Peacebuilding and Post-Conflict Reconstruction 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

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Course Objectives

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

1. **Analyze** the root causes and **dynamics** of violent conflict.
2. Apply **conflict-sensitive** approaches to development and humanitarian programming.
3. Design and implement effective **peacebuilding initiatives** at various levels.
4. Understand the core principles of **transitional justice** and reconciliation.
5. Facilitate multi-stakeholder **dialogue** and mediation processes.
6. Develop strategies for **economic recovery** and livelihood restoration in post-conflict settings.
7. Engage in **security sector reform** (SSR) and disarmament, demobilization, and reintegration (DDR).
8. Promote **gender equality** and social inclusion in peace processes.
9. Integrate **trauma-informed care** and psychosocial support into community programs.
10. Utilize technology and data for **conflict early warning** and response.
11. Build local and national capacities for **sustainable peace**.
12. Conduct a comprehensive **post-conflict needs assessment**.
13. Master the art of **diplomacy** and high-level negotiation in fragile contexts.

Organizational Benefits

- Staff are equipped with the skills to design and implement more impactful, conflict-sensitive programs that achieve desired outcomes and avoid unintended harm.
- A deeper understanding of conflict dynamics and risks allows for better security protocols and psychosocial support for field staff.
- The ability to facilitate dialogue and build trust with local communities, government officials, and other organizations leads to more collaborative and sustainable partnerships.
- Demonstrating a commitment to best practices in peacebuilding and post-conflict work can attract more funding and enhance the organization's reputation as a leader in the field.
- A common language and framework for understanding and addressing conflict ensures that all departments, from logistics to leadership, are aligned in their approach.

Target Audience

1. NGO and international organization staff.

2. Development and humanitarian aid workers.
3. Government and public service officials.
4. Diplomats and foreign service officers.
5. Mediators and conflict resolution practitioners.
6. Security sector personnel and peacekeepers.
7. Academics, researchers, and students.
8. Journalists and media professionals working in conflict zones.

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Module 1: Foundational Concepts in Peace and Conflict

- Understanding the nature of conflict, violence, and peace.
- Exploring the root causes and drivers of armed conflict.
- The evolution of peacebuilding theory and practice.
- Introduction to **conflict analysis** tools and methodologies.
- Case Study: The Rwandan genocide and the role of international and local actors in peacebuilding.

Module 2: Post-Conflict Needs Assessment and Strategic Planning

- Conducting comprehensive needs assessments in fragile contexts.
- Identifying key stakeholders and power dynamics.
- Designing and sequencing post-conflict interventions.
- Applying the principles of conflict sensitivity and "Do No Harm."
- Case Study: Rebuilding Timor-Leste?ÇÖs institutions after its independence struggle.

Module 3: Transitional Justice and Reconciliation

- The four pillars of transitional justice: truth, justice, reparations, and institutional reform.
- Exploring mechanisms for **reconciliation**, including truth commissions and community dialogue.
- Addressing impunity and holding perpetrators accountable.
- Engaging with legacies of mass violence and trauma.
- Case Study: The Truth and Reconciliation Commission in South Africa.

Module 4: Economic Recovery and Sustainable Livelihoods

- Restoring essential services and critical infrastructure.
- Livelihood recovery programs and microfinance initiatives.
- The role of the private sector in post-conflict economic development.
- Addressing the legacy of the **war economy**.
- Case Study: Revitalizing the agricultural sector in post-conflict Sierra Leone.

Module 5: Security Sector Reform (SSR) and Disarmament

- Key principles and components of **security sector reform**.
- Designing and implementing effective **DDR** (Disarmament, Demobilization, and Reintegration) programs.
- Building legitimate and accountable security institutions.
- Addressing small arms proliferation and public safety.
- Case Study: The successful DDR program in Nepal after the civil war.

Module 6: Governance and State-Building

- The role of civil society and democratic transitions.
- Strengthening public administration and anti-corruption measures.
- Promoting constitutional reform and political inclusion.
- Decentralization of power and empowering local governance.
- Case Study: The post-conflict reconstruction of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Module 7: Human Rights, Gender, and Social Inclusion

- Integrating human rights principles into peacebuilding.
- The critical role of **gender equality** and women in peace processes.
- Addressing the needs of vulnerable populations, including refugees and IDPs.
- Designing inclusive peace agreements and policies.
- Case Study: The Colombian peace process and the inclusion of gender provisions.

Module 8: Practical Skills and Simulation

- Advanced negotiation and mediation techniques.
- Public speaking and communication in high-stakes environments.
- Crisis management and communication protocols.
- Simulated post-conflict scenario exercise.
- Case Study: Role-play simulation of a multi-track diplomacy session in a fictional country.

Training Methodology

This course employs a dynamic and interactive training methodology that combines:

- **Expert-led Lectures:** Engaging sessions by seasoned practitioners and academic experts.
- **Interactive Workshops:** Hands-on activities and group work to apply theoretical knowledge.
- **Real-world Case Studies:** In-depth analysis of successful and challenging peacebuilding initiatives.
- **Role-Playing Simulations:** Practical exercises to simulate real-world scenarios and test decision-making.
- **Peer-to-Peer Learning:** Facilitated discussions to share experiences and best practices among participants.
- **Mentorship and Feedback:** One-on-one guidance from instructors to tailor learning.

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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