

License Management and Entitlement Support Procedures Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

Course Introduction

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Through a structured blend of theory, practical exercises, and real-world case studies, this course equips participants to manage license lifecycles, validate software entitlements, and implement robust compliance frameworks. By the end of this training, learners will gain actionable skills to reduce software compliance risks, enhance vendor relationship management, and maximize IT resource ROI, positioning themselves as valuable contributors to enterprise technology governance.

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Course Objectives

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:

1. Understand license types, agreements, and software entitlement models.
2. Implement software asset management (SAM) best practices.
3. Perform license reconciliation and entitlement validation.
4. Apply compliance audit strategies to mitigate risks.
5. Optimize software usage through cost-effective license allocation.
6. Utilize license tracking tools and automation technologies.
7. Analyze vendor contracts for entitlement accuracy.
8. Manage cloud and on-premise license entitlements.
9. Develop procedures for license renewal and upgrade management.
10. Establish standard operating procedures (SOPs) for license governance.
11. Handle license disputes and vendor escalations effectively.
12. Apply industry standards (ISO, ITIL, and ISO/IEC 19770) in license management.
13. Enhance organizational efficiency through real-time reporting and analytics.

Target Audience

This course is ideal for:

1. IT Asset Managers
2. Software License Administrators
3. IT Procurement Professionals
4. Compliance Officers
5. System Administrators
6. IT Service Managers
7. Vendor Management Specialists
8. Enterprise Technology Consultants

Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to License Management

- Types of software licenses: perpetual, subscription, enterprise
- Key concepts in **entitlement and compliance**
- License lifecycle overview
- License management challenges and risks

- **Case Study:** Global IT company reducing license overspend

Module 2: Software Asset Management (SAM) Fundamentals

- SAM framework and processes
- Inventory management techniques
- License discovery and tracking tools
- SAM policy creation
- **Case Study:** Implementing SAM in a multinational organization

Module 3: Entitlement Support Procedures

- Understanding entitlements vs. licenses
- Validating software ownership
- Managing entitlement discrepancies
- Entitlement reporting techniques
- **Case Study:** Resolving entitlement disputes with a major vendor

Module 4: License Compliance and Audit Management

- Compliance audit preparation
- Risk assessment strategies
- License compliance metrics and KPIs
- Remediation planning for non-compliance
- **Case Study:** Successful compliance audit in a healthcare organization

Module 5: License Optimization and Cost Management

- License usage analysis
- Identifying underutilized and unused licenses
- Cost-saving strategies
- License consolidation and pooling
- **Case Study:** Cost reduction through license optimization

Module 6: Vendor Contract and Agreement Analysis

- Understanding vendor terms and SLAs
- Contract risk assessment
- Negotiation strategies for entitlements
- Vendor communication protocols
- **Case Study:** Contract renegotiation saving 20% on licensing costs

Module 7: Cloud and Hybrid License Management

- Cloud subscription models (SaaS, PaaS, IaaS)
- Hybrid environment license tracking
- Cloud compliance and audit considerations
- Automation tools for cloud license management
- **Case Study:** Multi-cloud environment license optimization

Module 8: Implementing SOPs and Best Practices

- Standard operating procedures for license and entitlement management

- Reporting and dashboards for management
- Continuous improvement processes
- Training and awareness for teams
- **Case Study:** SOP implementation improving compliance efficiency

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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