

Procurement Cost Analysis Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

By the end of this Procurement Cost Analysis Training Course, participants will be able to:

1. Develop advanced procurement cost analysis frameworks for strategic decision-making.
2. Apply Total Cost of Ownership (TCO) analysis to evaluate purchasing decisions.
3. Identify opportunities for cost optimization and procurement savings generation.
4. Perform supplier cost breakdown analysis and should-cost modeling.
5. Improve negotiation outcomes using data-driven procurement intelligence.
6. Analyze spend data through procurement analytics and spend visibility tools.
7. Implement effective strategic sourcing and category management strategies.
8. Evaluate supplier pricing structures using market benchmarking techniques.
9. Apply value engineering and cost reduction methodologies.
10. Improve supplier relationships through supplier performance analytics.
11. Understand the role of digital procurement transformation and automation.
12. Manage procurement risks through supply chain cost analysis.
13. Create sustainable procurement strategies using ESG and responsible sourcing principles.

Target Audience

1. Procurement Managers and Strategic Sourcing Professionals
2. Purchasing Officers and Buyers
3. Supply Chain and Logistics Managers
4. Category Managers and Commodity Specialists
5. Finance Professionals involved in procurement decisions
6. Contract Managers and Supplier Relationship Managers
7. Operations and Business Improvement Leaders
8. Procurement Analysts and Cost Engineers

Course Modules

Module 1: Fundamentals of Procurement Cost Analysis

- Understanding procurement cost structures and cost drivers
- Principles of strategic procurement and cost management
- Difference between price analysis and cost analysis
- Procurement value creation and savings identification
- Role of cost analysis in modern supply chains
- **Case Study:** Analyzing procurement costs for a manufacturing company to identify hidden cost drivers and savings opportunities.

Module 2: Spend Analysis and Procurement Intelligence

- Developing spend visibility strategies
- Procurement data classification and cleansing
- Spend analytics dashboards and reporting
- Identifying maverick spending patterns
- Using data insights for sourcing decisions
- **Case Study:** A multinational organization uses spend analytics to consolidate suppliers and reduce procurement expenses.

Module 3: Total Cost of Ownership (TCO) Analysis

- Understanding direct and indirect procurement costs
- TCO calculation methodologies
- Lifecycle cost evaluation
- Logistics and operational cost impacts
- Selecting suppliers based on value rather than price
- **Case Study:** Comparing supplier proposals using TCO analysis to select the most cost-effective solution.

Module 4: Supplier Cost Analysis and Should-Cost Modeling

- Supplier cost structure evaluation
- Labor, material, overhead, and profit analysis
- Should-cost model development
- Cost transparency strategies
- Supplier pricing validation techniques
- **Case Study:** Building a should-cost model to negotiate improved supplier pricing agreements.

Module 5: Strategic Sourcing and Cost Reduction Strategies

- Strategic sourcing frameworks
- Category management approaches
- Supplier consolidation strategies
- Competitive bidding and sourcing events
- Procurement savings measurement
- **Case Study:** Implementing strategic sourcing initiatives that deliver measurable annual savings.

Module 6: Procurement Negotiation and Supplier Value Management

- Using cost analysis during negotiations
- Advanced negotiation techniques
- Supplier relationship management
- Creating win-win supplier agreements
- Managing supplier cost increases
- **Case Study:** Negotiating a long-term supplier contract using cost intelligence and market benchmarks.

Module 7: Digital Procurement Analytics and Emerging Technologies

- Artificial Intelligence (AI) in procurement
- Digital procurement platforms
- Automated spend analysis
- Predictive cost analytics

- Procurement dashboards and reporting tools
- **Case Study:** Using AI-powered procurement analytics to improve sourcing decisions and forecasting accuracy.

Module 8: Sustainable Procurement and Future Cost Management

- Sustainable procurement practices
- ESG-driven supplier evaluation
- Risk-based cost analysis
- Supply chain resilience planning
- Future trends in procurement transformation
- **Case Study:** Developing a sustainable procurement strategy balancing cost efficiency and environmental goals.

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

- 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 commencement 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
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
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