Mining Entrepreneurship Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Develop expertise in Mining Entrepreneurship & Venture Creation
2. Understand Mineral Value Chain Optimization
3. Apply ESG (Environmental, Social, Governance) Compliance in Mining
4. Build skills in Mining Investment & Project Financing
5. Identify opportunities in Critical Minerals & Energy Transition Resources
6. Master Commodity Markets & Price Risk Management
7. Implement Digital Mining & Smart Mining Technologies
8. Promote Sustainable Mining & Green Extraction Practices
9. Enable Artisanal and Small-Scale Mining (ASM) Formalization
10. Learn Mining Legal Frameworks & Resource Governance
11. Develop capability in Mining Supply Chain & Logistics Management
12. Explore Beneficiation & Mineral Processing Entrepreneurship
13. Build competence in Mining Innovation, AI, and Automation Integration

Target Audience

1. Aspiring mining entrepreneurs and startups
2. Geology and mining engineering graduates
3. Investors entering the mining sector
4. Artisanal and small-scale miners (ASM operators)
5. Government and regulatory mining officials
6. Environmental and ESG consultants
7. Commodity trading and logistics professionals
8. Development agencies and mining cooperatives

Course Modules

Module 1: Foundations of Mining Entrepreneurship

- Mining sector overview and global trends
- Entrepreneurial mindset in resource industries
- Mining business models and value creation
- Opportunity identification in mineral-rich regions
- Risk analysis in mining ventures

- **Case Study:** Successful transition of ASM operators into formal mining SMEs in Ghana

Module 2: Mineral Exploration & Resource Identification

- Basics of geological surveying and mapping
- Remote sensing and exploration technologies
- Mineral deposit evaluation techniques
- Exploration licensing and compliance
- Data-driven exploration decision-making
- **Case Study:** Discovery-driven copper exploration project in Chile

Module 3: Mining Finance & Investment Structuring

- Mining project financing models
- Venture capital and private equity in mining
- Joint ventures and partnership structures
- Capital raising and investor pitching
- Financial feasibility studies
- **Case Study:** Lithium project financing in Australia's battery supply chain

Module 4: ESG & Sustainable Mining Practices

- Environmental impact assessments (EIA)
- Social license to operate (SLO)
- Climate-resilient mining strategies
- Waste management and rehabilitation
- ESG reporting standards
- **Case Study:** Sustainable gold mining rehabilitation project in Canada

Module 5: Digital Mining & Smart Technologies

- AI and machine learning in mining
- Automation and robotics in extraction
- IoT-based mine monitoring systems
- Predictive maintenance technologies
- Data analytics for operational efficiency
- **Case Study:** Smart underground mining transformation in Sweden

Module 6: Mineral Processing & Beneficiation

- Crushing, refining, and processing techniques
- Value addition and downstream industries
- Industrial mineral applications
- Local beneficiation policies
- Process optimization strategies
- **Case Study:** Diamond beneficiation and cutting industry in Botswana

Module 7: Commodity Markets & Risk Management

- Global commodity pricing mechanisms
- Hedging and futures contracts
- Supply-demand dynamics in minerals

- Trade routes and export logistics
- Political risk and resource nationalism
- **Case Study:** Copper price volatility management in Zambia

Module 8: Mining Entrepreneurship Incubation & Scaling

- Business incubation for mining startups
- Scaling mining operations sustainably
- Market entry strategies for mineral exports
- Stakeholder engagement and partnerships
- Innovation ecosystems in mining
- **Case Study:** Scaling rare earth mining startup in Rwanda

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

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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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