

Training course on Automated Guest Service Systems

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Tourism and hospitality	Duration	10 Days
Base Fee	\$3,000 USD	Delivery Mode	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

1. Analyze the fundamental principles and strategic importance of **Automated Guest Service Systems** in hospitality.
2. Understand the diverse **types of automation technologies** applicable to guest services (AI, robotics, mobile).
3. Master methodologies for **identifying guest service pain points and opportunities** for automation.
4. Develop expertise in planning and implementing **AI-powered chatbots and virtual assistants** for guest interactions.
5. Formulate comprehensive strategies for deploying **mobile self-service solutions** (check-in/out, room keys, requests).

6. Comprehend the importance of **data integration, personalization, and cybersecurity** for automated systems.
7. Apply principles of **change management and employee collaboration** with automation.
8. Evaluate the **Return on Investment (ROI) and cost-benefit analysis** of automated guest service systems.
9. Develop effective strategies for **enhancing guest experience and satisfaction** through automation.
10. Explore the role of automation in **streamlining operational processes** and staff productivity.
11. Anticipate and adapt to **emerging trends and innovations** in automated guest services.
12. Design a comprehensive **Automated Guest Service System Implementation Plan** for a specific hospitality operation.
13. Position themselves as strategic leaders capable of driving **digital transformation and service excellence** in hospitality.

Target Audience

This course is designed for professionals and aspiring individuals seeking to implement and manage automated guest service systems in hospitality:

1. **Front Office Managers & Directors:** Leading the adoption of automation for guest interactions.
2. **Operations Managers & General Managers:** Driving efficiency and service quality through technology.
3. **IT Directors & Innovation Leads in Hospitality:** Implementing and managing automated systems.
4. **Guest Relations Managers:** Enhancing guest satisfaction through seamless service.
5. **E-commerce Managers:** Integrating automated solutions into online booking flows.
6. **Revenue Managers:** Leveraging automation for upsell opportunities.
7. **Customer Service Professionals:** In the hospitality or tech sectors.
8. **Hospitality & Tourism Students:** Focused on innovation and guest experience.

Course Duration: 10 Days

Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Automated Guest Service Systems

- Defining Automated Guest Service: Technologies, Benefits, and Scope.
- The Driving Forces: Guest Expectations, Operational Efficiency, Cost Savings.
- Overview of Key Automation Applications Across the Guest Journey.
- Understanding the Balance Between Automation and Human Touch.
- Case Studies of Leading Hotels Leveraging Automation.

Module 2: AI-Powered Chatbots and Virtual Assistants

- Understanding Conversational AI and Natural Language Processing (NLP).
- Designing and Implementing Chatbots for Pre-Arrival, In-Stay, and Post-Stay Inquiries.
- Voice Assistants in Guest Rooms (e.g., Alexa, Google Assistant) for Service Requests.
- Routing Complex Queries to Human Staff.
- Measuring Chatbot Performance and Guest Satisfaction.

Module 3: Mobile Self-Service Solutions

- Mobile Check-in/Check-out and Digital Room Keys.
- In-App Guest Request Management (Housekeeping, Maintenance).
- Mobile Ordering for Room Service and F&B.

- Personalized Mobile Notifications and Offers.
- The Role of Mobile Apps in the Automated Guest Journey.

Module 4: Kiosks, Smart Displays, and Interactive Digital Signage

- Automated Check-in/Check-out Kiosks in Lobbies.
- Interactive Digital Signage for Information and Wayfinding.
- Self-Service Ordering Kiosks in Restaurants and Bars.
- Virtual Concierge Services via Smart Displays.
- Integrating with Property Management Systems (PMS).

Module 5: Robotics in Guest Service

- Introduction to Service Robots (Delivery Robots, Bellhop Robots, Concierge Robots).
- Use Cases for Robotics in Guest-Facing Operations.
- Managing Human-Robot Collaboration.
- Safety Protocols and Operational Logistics for Robots.
- Evaluating the ROI and Guest Perception of Service Robots.

Module 6: Data Integration and Personalization

- Centralizing Guest Data from Automated Systems (Chatbots, Mobile Apps, Kiosks).
- Integrating Automated Systems with PMS, CRM, and Loyalty Programs.
- Leveraging Guest Preferences for Personalized Automated Responses and Offers.
- Ensuring Seamless Data Flow Across All Touchpoints.
- The Role of Predictive Analytics in Fueling Personalization.

Module 7: Operational Efficiency and Staff Empowerment

- Automating Repetitive Tasks to Free Up Staff for High-Value Interactions.
- Improving Response Times and Service Consistency.
- Streamlining Workflows and Reducing Operational Costs.
- Empowering Staff with Real-Time Guest Data and Automated Tools.
- Managing Staffing Levels with Increased Automation.

Module 8: Cybersecurity and Data Privacy

- Protecting Sensitive Guest Data Processed by Automated Systems.
- Cybersecurity Best Practices for IoT Devices and AI Platforms.
- Compliance with Data Privacy Regulations (GDPR, CCPA) for Automated Interactions.
- Secure Authentication and Access Controls.
- Incident Response Planning for Automated System Breaches.

Module 9: Change Management and Employee Collaboration

- Communicating the Benefits of Automation to Employees.
- Addressing Fears of Job Displacement and Reskilling Needs.
- Training Staff on How to Work with Automated Systems.
- Fostering a Culture of "Human-in-the-Loop" for Complex Issues.
- Employee Adoption Strategies for New Technologies.

Module 10: Performance Measurement and ROI

- Defining Key Metrics: Response Time, Resolution Rate, Guest Satisfaction, Cost Savings.
- Measuring the Impact of Automation on Staff Productivity and Efficiency.
- Calculating Return on Investment (ROI) for Automated Systems.
- A/B Testing Different Automation Solutions.
- Creating Comprehensive Performance Reports.

Module 11: Vendor Selection and Implementation

- Evaluating Automated Guest Service System Providers.
- Key Features and Scalability Considerations.
- Integration Capabilities with Existing Hotel Technology Stack.
- Implementation Timelines and Budget Planning.
- Pilot Programs and Phased Rollouts.

Module 12: Future Trends and Innovations in Automated Guest Services

- The Metaverse and Its Impact on Virtual Concierge Services.
- Hyper-Personalization with AI and Biometrics.
- Proactive Service with Predictive Analytics and AI.
- Seamless Voice-Activated Environments.
- The Evolution of the Human-Technology Interface in Hospitality Service.

Training Methodology

- **Interactive Workshops:** Facilitated discussions, group exercises, and problem-solving activities.
- **Case Studies:** Real-world examples to illustrate successful community-based surveillance practices.
- **Role-Playing and Simulations:** Practice engaging communities in surveillance activities.
- **Expert Presentations:** Insights from experienced public health professionals and community leaders.
- **Group Projects:** Collaborative development of community surveillance plans.
- **Action Planning:** Development of personalized action plans for implementing community-based surveillance.
- **Digital Tools and Resources:** Utilization of online platforms for collaboration and learning.
- **Peer-to-Peer Learning:** Sharing experiences and insights on community engagement.
- **Post-Training Support:** Access to online forums, mentorship, and continued learning resources.

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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

- Participants must be conversant in English.
- Upon completion of training, participants will receive an Authorized Training Certificate.
- The course duration is flexible and can be modified to fit any number of days.

- Course fee includes facilitation, training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch, and a Certificate upon successful completion.
- One-year post-training support, consultation, and coaching provided after the course.
- Payment should be made at least a week before the training commencement to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice, to enable better preparation.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Online	\$2,000
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$3,000
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$0
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