

# Blockchain & Cryptocurrency Taxation Training Course provides an in-depth understanding of the taxation framework for cryptocurrencies, decentralized finance (DeFi), and blockchain-based transactions.

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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| Category | Taxation and Revenue | 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**

1. Understand the fundamental concepts of blockchain and cryptocurrency.
2. Analyze global regulatory approaches to crypto taxation.
3. Identify taxable events in cryptocurrency transactions.
4. Apply valuation methods for digital asset gains and losses.
5. Interpret tax implications of Initial Coin Offerings (ICOs) and token sales.
6. Examine DeFi transactions and smart contracts for tax purposes.
7. Ensure compliance with AML and KYC tax obligations.
8. Understand cross-border taxation and reporting requirements.
9. Explore the use of blockchain for tax transparency and administration.
10. Evaluate accounting and reporting standards for digital assets.
11. Manage tax audits and dispute resolution in cryptocurrency cases.
12. Assess transfer pricing and profit attribution issues in digital assets.
13. Integrate blockchain technology into tax compliance systems.

### **Organizational Benefits**

- Improved understanding of crypto-related tax compliance.
- Reduced regulatory and reputational risks.
- Enhanced ability to manage crypto-related tax reporting and audits.
- Integration of blockchain solutions for tax data management.
- Strengthened governance and risk control frameworks.
- Informed decision-making for crypto investment and innovation.
- Optimized digital asset tax planning and advisory capabilities.
- Increased transparency and alignment with global tax standards.
- Strengthened internal staff capacity for crypto-tax management.
- Future readiness for digital economy tax policies.

### **Target Audience**

- Tax administrators and regulators
- Accountants and auditors
- Legal and compliance officers
- Blockchain developers and crypto entrepreneurs
- Financial technology (FinTech) professionals

- Policy makers and tax consultants
- Digital asset investors and advisors
- Economists and fiscal researchers

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## **Course Modules**

### **Module 1: Fundamentals of Blockchain and Cryptocurrency**

- Overview of blockchain technology and distributed ledgers
- Understanding digital currencies and crypto tokens
- Key players in the crypto ecosystem
- Blockchain use cases beyond finance
- Tax relevance of blockchain innovations
- *Case Study: Blockchain adoption in public sector taxation*

### **Module 2: Global Legal and Regulatory Frameworks**

- Overview of international crypto taxation laws
- OECD and FATF guidelines on digital assets
- Country-specific approaches to crypto taxation
- Compliance challenges in cross-border crypto trade
- Legal classification of cryptocurrencies
- *Case Study: Comparative analysis of U.S., EU, and Asian crypto tax models*

### **Module 3: Tax Classification and Reporting of Digital Assets**

- Determining asset type: currency, property, or security
- Accounting standards for crypto holdings
- Record-keeping and transaction traceability
- Reporting obligations for taxpayers and exchanges
- Tax documentation and data management tools
- *Case Study: Reporting frameworks under IRS and HMRC regulations*

### **Module 4: Taxable Events and Crypto Transactions**

- Identifying taxable events (trading, mining, staking, etc.)
- Treatment of gains, losses, and conversions
- Implications of crypto payments and transfers
- Valuation of digital assets in volatile markets
- Timing and recognition of income from crypto activities
- *Case Study: Taxation of crypto mining operations in Canada*

### **Module 5: Initial Coin Offerings (ICOs) and Token Sales**

- Understanding ICOs, STOs, and IEOs
- Tax implications for issuers and investors
- Classification of utility vs. security tokens
- Treatment of airdrops and token rewards
- Disclosure and compliance obligations
- *Case Study: ICO tax rulings in Singapore*

## **Module 6: Decentralized Finance (DeFi) and Smart Contracts**

- Introduction to DeFi and decentralized exchanges
- Tax implications of lending, borrowing, and yield farming
- Treatment of governance tokens and DAO participation
- Role of smart contracts in tax enforcement
- Legal recognition and compliance challenges
- *Case Study: DeFi tax audits and compliance in the EU*

## **Module 7: Cross-Border Taxation and International Reporting**

- Cross-border transaction complexities
- Tax residency and permanent establishment issues
- Double taxation and treaty application
- CRS and FATCA implications for crypto investors
- Global reporting initiatives for digital assets
- *Case Study: Crypto tax enforcement under OECD's CARF system*

## **Module 8: Anti-Money Laundering (AML) and KYC Compliance**

- AML frameworks for crypto exchanges
- KYC requirements and due diligence processes
- Blockchain analytics for transaction tracing
- Reporting suspicious crypto activities
- Integrating AML measures into tax systems
- *Case Study: AML enforcement in digital asset exchanges*

## **Module 9: Taxation of Mining, Staking, and Airdrops**

- Understanding mining and staking income streams
- Capital vs. ordinary income classification
- Treatment of airdrops and rewards
- Deductibility of mining expenses
- Record-keeping requirements for miners and validators
- *Case Study: Tax treatment of staking income in Australia*

## **Module 10: Accounting and Record-Keeping for Crypto Transactions**

- Accounting methods for digital asset portfolios
- GAAP and IFRS considerations for crypto
- Valuation of volatile digital assets
- Reconciliation of wallet and exchange data
- Automated tools for crypto accounting
- *Case Study: Integrating blockchain into financial reporting systems*

## **Module 11: Transfer Pricing and Crypto-Related Businesses**

- Transfer pricing risks in digital business models
- Profit attribution in crypto transactions
- Taxation of digital marketplaces and exchanges
- OECD BEPS 2.0 relevance to digital assets
- Policy recommendations for multinational compliance

- *Case Study: Transfer pricing audits in crypto trading firms*

## **Module 12: Blockchain in Tax Administration**

- Blockchain as a tool for tax transparency
- Smart tax contracts and automated compliance
- Enhancing taxpayer data integrity
- Real-time reporting through distributed ledgers
- Role of blockchain in reducing evasion and fraud
- *Case Study: Blockchain integration in tax reporting systems*

## **Module 13: Tax Audits, Dispute Resolution, and Enforcement**

- Conducting audits involving digital assets
- Valuation and evidence challenges
- Managing disputes in crypto tax cases
- Cooperation with international enforcement bodies
- Use of blockchain analytics in audits
- *Case Study: Cryptocurrency audit outcomes in the U.S.*

## **Module 14: Future Trends and Global Tax Reform**

- Emerging issues in digital economy taxation
- OECD's Pillar One and Pillar Two implications for crypto
- Impact of Central Bank Digital Currencies (CBDCs)
- Tax policy innovation for blockchain ecosystems
- Preparing for upcoming regulatory reforms
- *Case Study: Global policy alignment for digital taxation*

## **Module 15: Strategic Crypto Tax Planning and Advisory**

- Developing tax-efficient digital asset strategies
- Structuring crypto investment portfolios
- Managing compliance risks in business operations
- Tax advisory best practices for crypto clients
- Future of crypto-tax consultancy
- *Case Study: Strategic tax planning for multinational crypto firms*

## **Training Methodology**

- Interactive expert-led sessions and guided discussions
- Real-world crypto tax case studies and analysis
- Group projects and scenario-based workshops
- Simulation of blockchain transactions for tax calculation
- Practical exercises using blockchain audit tools
- End-of-course evaluation and knowledge assessment

**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   |
|-------------|-------------|----------|---------|
| 28 Sep 2026 | 09 Oct 2026 | Online   | \$2,000 |
| 28 Sep 2026 | 09 Oct 2026 | Physical | \$3,000 |
| 28 Sep 2026 | 09 Oct 2026 | Physical | \$0     |
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