

Demand Shaping Strategies Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Logistics and Supply Chain Management	Duration	5 Days
Base Fee	\$1,500 USD	Delivery Mode	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:

1. Understand the principles and framework of demand shaping strategies.
2. Analyze customer behavior and market trends to influence demand.
3. Apply advanced demand forecasting techniques to improve accuracy.
4. Develop promotional and pricing strategies that drive desired outcomes.
5. Integrate demand shaping into sales and operations planning (S&OP).
6. Optimize inventory to balance supply and demand efficiently.
7. Utilize predictive analytics and AI for dynamic demand management.
8. Measure and evaluate the effectiveness of demand shaping initiatives.
9. Identify opportunities for cross-functional collaboration in demand planning.
10. Enhance revenue growth through targeted demand interventions.
11. Implement scenario planning to anticipate market fluctuations.
12. Mitigate risks associated with inaccurate demand predictions.
13. Design actionable strategies to influence customer purchasing behavior.

Organizational Benefits

- Improved alignment between supply and market demand.
- Increased revenue through optimized pricing and promotions.
- Enhanced customer satisfaction and loyalty.
- Better inventory management and reduced stockouts.
- Improved collaboration across marketing, sales, and supply chain teams.
- Data-driven decision-making culture within the organization.
- Reduced operational costs through strategic planning.
- Enhanced competitive advantage in dynamic markets.
- Improved forecasting accuracy and scenario planning.
- Stronger return on investment for marketing and sales initiatives.

Target Audiences

- Demand planners and forecasting analysts
- Sales and marketing managers
- Supply chain and operations professionals
- Product managers and category managers
- Business analysts and strategy consultants

- Inventory and logistics managers
- Pricing and revenue optimization specialists
- Senior executives seeking strategic insights

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Demand Shaping

- Fundamentals of demand shaping
- Key concepts and terminology
- Importance in modern business strategy
- Integration with organizational goals
- Case Study: Demand shaping in retail

Module 2: Market and Customer Analysis

- Analyzing customer purchasing patterns
- Segmenting customers for targeted strategies
- Understanding market dynamics
- Tools for behavioral insights
- Case Study: Consumer electronics market demand

Module 3: Advanced Demand Forecasting

- Forecasting methodologies and models
- Using historical data and trends
- Incorporating seasonality and promotions
- Accuracy measurement techniques
- Case Study: FMCG demand forecasting

Module 4: Pricing Strategies and Promotions

- Dynamic pricing models
- Promotion planning and effectiveness
- Price elasticity and customer response
- Revenue management principles
- Case Study: Supermarket promotional campaign

Module 5: Sales & Operations Planning (S&OP)

- Aligning sales, operations, and finance
- Planning cycles and processes
- Scenario analysis and risk mitigation
- Cross-functional collaboration
- Case Study: S&OP in manufacturing

Module 6: Inventory Optimization

- Balancing stock levels and demand
- Safety stock and reorder point calculations
- Multi-echelon inventory planning
- Reducing stockouts and overstock
- Case Study: Pharmaceutical inventory optimization

Module 7: Predictive Analytics for Demand Shaping

- Leveraging AI and machine learning
- Predictive modeling techniques
- Data sources and integration
- Real-time decision-making
- Case Study: E-commerce demand prediction

Module 8: Evaluating Demand Shaping Effectiveness

- Key performance indicators (KPIs)
- Tracking campaign impact
- Continuous improvement strategies
- Lessons learned from case studies
- Case Study: Success metrics in consumer goods

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures and presentations
- Real-world case studies and examples
- Hands-on exercises and simulations
- Group discussions and collaborative tasks
- Scenario analysis and problem-solving sessions
- Feedback sessions and Q&A

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

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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 commencement of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

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