Training Course on Financial Strategy

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

Course Introduction

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Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

1. Understand the core principles of financial strategy and strategic planning.
2. Analyze corporate financial statements for informed decision-making.
3. Master financial forecasting models for accurate revenue and expense predictions.
4. Develop budgeting strategies that align with organizational objectives.
5. Learn to manage financial risks using contemporary risk assessment techniques.
6. Design capital structure models to balance equity and debt financing.
7. Apply scenario analysis and sensitivity testing to real-world projects.
8. Implement investment appraisal techniques for capital budgeting decisions.
9. Gain expertise in cash flow management and liquidity planning.
10. Utilize KPI dashboards and financial metrics to track performance.
11. Drive cost optimization through strategic financial controls.
12. Learn to integrate ESG (Environmental, Social, Governance) in financial planning.
13. Enhance your ability to deliver financial insights to stakeholders effectively.

Target Audience

1. Finance Managers
2. Business Analysts
3. Entrepreneurs
4. CFOs and Controllers
5. Accounting Professionals
6. Investment Consultants
7. Corporate Strategists
8. MBA Students and Graduates

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Financial Strategy

- Overview of strategic finance in modern business
- Core concepts in corporate financial strategy
- Aligning finance with business vision
- Financial goals vs. operational capabilities
- Role of strategic financial leadership

- **Case Study:** Apple Inc.’s evolution of financial strategy

Module 2: Financial Statement Analysis

- Understanding balance sheets, income statements, and cash flow
- Horizontal and vertical analysis
- Ratio analysis for strategic decisions
- Interpreting financial health and solvency
- Common pitfalls in financial interpretation
- **Case Study:** Tesla’s financial performance post-IPO

Module 3: Forecasting and Budgeting

- Developing rolling forecasts
- Creating dynamic budgets
- Techniques: Zero-based and activity-based budgeting
- Integration of operational planning with budgeting
- Variance analysis and management responses
- **Case Study:** Amazon’s budget forecasting in global expansion

Module 4: Capital Structure Optimization

- Determining optimal debt-to-equity ratios
- Impact of leverage on business risk and return
- Evaluating funding sources
- Dividend policy and capital retention
- Cost of capital and WACC
- **Case Study:** PepsiCo’s capital restructuring decisions

Module 5: Risk Management and Compliance

- Identifying financial risks (credit, market, operational)
- Quantitative risk models
- Regulatory environment overview (SOX, Basel III)
- Risk mitigation tools: hedging, insurance, diversification
- Internal controls and audit frameworks
- **Case Study:** JPMorgan Chase and the London Whale incident

Module 6: Investment Appraisal Techniques

- Net Present Value (NPV) and Internal Rate of Return (IRR)
- Payback period and profitability index
- Real options analysis
- Capital rationing and project selection
- Evaluating risk in investment proposals
- **Case Study:** Netflix’s investment in original content

Module 7: Performance Measurement and KPIs

- Financial KPIs and benchmarks
- Balanced scorecards in finance
- Linking KPIs to strategic outcomes
- Financial dashboards for executive use
- Continuous improvement with metric feedback
- **Case Study:** Coca-Cola's strategic KPI transformation

Module 8: Integrating ESG and Financial Strategy

- ESG drivers and investor expectations
- Incorporating sustainability into financial models
- Long-term value creation through ESG
- Financial disclosures and ESG reporting
- Risk and opportunity mapping for ESG
- **Case Study:** Unilever's ESG-based strategic planning

Training Methodology

- Instructor-led interactive sessions
- Hands-on financial modeling exercises
- Group projects and peer reviews
- Live case study discussions
- Online quizzes and assessment checkpoints
- Strategic planning simulation workshops

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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