitoring & Evaluation Specialists
2. GIS Analysts and Geospatial Professionals
3. Data Scientists and Data Analysts
4. Program Managers and Coordinators
5. Public Sector Planners and Policy Analysts
6. NGOs and Development Practitioners
7. Urban Planners and Environmental Managers
8. IT Professionals in Data Visualization

Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to GIS-Enabled Dashboards

- Overview of GIS and dashboard technologies
- Role of GIS in monitoring programs
- Types of GIS-enabled dashboards

- Key performance indicators (KPIs) for spatial data
- Case Study: GIS dashboards for public health programs

Module 2: Spatial Data Collection and Management

- Sources of geospatial data (satellite, surveys, IoT)
- Data quality and validation techniques
- Database management for GIS dashboards
- Handling large-scale spatial datasets
- Case Study: GIS data management for urban planning

Module 3: GIS Software Tools for Dashboard Development

- Introduction to ArcGIS, QGIS, and open-source alternatives
- Integrating GIS with Power BI, Tableau, and Google Data Studio
- Layer creation and map customization
- Spatial analysis functions
- Case Study: GIS dashboard for environmental monitoring

Module 4: Designing Interactive Dashboards

- Dashboard layout and user experience (UX) principles
- Data visualization best practices
- Embedding charts, maps, and KPIs
- Customizing filters and interactive features
- Case Study: Designing a multi-sector monitoring dashboard

Module 5: Data Analytics for GIS Dashboards

- Spatial trend analysis and hotspot detection
- Predictive modeling and scenario analysis
- Statistical tools for GIS analytics
- Combining spatial and non-spatial data
- Case Study: GIS analytics for disaster response

Module 6: Real-Time Monitoring and Automation

- Integrating IoT and live data feeds
- Setting up automated alerts and notifications
- Scheduling updates for dashboards
- Cloud-based solutions for real-time monitoring
- Case Study: Real-time GIS dashboard for disease surveillance

Module 7: Reporting, Interpretation, and Decision Support

- Translating dashboards into actionable insights
- Storytelling with geospatial data
- Generating automated reports and visual summaries
- Presenting dashboards to stakeholders
- Case Study: GIS dashboards informing policy decisions

Module 8: Advanced Applications and Emerging Trends

- Mobile GIS dashboards and field data collection
- AI and machine learning in GIS analytics
- Smart city monitoring solutions
- Future trends in geospatial monitoring dashboards
- Case Study: AI-powered GIS dashboards for sustainable development

Training Methodology

This course employs a participatory and hands-on approach to ensure practical learning, including:

- Interactive lectures and presentations.
- Group discussions and brainstorming sessions.
- Hands-on exercises using real-world datasets.
- Role-playing and scenario-based simulations.
- Analysis of case studies to bridge theory and practice.
- Peer-to-peer learning and networking.
- Expert-led Q&A sessions.
- Continuous feedback and personalized guidance.

Register as a group from 3 participants for a Discount

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Certification

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

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

Key Notes

- The participant must be conversant with English.
- Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate
- Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.
- The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.
- One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.
- 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
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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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