

# GIS Data Integration Training Course

## Professional Development Training Course Outline

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|----------|-------------|---------------|-------------------------|
| Category | GIS         | 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

1. Understand key concepts of spatial and non-spatial data integration.
2. Apply GIS software (ArcGIS, QGIS) for multi-source data integration.
3. Implement Python scripts for automating GIS data workflows.
4. Utilize remote sensing data in GIS platforms.
5. Integrate cloud-based GIS systems for real-time data access.
6. Analyze data using spatial statistics and geospatial analytics.
7. Apply interoperability standards (OGC, ISO) for data exchange.
8. Design and manage geodatabases for multi-format inputs.
9. Validate and clean geospatial data for accuracy and usability.
10. Merge IoT and sensor data into GIS systems.
11. Develop location intelligence dashboards for decision-making.
12. Conduct advanced spatial analysis for predictive modeling.
13. Use case studies to apply GIS integration in real-world scenarios.

### Target Audience

1. Urban Planners
2. Environmental Scientists
3. Data Analysts & Scientists
4. Civil Engineers & Surveyors
5. Government & Policy Professionals
6. Remote Sensing Specialists
7. Infrastructure Project Managers
8. Academics & GIS Educators

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### Course Modules

#### Module 1: Fundamentals of GIS Data Integration

- Overview of spatial and non-spatial data
- Data sources: satellite, GPS, IoT, census, and surveys
- File types and formats (shapefiles, GeoJSON, KML)
- Coordinate systems and projections
- Introduction to integration tools (ArcGIS, QGIS)
- **Case Study:** Integrating municipal land records for zoning reform

#### Module 2: Geodatabase Design and Management

- Designing schema for spatial data storage
- Multi-format data import/export
- Managing attribute data and metadata
- Topology rules and validation
- File geodatabases vs enterprise geodatabases
- **Case Study:** Building a land use database for a growing city

#### Module 3: Remote Sensing and Imagery Integration

- Introduction to raster data and remote sensing basics
- Integrating satellite imagery into GIS
- Image classification and change detection
- Working with LiDAR and UAV data
- Raster-vector overlays and spatial alignment
- **Case Study:** Deforestation analysis using Landsat imagery

#### **Module 4: Python for GIS Automation**

- Introduction to Python scripting in GIS
- Automating repetitive GIS tasks
- Parsing and merging data with pandas & geopandas
- ArcPy and PyQGIS tools
- API integration for live data streams
- **Case Study:** Automating road condition reporting system

#### **Module 5: Spatial Analysis and Modeling**

- Buffering, overlay, and spatial joins
- Network analysis and route optimization
- Hotspot and cluster analysis
- Predictive modeling with GIS data
- Risk and impact assessments
- **Case Study:** Predicting flood-prone areas in a river basin

#### **Module 6: Cloud GIS and Real-Time Data Integration**

- Introduction to cloud-based GIS (ArcGIS Online, Google Earth Engine)
- Publishing web maps and feature layers
- Real-time sensor and IoT data in GIS
- Working with APIs for dynamic updates
- Mobile GIS data collection
- **Case Study:** Monitoring traffic flow using IoT-GIS integration

#### **Module 7: Data Interoperability and Standards**

- Understanding OGC, ISO, and INSPIRE standards
- Ensuring compatibility across platforms
- Converting data formats safely
- Managing data transformations
- Implementing metadata and lineage tracking
- **Case Study:** Cross-agency data sharing for disaster response

#### **Module 8: Visualizing Integrated Data for Decision-Making**

- Creating dashboards and story maps
- Thematic mapping and symbology
- Interactive web GIS tools
- Best practices in map design
- Visualization for policy-making
- **Case Study:** Real-time COVID-19 response dashboard for urban health monitoring

#### **Training Methodology**

- Interactive instructor-led sessions (virtual or in-person)
- Hands-on lab exercises with GIS software

- Real-world project-based learning with datasets
- Group discussions and peer feedback
- Case study analysis and presentations

**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**

- The participant must be conversant with English.
- Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate
- Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.
- The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.
- One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.
- 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     |
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