Digital Skills for Trade Union Officials Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Trade Unions	**Duration**	5 Days
Base Fee	$1,500 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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The program focuses on building strong foundations in digital literacy for unions, cloud collaboration tools, virtual meeting facilitation, and digital storytelling for labor movements. Participants will learn how to leverage data analytics for membership growth, use mobile-first communication strategies, and adopt e-governance tools for union administration. By integrating real-world case studies and hands-on exercises, the training ensures union officials can confidently lead digitally enabled labor organizations that are responsive, transparent, and impactful.

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Course Objectives

1. Develop digital literacy for trade union leadership
2. Strengthen online labor organizing strategies
3. Apply AI tools for union communication
4. Enhance data analytics for membership management
5. Build skills in social media advocacy campaigns
6. Improve cybersecurity awareness for unions
7. Use cloud-based collaboration platforms effectively
8. Implement digital storytelling for worker rights
9. Strengthen virtual negotiation and meeting facilitation
10. Promote e-governance in union administration
11. Apply mobile communication strategies for mobilization
12. Build capacity in digital campaign design
13. Strengthen digital inclusion in labor movements

Target Audience

1. Trade union officials and executive members
2. Labor organizers and shop stewards
3. Human resource and industrial relations officers
4. Worker rights advocates and NGOs
5. Union communication officers
6. Policy and labor relations consultants
7. Young emerging union leaders
8. Occupational safety and worker welfare coordinators

Course Modules

Module 1: Digital Transformation for Trade Unions

- Understanding **digital transformation in labor movements**
- Role of technology in collective bargaining
- Introduction to union digital ecosystems
- Tools for modern union administration
- **Case Study:** Digital transformation of Scandinavian labor unions improving membership engagement

Module 2: Social Media Advocacy & Digital Campaigning

- Building strong **social media labor campaigns**
- Content creation for worker advocacy
- Hashtag activism and viral mobilization
- Managing online union reputation
- **Case Study:** US labor unions using Twitter/X campaigns for wage increase advocacy

Module 3: Data Analytics for Union Decision-Making

- Basics of **data-driven union leadership**
- Membership tracking and analytics dashboards
- Predicting labor trends using data
- Survey tools for worker feedback
- **Case Study:** European unions using analytics to improve strike planning efficiency

Module 4: Cybersecurity & Digital Safety for Union Officials

- Protecting union digital assets
- Preventing phishing and cyber threats
- Secure communication tools (encrypted messaging)
- Data privacy and compliance
- **Case Study:** Cyberattack response by international labor organization strengthening digital defenses

Module 5: AI Tools for Labor Communication

- Introduction to **AI in labor relations**
- Chatbots for member engagement
- Automated reporting and documentation
- AI-assisted content creation
- **Case Study:** Asian trade unions using AI chatbots for 24/7 member support

Module 6: Virtual Collaboration & Remote Union Operations

- Cloud-based collaboration tools (Zoom, Teams, Drive)
- Remote meeting facilitation skills
- Digital documentation systems
- Hybrid union operations management
- **Case Study:** COVID-19 remote union negotiations in Australia maintaining bargaining continuity

Module 7: Digital Campaign Strategy & Mobilization

- Planning **digital labor campaigns**
- Influencer engagement and worker storytelling
- Multimedia advocacy (video, podcasts)
- Mobilizing members online and offline
- **Case Study:** Latin American unions using WhatsApp for strike coordination

Module 8: E-Governance & Union Digital Administration

- Digital membership systems
- Online voting and decision-making
- Transparent financial reporting tools
- Automation in union services

- **Case Study:** African unions adopting e-governance platforms for transparent elections

Training Methodology

- 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

Send us an email: info@fineskilltrainingcenter.org or call *+254769199797*

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
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Online	$1,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$1,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000

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23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$4,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000

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