Negotiation Techniques for Project Managers Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Project 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 core principles of negotiation in project management contexts
2. Apply effective communication strategies to influence stakeholders
3. Develop conflict resolution skills for high-pressure project environments
4. Utilize win-win negotiation tactics to maximize project value
5. Identify and manage negotiation styles for different stakeholders
6. Build and sustain strong professional relationships through negotiation
7. Implement data-driven negotiation strategies for informed decision-making
8. Enhance persuasion skills to achieve project objectives
9. Leverage emotional intelligence in negotiation scenarios
10. Plan and execute negotiation strategies for complex projects
11. Evaluate negotiation outcomes and adjust tactics dynamically
12. Integrate ethical practices in project negotiation
13. Use collaborative tools to streamline negotiation processes

Organizational Benefits

- Improved project delivery and stakeholder satisfaction
- Increased efficiency in resource allocation
- Stronger team collaboration and reduced conflicts
- Enhanced leadership credibility and influence
- Optimized cost and time management
- Better risk mitigation through strategic negotiation
- Increased organizational adaptability in complex projects

- Improved client and vendor relationship management
- Elevated decision-making quality
- Strengthened competitive advantage in project execution

Target Audiences

- Project managers and assistant project managers
- Program and portfolio managers
- Project coordinators and planners
- Business analysts
- Project team leaders and supervisors
- Consultants and advisors
- Stakeholder engagement professionals
- Mid-level managers involved in project execution

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Course Modules

Module 1: Fundamentals of Negotiation for Project Managers

- Introduction to negotiation principles in project management
- Key negotiation terminology and frameworks
- Understanding negotiation styles and their impact
- Real-world case study: Successful project negotiations
- Practical exercises on negotiation preparation
- Assessment of negotiation readiness

Module 2: Communication Skills for Negotiation

- Active listening and questioning techniques
- Verbal and non-verbal communication strategies
- Managing stakeholder expectations through communication
- Case study: Communication challenges in multi-stakeholder projects
- Interactive exercises to enhance negotiation dialogue
- Feedback session on communication effectiveness

Module 3: Conflict Resolution Strategies

- Identifying sources of conflict in projects
- Techniques to address and resolve conflicts
- Mediating disagreements among stakeholders
- Case study: Conflict resolution in cross-functional projects
- Role-playing exercises for conflict scenarios
- Reflection and learning application

Module 4: Win-Win Negotiation Techniques

- Principles of collaborative negotiation
- Creating mutually beneficial outcomes
- Value creation strategies in project negotiation
- Case study: Achieving win-win agreements in vendor negotiations
- Simulation exercises for practical application
- Review of outcomes and lessons learned

Module 5: Negotiation Planning and Strategy

- Steps to develop a negotiation plan
- Setting objectives and identifying leverage points
- Risk assessment and scenario planning
- Case study: Strategic negotiation for high-budget projects
- Interactive planning exercise
- Evaluation of negotiation strategies

Module 6: Emotional Intelligence in Negotiation

- Role of emotional intelligence in negotiation success
- Identifying and managing emotions in stakeholders
- Building trust and rapport during negotiations
- Case study: Emotional intelligence improving project outcomes
- Practical exercises in empathy and self-awareness
- Feedback and coaching session

Module 7: Ethical Negotiation Practices

- Understanding ethical frameworks in negotiation

- Avoiding manipulation and maintaining integrity
- Incorporating organizational values in negotiation
- Case study: Ethical dilemmas in project negotiations
- Group discussion and reflection exercises
- Implementation of ethical practices

Module 8: Negotiation Tools and Technology

- Software and tools for negotiation tracking
- Collaborative platforms for stakeholder engagement
- Data-driven negotiation analytics
- Case study: Digital tools enhancing negotiation efficiency
- Hands-on tool demonstrations
- Evaluation of tool effectiveness in negotiations

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures with real-world examples
- Hands-on exercises and role-playing simulations
- Group discussions and peer learning activities
- Case studies analysis for practical application
- Tools and technology demonstrations
- Continuous feedback and coaching throughout the course

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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