Governance of Research Ethics Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Understand global research ethics governance frameworks and regulatory compliance standards
2. Strengthen institutional review board governance and ethical decision-making capacity
3. Develop effective ethical risk management systems in research institutions
4. Implement responsible research and innovation governance strategies
5. Enhance transparency, accountability, and research integrity frameworks
6. Strengthen informed consent governance and participant protection policies
7. Develop governance mechanisms for data ethics and privacy protection
8. Apply ethical oversight for emerging technologies including artificial intelligence and biotechnology
9. Strengthen monitoring and auditing systems for research ethics compliance
10. Promote responsible conduct of research and ethical leadership culture
11. Manage conflicts of interest and ethical dilemmas in research governance
12. Strengthen international collaboration ethics and cross-border research governance
13. Implement institutional policies aligned with global research ethics standards

Organizational Benefits

- Strengthens institutional research ethics governance frameworks
- Enhances compliance with international research ethics standards
- Improves research integrity and accountability systems
- Builds capacity for ethical oversight and monitoring
- Enhances institutional credibility and global research partnerships
- Strengthens protection of research participants and communities
- Supports responsible innovation and technology governance

- Reduces ethical risks and regulatory violations
- Promotes transparent and responsible research practices
- Strengthens institutional leadership in research governance

Target Audiences

- Research ethics committee members
- Institutional review board administrators
- University research directors and academic leaders
- Healthcare research professionals
- Government research regulators and policymakers
- NGO and development organization researchers
- Clinical research coordinators
- Compliance and governance officers

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Course Modules

Module 1: Foundations of Research Ethics Governance

- Principles of research ethics and governance frameworks
- Global research ethics standards and regulatory systems
- Roles and responsibilities of research governance structures
- Institutional accountability and ethical oversight
- Ethical decision-making models in research governance
- Case study: Governance failures in unethical research practices

Module 2: Institutional Review Boards and Ethics Committees

- Structure and governance of research ethics committees
- Institutional review board approval processes
- Ethical protocol review and risk assessment
- Ethical oversight of human participant research
- Monitoring compliance and ethical approvals
- Case study: Institutional review board decision-making challenges

Module 3: Responsible Conduct of Research

- Research integrity frameworks and governance policies
- Managing plagiarism, fabrication, and falsification
- Ethical research culture and institutional leadership
- Whistleblowing policies and accountability systems
- Transparency and responsible publication practices
- Case study: Research misconduct investigation and governance response

Module 4: Informed Consent Governance

- Ethical principles of informed consent frameworks
- Consent processes in medical and social research
- Governance of consent documentation and procedures
- Cultural sensitivity and community engagement ethics
- Protecting vulnerable populations in research
- Case study: Ethical challenges in informed consent implementation

Module 5: Data Ethics and Research Data Governance

- Ethical governance of research data management
- Data privacy, confidentiality, and protection standards
- Governance of big data and digital research ethics
- Data sharing and cross-border ethical considerations
- Ethical stewardship of sensitive research data
- Case study: Data privacy breach in research institutions

Module 6: Governance of Emerging Research Technologies

- Artificial intelligence ethics governance
- Genomic research and biotechnology ethical governance
- Digital health and telemedicine research ethics
- Ethical oversight for algorithmic decision-making systems
- Governance frameworks for innovation ethics
- Case study: Ethical governance challenges in AI research

Module 7: Monitoring, Auditing, and Compliance Systems

- Ethical compliance monitoring frameworks

- Internal auditing systems for research governance
- Institutional ethics reporting mechanisms
- Risk management and compliance tracking
- Performance evaluation of research ethics committees
- Case study: Institutional audit of research ethics compliance

Module 8: International Research Collaboration Governance

- Ethics governance in multinational research projects
- Cross-border regulatory and ethical compliance challenges
- Global standards for collaborative research ethics
- Governance of international research partnerships
- Ethical frameworks for global data sharing
- Case study: Ethical governance in international clinical research

Training Methodology

- Interactive expert-led lectures on research ethics governance
- Practical workshops on ethics committee operations
- Real-world case study analysis of research governance challenges
- Group discussions on emerging research ethics issues
- Scenario-based simulations for ethical decision making
- Institutional policy development exercises
- Collaborative peer learning and governance framework design

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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