Basic Income Pilots & Policy Debates Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

Course Introduction

The concept of Basic Income has emerged as a pivotal policy tool for addressing socioeconomic inequality, fostering social protection, and stimulating economic resilience in rapidly changing economies. Basic Income Pilots & Policy Debates Training Course is designed to equip policymakers, social scientists, and public administrators with comprehensive knowledge on the implementation, assessment, and ethical implications of basic income initiatives. Participants will explore real-world pilot programs, analyze policy debates, and evaluate the effectiveness of basic income interventions across diverse socioeconomic contexts. The curriculum integrates evidence-based research, case studies, and interactive discussions to enhance understanding of the potential impacts and limitations of basic income schemes.

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Course Objectives

1. Understand the fundamental principles of Universal Basic Income (UBI) and targeted income support programs.
2. Examine global case studies of basic income pilot programs and their outcomes.
3. Analyze the economic, social, and ethical implications of basic income policies.
4. Evaluate the impact of basic income on labor markets and social mobility.
5. Explore funding models and financial sustainability for income redistribution programs.
6. Develop skills in policy design, monitoring, and evaluation for basic income initiatives.
7. Understand stakeholder perspectives, including governments, NGOs, and beneficiaries.
8. Examine technological tools for data collection and pilot program monitoring.
9. Assess challenges in public acceptance, political feasibility, and policy scalability.
10. Learn methods for communicating research findings to policymakers and the public.
11. Critically analyze policy debates surrounding basic income implementation.
12. Understand how basic income interacts with other social protection systems.
13. Design evidence-based recommendations for pilot expansion or policy reform.

Organizational Benefits

- Enhanced policymaking capabilities with evidence-based insights
- Improved program evaluation and monitoring skills
- Ability to implement cost-effective social welfare strategies
- Strengthened understanding of stakeholder engagement and advocacy
- Increased organizational capacity to run pilot programs
- Enhanced data-driven decision-making skills
- Improved communication of policy outcomes to diverse audiences
- Knowledge of international best practices and comparative policy analysis
- Support for sustainable economic and social impact initiatives
- Strengthened internal capacity for social program design

Target Audiences

1. Public policymakers and government officials
2. Social scientists and researchers
3. Non-governmental organization (NGO) professionals
4. Economists and financial planners
5. Program managers in social welfare initiatives
6. Academics in social policy and development studies
7. International development practitioners
8. Data analysts and policy evaluators

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Basic Income

- Understanding the concept of UBI
- Historical context and evolution
- Social and economic rationale
- Ethical debates surrounding basic income
- Key international examples
- Case study: Finland basic income pilot

Module 2: Global Pilot Programs and Outcomes

- Overview of international pilot projects
- Analysis of success metrics
- Lessons learned from failures
- Cross-country comparisons
- Stakeholder feedback analysis
- Case study: Kenya unconditional cash transfers

Module 3: Economic and Social Implications

- Impact on labor markets
- Poverty alleviation measures
- Income inequality reduction
- Social mobility and community effects
- Macroeconomic considerations
- Case study: Stockton, California pilot

Module 4: Policy Design and Implementation

- Frameworks for designing UBI policies

- Targeted vs universal approaches
- Pilot design and sample selection
- Monitoring and evaluation strategies
- Regulatory and legal considerations
- Case study: Ontario Basic Income Pilot

Module 5: Funding and Financial Sustainability

- Taxation models for UBI
- Budgetary considerations
- Public-private partnerships
- Cost-benefit analysis
- Long-term economic forecasting
- Case study: Alaska Permanent Fund Dividend

Module 6: Stakeholder Engagement and Communication

- Identifying key stakeholders
- Public awareness campaigns
- Government-NGO collaboration
- Media and advocacy strategies
- Policy negotiation techniques
- Case study: Spain’s Minimum Income Program

Module 7: Data Collection and Analysis Tools

- Survey design for pilot evaluation
- Statistical analysis techniques
- Digital monitoring tools
- Predictive modeling for policy outcomes
- Interpreting qualitative and quantitative data
- Case study: India’s cash transfer pilots

Module 8: Scaling, Policy Debates, and Future Directions

- Challenges in nationwide implementation
- Political feasibility and public opinion
- Lessons from pilot program expansions
- Integrating UBI with existing welfare systems
- Future trends in basic income research
- Case study: Scotland’s basic income feasibility study

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures and presentations
- Group discussions and debates
- Case study analysis and role-playing exercises
- Hands-on workshops for policy design
- Real-time data analysis exercises
- Policy simulation and scenario planning

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

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
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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