Human Rights and Technology Law Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Political Science and International Relations	**Duration**	5 Days
Base Fee	$1,500 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- Analyze the **legal and ethical frameworks** governing technology and human rights.
- Evaluate the impact of **AI and automation** on individual freedoms and social justice.
- Develop strategies for **data privacy protection** and compliance with regulations like GDPR.
- Identify and address **algorithmic bias** and **digital discrimination**.
- Formulate policies for **responsible tech innovation** and ethical design.
- Understand the role of **digital surveillance** in national security and its human rights implications.
- Apply international human rights law to contemporary challenges in cyberspace.
- Conduct **digital due diligence** for corporations and government entities.
- Navigate the complexities of **freedom of expression** and censorship on online platforms.
- Examine legal responses to **cybercrimes** and online harassment.
- Champion **tech accountability** and corporate social responsibility in the digital sector.
- Assess the human rights risks associated with **emerging technologies** like blockchain and IoT.
- Build a foundation for **digital rights advocacy** and public interest litigation.

Organizational Benefits

- Proactively identify and address legal and reputational risks related to data breaches, privacy violations, and human rights abuses.
- Ensure adherence to a complex web of international and national regulations, from GDPR to local data protection laws.
- Strengthen ethical practices and build a reputation for responsible innovation and corporate social responsibility.
- Equip legal and tech teams with cutting-edge skills, increasing their value and ability to navigate complex challenges.
- Differentiate your organization in a market that increasingly values ethical and human-centric technology.

Target Audience

- Legal Professionals
- Policymakers and Government Officials
- Technology Developers and Engineers
- Compliance and Risk Officers
- Human Rights Advocates and NGO Staff

- Journalists and Media Professionals
- Academics and Researchers
- Corporate Executives

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Module 1: Foundations of Human Rights in the Digital Age

- International Human Rights Frameworks.
- The Interplay of Law and Technology
- Key Digital Rights.
- Jurisdictional Challenges.
- **Case Study**: The Cambridge Analytica scandal and its impact on privacy, data protection, and democratic processes.

Module 2: Privacy, Data Protection, and Surveillance

- Global Data Protection Regimes
- The Right to Be Forgotten
- State and Corporate Surveillance
- Data Breach Liability: Understanding legal obligations and remedies.
- **Case Study**: The Snowden revelations and the global debate over mass surveillance and the right to privacy.

Module 3: AI, Automation, and Algorithmic Justice

- Ethical AI Principles
- Algorithmic Bias
- AI and Decision-Making
- Regulatory Responses to AI: Exploring proposed laws like the EU's AI Act.
- **Case Study**: The "Robodebt" scandal in Australia, where an automated system led to wrongful debt claims against welfare recipients.

Module 4: Freedom of Expression and Content Moderation

- Online Censorship
- Platform Governance
- Hate Speech and Misinformation
- Protection of Journalists and Activists.
- **Case Study**: The legal battles over content moderation policies on platforms like X (formerly Twitter) and Facebook in the context of political dissent and misinformation.

Module 5: Cybersecurity and Human Rights

- Cybercrime and Human Rights Violations
- State-Sponsored Hacking.
- Digital Forensics for Human Rights Investigations
- The Role of Encryption: Balancing privacy and security in the digital age.
- **Case Study**: The use of Pegasus spyware to target journalists, lawyers, and political dissidents globally, and the subsequent legal challenges.

Module 6: Corporate Responsibility and Tech Accountability

- Business and Human Rights
- Human Rights Due Diligence.
- Supply Chain Ethics
- Ethical Investing
- **Case Study**: The legal and public pressure on tech companies over forced labor in their supply chains, particularly in regions like Xinjiang.

Module 7: The Future of Human Rights and Emerging Tech

- Legal Challenges of IoT and Smart Cities
- Blockchain and Human Rights
- Neurotechnology and Human Rights
- The Digital Divide
- **Case Study**: The debate over the use of facial recognition technology in public spaces, as seen in cases involving law enforcement and public surveillance.

Module 8: Advocacy and Litigation in the Digital Sphere

- Strategic Litigation
- Lobbying and Policy Advocacy.
- Grassroots Digital Activism.
- International Human Rights Mechanisms
- **Case Study**: The advocacy and legal efforts by organizations like Access Now and the Electronic Frontier Foundation (EFF) to challenge government censorship and online surveillance.

Training Methodology

Our training methodology combines **interactive learning** with **practical application** to ensure a comprehensive and engaging experience. Key components include:

- **Expert-Led Lectures**: Delivered by leading scholars and practitioners in human rights and technology law.
- **Interactive Workshops**: Hands-on sessions focused on policy drafting, legal analysis, and ethical reasoning.
- **Case Studies and Debates**: In-depth examination of real-world scenarios to apply theoretical knowledge.
- **Guest Speakers**: Hear from professionals on the front lines of digital rights advocacy and tech law.
- **Resource Library**: Access to curated readings, legal documents, and multimedia content.
- **Peer-to-Peer Learning**: Collaborative discussions and networking opportunities with fellow participants.

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
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
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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