

The Politics of Post-Conflict Return 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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Course Objectives

1. Understand the political dynamics shaping post-conflict return processes.
2. Analyze key challenges in refugee and internally displaced persons (IDP) reintegration.
3. Assess the role of transitional justice in promoting sustainable peace.
4. Explore conflict-sensitive approaches to reintegration.
5. Evaluate international policies on return and repatriation.
6. Strengthen knowledge of governance and power-sharing in return contexts.
7. Examine gender and social inclusion in return processes.
8. Develop skills for designing sustainable return programs.
9. Apply political economy analysis to return strategies.
10. Critically assess humanitarian interventions in conflict-affected areas.
11. Explore the link between security sector reform and return.
12. Gain expertise in peacebuilding and reconciliation practices.
13. Build practical tools for community-based reintegration initiatives.

Organizational Benefits

1. Strengthened institutional capacity to manage post-conflict returns.
2. Enhanced staff expertise in political analysis of displacement.
3. Improved strategic decision-making in peacebuilding contexts.
4. Greater alignment with international humanitarian frameworks.
5. Increased organizational effectiveness in multi-stakeholder negotiations.
6. Stronger program design for sustainable reintegration.
7. Access to innovative case studies and applied knowledge.
8. Improved gender-sensitive and inclusive programming.
9. Enhanced credibility in policy and advocacy arenas.
10. Long-term impact through trained staff applying best practices.

Target Audiences

1. Humanitarian aid workers
2. Policy analysts
3. Peacebuilding practitioners
4. Government officials
5. NGO program managers
6. Academics and researchers
7. Civil society leaders
8. Security and governance specialists

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Course Modules

Module 1: Understanding Post-Conflict Return

- Defining return and reintegration
- Global frameworks on displacement
- Political dimensions of return
- Human rights perspectives
- Community-level challenges
- Case Study: Return in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Module 2: Political Economy of Return

- Power dynamics in post-conflict societies
- Resource allocation and access to land
- Local governance challenges
- Elite capture and corruption risks
- International interventions
- Case Study: Return in South Sudan

Module 3: Refugees, IDPs, and Legal Frameworks

- International refugee law
- National laws and policies
- Protection mechanisms
- Durable solutions frameworks
- Humanitarian negotiations
- Case Study: Rohingya return debates

Module 4: Transitional Justice and Return

- Role of truth commissions
- Reparations and justice measures
- Restorative vs. retributive justice
- Political compromises
- Community reconciliation practices
- Case Study: Return in Sierra Leone

Module 5: Gender and Inclusion in Reintegration

- Women's roles in return
- Vulnerabilities of minority groups
- Child protection
- Intersectionality in displacement
- Social cohesion approaches
- Case Study: Return of Yazidi women in Iraq

Module 6: Conflict-Sensitive Program Design

- Conflict sensitivity principles
- Do no harm approaches
- Participatory methods
- Risk management
- Monitoring frameworks
- Case Study: Return in Afghanistan

Module 7: Humanitarian Interventions and Politics

- Humanitarian principles vs. politics
- Challenges of neutrality
- Aid conditionality
- Coordination mechanisms
- Donor priorities
- Case Study: Syrian refugee return policies

Module 8: Sustainable Reintegration Strategies

- Livelihoods and economic recovery
- Social services provision
- Education and skills development
- Security sector support
- Local governance strengthening
- Case Study: Return in Liberia

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures and expert presentations
- Group discussions and brainstorming sessions
- Role-play and simulation exercises
- Case study analysis and peer learning
- Practical exercises and scenario planning
- Action-oriented reflection and debrief sessions

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 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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