The Role of the Private Sector in Refugee Crises Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Migration and Refugee	**Duration**	10 Days
Base Fee	$3,000 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Understand the strategic role of the private sector in humanitarian response.
2. Analyze global trends in refugee integration and inclusive business models.
3. Explore corporate social responsibility (CSR) as a driver of refugee empowerment.
4. Identify impact investment and blended finance opportunities in refugee support.
5. Strengthen knowledge on supply chain integration of refugee-led businesses.
6. Apply entrepreneurship and innovation strategies to refugee crises.
7. Assess public-private partnerships in humanitarian and development contexts.
8. Enhance capacity in refugee workforce development and skills training.
9. Evaluate the role of technology and digital inclusion for refugees.
10. Promote sustainable livelihoods, financial inclusion, and microfinance.
11. Understand ESG frameworks and business sustainability in refugee contexts.
12. Apply monitoring, evaluation, and impact measurement for refugee programs.
13. Develop actionable roadmaps for corporate engagement in refugee crises.

Organizational Benefits

1. Strengthened corporate reputation and brand trust.
2. Increased alignment with SDGs and ESG frameworks.
3. Enhanced ability to attract impact investors and partners.
4. Access to new market opportunities through inclusive business.
5. Improved employee engagement through CSR initiatives.
6. Strengthened global partnerships with UN agencies and NGOs.
7. Contribution to economic stability and social cohesion.
8. Enhanced resilience to geopolitical and humanitarian risks.
9. Development of inclusive hiring and HR strategies.
10. Recognition as a leader in corporate humanitarian engagement

Target Audience

1. Corporate social responsibility (CSR) managers
2. Business executives and decision-makers
3. International development professionals
4. Humanitarian aid practitioners
5. Government policymakers
6. Nonprofit and NGO leaders
7. Social entrepreneurs and investors
8. Academic researchers and students

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Refugee Crises and Business Responsibility

- Global refugee trends and statistics
- Humanitarian response frameworks
- Role of private sector in crisis response
- Ethical business practices in displacement settings
- Refugee rights and international law
- **Case Study: UNHCR & IKEA Foundation partnership**

Module 2: Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) in Refugee Contexts

- CSR principles in humanitarian engagement
- Business ethics and human rights compliance
- Refugee-focused CSR case studies
- Employee volunteering and engagement
- CSR as a competitive advantage
- **Case Study: Starbucks refugee employment initiative**

Module 3: Public-Private Partnerships in Refugee Crises

- Defining effective partnerships
- Collaboration with governments and NGOs
- Funding and co-financing models
- Risk-sharing mechanisms
- Leveraging networks for impact
- **Case Study: Mastercard & Mercy Corps partnership**

Module 4: Refugee Employment and Workforce Integration

- Hiring refugees: challenges and solutions
- Skills recognition and capacity development
- Inclusive workplace practices
- HR policies for diversity and inclusion
- Labor market integration strategies
- **Case Study: Tent Partnership for Refugees**

Module 5: Supply Chain and Refugee Entrepreneurship

- Refugee-owned small businesses
- Supply chain inclusion opportunities
- Procurement strategies
- Social enterprise models
- Circular economy integration
- **Case Study: Refugee-made products in global markets**

Module 6: Impact Investment and Financing Refugee Programs

- Introduction to impact investing

- Financing refugee entrepreneurship
- Blended finance models
- Role of private equity in refugee support
- Risk-return considerations
- **Case Study: Impact investment in Jordan?ÇÖs refugee economy**

Module 7: Digital Innovation and Refugee Empowerment

- Digital identity and blockchain for refugees
- Mobile banking and fintech solutions
- E-learning and digital skills training
- Remote work and digital job platforms
- Tech-driven humanitarian aid
- **Case Study: UNHCR?ÇÖs blockchain cash assistance**

Module 8: ESG and Business Sustainability in Refugee Engagement

- ESG frameworks and refugee inclusion
- Climate change, displacement, and business responsibility
- Sustainability reporting in humanitarian contexts
- Corporate governance for inclusive growth
- Long-term sustainability strategies
- **Case Study: ESG reporting in refugee-hosting countries**

Module 9: Humanitarian Logistics and Supply Chains

- Humanitarian supply chain management
- Role of logistics companies
- Cross-border trade challenges
- Emergency procurement systems
- Efficiency and resilience strategies
- **Case Study: DHL?ÇÖs disaster response teams**

Module 10: Refugees and Financial Inclusion

- Barriers to refugee financial access
- Role of microfinance institutions
- Mobile money solutions
- Credit and savings programs
- Insurance and financial literacy
- **Case Study: Refugees and mobile banking in Kenya**

Module 11: Monitoring, Evaluation, and Impact Assessment

- Importance of impact measurement
- Tools for data collection and analysis
- Key performance indicators (KPIs)
- Social return on investment (SROI)
- Reporting and accountability mechanisms
- **Case Study: Impact evaluation of private sector programs**

Module 12: Private Sector in Post-Conflict Recovery

- Business role in rebuilding economies
- Supporting social cohesion through jobs
- Infrastructure investments
- Peacebuilding and reconciliation
- Long-term economic resilience
- **Case Study: Private sector role in Bosnia post-war recovery**

Module 13: Innovation and Refugee Solutions

- Role of startups and incubators
- Disruptive innovation in refugee response
- Cross-industry collaboration
- Refugee-centered design approaches
- Social innovation ecosystems
- **Case Study: Tech for Refugees Accelerator programs**

Module 14: Global Policy and Advocacy

- International refugee policy frameworks
- Business advocacy for refugee rights
- Influence on government regulations
- Participation in global forums
- Advocacy campaigns by businesses
- **Case Study: Global Compact on Refugees**

Module 15: Action Planning and Corporate Roadmaps

- Designing refugee-inclusive strategies
- Implementation frameworks
- Stakeholder engagement
- Risk management plans
- Scaling refugee-inclusive initiatives
- **Case Study: Corporate action plan for refugee support**

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures with real-world examples
- Case study analysis and group discussions
- Role-play simulations and scenario-based exercises
- Expert guest speakers from private sector and NGOs
- Practical assignments for action planning
- Online resources, toolkits, and frameworks

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	04 Dec 2026	Online	$2,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$9,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000

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