

Training Course on Research Design, Data Analysis and Management

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Research and Data Analysis	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 principles and importance of research design.
2. Develop skills in formulating clear research questions and objectives.
3. Learn data collection methods tailored to various research contexts.
4. Master best practices in data organization, storage, and security.
5. Explore statistical and qualitative techniques for data analysis.
6. Translate research findings into actionable insights and recommendations.
7. Ensure research validity, reliability, and ethical compliance.
8. Gain proficiency in using tools like Excel, SPSS, R, and STATA for analysis.
9. Address challenges and limitations in research processes.
10. Apply case study examples to understand real-world research applications.

Organizational Benefits

1. Enhanced research capacity for evidence-based decision-making.
2. Improved data quality and reliability in organizational projects.
3. Streamlined processes for data collection, management, and analysis.
4. Increased ability to measure and evaluate program impact effectively.
5. Better alignment of research activities with organizational goals.
6. Strengthened credibility with high-quality research outputs.
7. Access to actionable insights that drive policy and program improvements.
8. Improved resource allocation based on data-driven findings.
9. Increased staff capacity to handle diverse research challenges.
10. Long-term organizational growth through enhanced research strategies.

Target Participants

- Researchers and academicians
- Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) professionals

- Project managers and coordinators
- Data analysts and statisticians
- Policy advisors and decision-makers
- Program officers in NGOs and development agencies
- Healthcare, education, and social service professionals
- Graduate students and early-career professionals

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Module 1: Fundamentals of Research Design

1. Overview of research paradigms and methodologies.
2. Formulating research questions and hypotheses.
3. Sampling techniques and study populations.
4. Choosing appropriate data collection methods.
5. Case study: Designing a public health survey.

Module 2: Data Management Essentials

1. Principles of data organization and storage.
2. Tools and software for managing large datasets.
3. Data cleaning and validation techniques.
4. Ensuring data security and privacy compliance.
5. Case study: Data management in a longitudinal study.

Module 3: Quantitative Data Analysis

1. Descriptive statistics: Summarizing data effectively.
2. Inferential statistics: Drawing meaningful conclusions.
3. Hypothesis testing and regression analysis.
4. Using statistical software (SPSS, R, or STATA) for analysis.
5. Case study: Statistical analysis in an education program evaluation.

Module 4: Qualitative Data Analysis

1. Techniques for analyzing textual and visual data.
2. Coding and thematic analysis.
3. Using NVivo for qualitative data analysis.
4. Integrating qualitative insights with quantitative findings.
5. Case study: Thematic analysis in community development research.

Module 5: Communicating Research Findings

1. Principles of effective research reporting.
2. Visualizing data with charts, graphs, and dashboards.
3. Preparing stakeholder-focused presentations.
4. Writing policy briefs and research papers.
5. Case study: Reporting findings from a market assessment study.

Module 6: Applying Research to Practice

1. Translating findings into actionable recommendations.
2. Engaging stakeholders with research results.
3. Incorporating feedback for continuous improvement.
4. Evaluating the impact of implemented research recommendations.
5. Case study: Impact evaluation of a rural development project.

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 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
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
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