Training course on Urban Regeneration and Community Development through Real Estate

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Real Estate Institute	**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

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

1. Analyze the fundamental concepts and strategic importance of **urban regeneration** and its link to community development.
2. Differentiate various **models and approaches to urban regeneration**, from renewal to revitalization.
3. Master techniques for conducting comprehensive **socio-economic and physical assessments** of distressed urban areas.
4. Comprehend the critical role of **community engagement and participatory planning** in successful regeneration.
5. Develop expertise in leveraging **public-private-community partnerships (PPCPs)** for integrated development.
6. Formulate strategies for **financing urban regeneration projects**, including innovative funding mechanisms.

7. Understand the complexities of **affordability, gentrification, and displacement** within regeneration contexts.
8. Apply principles of **inclusive design and social equity** in real estate development for regeneration.
9. Identify and implement strategies for **economic development and job creation** through real estate projects.
10. Navigate the **legal, policy, and incentive frameworks** that support urban regeneration efforts.
11. Explore the integration of **sustainability and resilience** within urban regeneration initiatives.
12. Measure and evaluate the **social, economic, and environmental impact** of regeneration projects.
13. Design a comprehensive **urban regeneration and community development plan** for a target area.

Target Audience

This course is designed for professionals committed to socially impactful urban transformation:

1. **Real Estate Developers:** Seeking to undertake socially responsible and impactful projects.
2. **Urban Planners & Master Planners:** Leading strategic initiatives for urban revitalization.
3. **Public Sector Officials (City/Regional Planning, Economic Development):** Driving regeneration policies and programs.
4. **Non-Profit Housing & Community Development Organizations:** Implementing community-driven real estate projects.
5. **Social Impact Investors & Fund Managers:** Seeking blended returns (financial + social) in urban areas.
6. **Community Leaders & Activists:** Advocating for equitable development and participation.
7. **Architects & Urban Designers:** Focusing on design as a tool for social good and place-making.
8. **Consultants (Urban Development, ESG, Real Estate):** Advising on regeneration strategies.

Course Duration: 5 Days

Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Urban Regeneration & Its Imperative

- Defining urban regeneration, revitalization, renewal, and their distinctions.
- Drivers for urban regeneration: economic decline, social distress, environmental degradation, aging infrastructure.
- The multi-dimensional nature of regeneration: physical, economic, social, environmental, cultural.
- Global challenges and opportunities in urban regeneration.
- The role of real estate as both a tool and an outcome of regeneration.

Module 2: Models & Approaches to Urban Regeneration

- **Area-Based vs. Project-Based Regeneration:** Understanding different scales of intervention.
- **Top-Down vs. Bottom-Up Approaches:** Balancing public sector leadership with community-led initiatives.
- **Comprehensive vs. Incremental Regeneration:** Long-term visions vs. phased, adaptable interventions.
- Strategies for brownfield redevelopment and infill development in regeneration.
- Learning from historical successes and failures in urban renewal.

Module 3: Socio-Economic & Physical Assessment of Target Areas

- Methodologies for diagnosing urban distress: socio-economic indicators (poverty, unemployment, health).
- Physical assessments: building conditions, infrastructure deficiencies, environmental contamination.
- Data collection tools: GIS mapping, demographic analysis, community surveys, site visits.
- Identifying regeneration opportunities and existing community assets.
- Developing a baseline understanding of the target area's needs and potentials.

Module 4: Community Engagement & Participatory Planning

- The ethical and practical imperative of genuine community engagement.
- Strategies for inclusive participation: workshops, charrettes, focus groups, digital platforms.
- Building trust and managing expectations within diverse community stakeholders.
- Empowering local residents in the decision-making and planning processes.
- Addressing conflicts and fostering consensus through collaborative planning.

Module 5: Public-Private-Community Partnerships (PPCPs)

- Rationale for multi-sectoral partnerships in urban regeneration.
- Structuring effective PPCPs: defining roles, responsibilities, and governance models.
- Legal frameworks and contractual agreements for collaborative projects.
- Building a common vision and shared objectives among public, private, and community partners.
- Case studies of successful PPCP models in complex regeneration initiatives.

Module 6: Financing Urban Regeneration Projects

- Diverse funding sources: public grants, government loans, tax credits (e.g., LIHTC, Historic Tax Credits).
- Private sector investment: equity, debt, impact investing, blended finance.
- Innovative financing mechanisms: Tax Increment Financing (TIF), Community Reinvestment Act (CRA) funds, social impact bonds.
- Leveraging philanthropic capital and community loan funds.
- Financial modeling for complex, mixed-funding regeneration projects.

Module 7: Affordable Housing, Gentrification & Displacement

- The challenge of maintaining affordability in revitalized areas.
- Strategies to prevent and mitigate gentrification and displacement: inclusionary zoning, community land trusts, right of first refusal.
- Integrating affordable and mixed-income housing into regeneration plans.
- Preserving existing social networks and cultural heritage.
- Policy tools for protecting vulnerable populations during regeneration.

Module 8: Economic Development & Job Creation through Real Estate

- Strategies for attracting and retaining businesses in regenerated areas.
- Creating local employment opportunities: workforce development, local hiring initiatives.
- Supporting small businesses and local entrepreneurs through commercial real estate.
- Developing innovation districts, cultural hubs, and mixed-use commercial spaces.
- Measuring the economic impact of real estate regeneration projects.

Training Methodology

- **Interactive Workshops:** Facilitated discussions, group exercises, and problem-solving activities.

- **Case Studies:** Real-world examples to illustrate successful community-based surveillance practices.
- **Role-Playing and Simulations:** Practice engaging communities in surveillance activities.
- **Expert Presentations:** Insights from experienced public health professionals and community leaders.
- **Group Projects:** Collaborative development of community surveillance plans.
- **Action Planning:** Development of personalized action plans for implementing community-based surveillance.
- **Digital Tools and Resources:** Utilization of online platforms for collaboration and learning.
- **Peer-to-Peer Learning:** Sharing experiences and insights on community engagement.
- **Post-Training Support:** Access to online forums, mentorship, and continued learning resources.

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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

- Participants must be conversant in English.
- Upon completion of training, participants will receive an Authorized Training Certificate.
- The course duration is flexible and can be modified to fit any number of days.
- Course fee includes facilitation, training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch, and a Certificate upon successful completion.
- One-year post-training support, consultation, and coaching provided after the course.
- Payment should be made at least a week before the training commencement to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice, to enable better preparation.

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

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
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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