

# Training Course on Marine Research

## Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

### Course Introduction

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### Programme Curriculum

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### **Course Objectives**

Participants will:

1. Understand marine biodiversity and ecosystem functioning
2. Learn advanced oceanographic sampling and data collection techniques
3. Analyze physical, chemical, and biological parameters of marine environments
4. Explore remote sensing and GIS tools for marine applications
5. Interpret marine data for climate change and environmental impact assessments
6. Study the impact of marine pollution and plastic waste management
7. Examine sustainable fishing, aquaculture, and blue economy practices
8. Conduct marine habitat mapping and species distribution modeling
9. Evaluate international marine laws and policy frameworks
10. Use AI and machine learning in marine data analytics
11. Collaborate in multidisciplinary marine research projects
12. Apply project design and research proposal writing techniques
13. Promote ocean literacy and public engagement in marine science

### **Organizational Benefits**

- Enhanced institutional capacity in marine science and technology
- Informed decision-making through evidence-based research
- Strengthened compliance with international marine regulations
- Improved sustainability reporting and environmental stewardship
- Data-driven conservation planning and coastal risk assessment
- Increased potential for marine innovation and funding opportunities

### **Target Participants**

1. Marine biologists
2. Environmental scientists
3. Oceanographers
4. Coastal zone managers
5. Maritime policy makers
6. Fisheries and aquaculture professionals
7. Environmental consultants
8. Graduate students and researchers in marine science

### **Course Outline**

#### **Module 1: Introduction to Marine Research**

- Overview of marine ecosystems
- Importance of marine science in sustainability
- Global challenges in ocean health
- Key players and stakeholders
- Introduction to marine research tools

## **Module 2: Oceanographic Data Collection Techniques**

- Sampling strategies (CTD, sediment cores)
- Ship-based vs. autonomous methods
- Underwater drones and ROVs
- Water quality and biodiversity sampling
- Calibration and validation of marine instruments

## **Module 3: Remote Sensing and GIS in Marine Studies**

- Satellite oceanography basics
- Marine GIS applications
- Seafloor mapping and bathymetry
- Time-series analysis of ocean data
- Case studies in coastal mapping

## **Module 4: Marine Ecosystem Modeling**

- Ecosystem models and predictive tools
- Trophic levels and species interaction
- Coral reef and mangrove modeling
- Climate change projections
- Software tools (Ecopath, Atlantis)

## **Module 5: Marine Pollution and Risk Management**

- Sources and impact of marine pollution
- Oil spills and microplastics
- Environmental risk assessment
- Monitoring and mitigation strategies
- Marine waste management policies

## **Module 6: Blue Economy and Sustainable Fisheries**

- Concepts of the blue economy
- Marine spatial planning
- Aquaculture innovation
- Fisheries management techniques
- Case studies on sustainable practices

## **Module 7: Marine Law, Policy, and Governance**

- UNCLOS and maritime boundaries
- Marine protected areas (MPAs)
- International agreements and compliance
- Integrated coastal zone management
- Community participation in policy-making

## **Module 8: Project Planning and Research Communication**

- Research proposal writing
- Scientific report and publication skills
- Budgeting and funding sources
- Stakeholder communication strategies
- Ocean literacy campaigns

### **Training Methodology**

- Instructor-led interactive sessions
- Case studies and real-world marine research examples
- Group discussions and brainstorming
- Practical exercises and remote data analysis
- Hands-on software training and project simulation

### **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**

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| 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     |
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