ISO 31000:2018 Risk Management Principles Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Quality Assurance and ISO standards	**Duration**	10 Days
Base Fee	$3,000 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

1. Understand ISO 31000:2018 principles, framework, and process.
2. Enhance knowledge of enterprise risk management strategies.
3. Integrate risk management into corporate governance and compliance.
4. Develop skills in risk identification, assessment, and analysis.
5. Apply advanced risk evaluation and treatment methods.
6. Strengthen organizational resilience and risk culture.
7. Implement effective monitoring and reporting mechanisms.
8. Use ISO 31000 to support business continuity management.
9. Build capacity for proactive risk-based decision-making.
10. Enhance stakeholder confidence through transparent practices.
11. Improve organizational agility and adaptability to uncertainty.
12. Apply risk management in project management and operations.
13. Use case studies to apply ISO 31000 in real-world contexts.

Organizational Benefits

1. Improved risk awareness across organizational levels.
2. Enhanced decision-making aligned with corporate objectives.
3. Greater resilience to disruptions and uncertainties.
4. Stronger compliance with international standards.
5. Integration of risk management into daily operations.
6. Increased stakeholder trust and confidence.
7. Proactive identification and mitigation of threats.
8. Strengthened reputation and brand value.
9. Enhanced capacity for business continuity planning.
10. Competitive advantage in global markets.

Target Audiences

1. Risk management professionals
2. Compliance managers and officers
3. Internal auditors and consultants
4. Project managers and coordinators
5. Business continuity managers
6. Corporate governance officers

7. Operational managers and supervisors
8. Strategic decision-makers and executives

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Risk Management and ISO 31000:2018

- Understanding the fundamentals of risk management
- Key updates in ISO 31000:2018 compared to earlier versions
- The relationship between risk, governance, and strategy
- Core principles and guidelines for implementation
- Aligning ISO 31000 with organizational policies
- Case study: Transitioning from reactive to proactive risk management

Module 2: Risk Management Framework

- Elements of the risk management framework
- Establishing risk management within governance structures
- Designing organizational risk management policies
- Integrating framework into business processes
- Evaluating framework effectiveness
- Case study: Implementing a framework in a financial institution

Module 3: Risk Management Process Overview

- Risk identification methods
- Risk assessment and prioritization techniques
- Risk analysis tools and approaches
- Risk evaluation and criteria setting
- Risk treatment and monitoring steps
- Case study: Developing a process for supply chain risk

Module 4: Context of the Organization

- Establishing the external and internal context
- Defining scope and risk criteria
- Linking context with organizational objectives
- Identifying stakeholders and their expectations
- Importance of communication in context setting
- Case study: Context setting in a multinational organization

Module 5: Risk Identification Techniques

- Brainstorming and workshops for risk identification
- Use of checklists and historical data
- Scenario analysis and risk mapping
- Identifying emerging risks and trends
- Risk registers and documentation practices
- Case study: Identifying risks in IT infrastructure

Module 6: Risk Analysis and Assessment

- Qualitative vs. quantitative risk analysis
- Probability and impact assessment methods
- Risk matrix and heat maps
- Evaluating uncertainties and assumptions
- Prioritization of risks based on severity
- Case study: Analyzing project risk in construction

Module 7: Risk Evaluation

- Establishing evaluation criteria
- Comparing risk levels against tolerances
- Aligning evaluation with organizational objectives
- Considering stakeholder risk appetite
- Escalation procedures for significant risks
- Case study: Evaluating operational risks in healthcare

Module 8: Risk Treatment

- Developing treatment plans and strategies
- Cost-benefit analysis of risk treatments
- Risk avoidance, mitigation, transfer, and acceptance
- Integration of treatment into action plans
- Monitoring and review of treatment effectiveness
- Case study: Risk treatment in manufacturing industry

Module 9: Monitoring and Review

- Continuous monitoring of risk environment
- Establishing performance indicators
- Linking monitoring with compliance obligations
- Periodic reviews and updates to risk registers
- Reporting outcomes to stakeholders
- Case study: Monitoring risk in financial services

Module 10: Communication and Consultation

- Importance of stakeholder communication
- Communication planning for risk projects
- Building transparency and trust
- Internal vs. external communication channels
- Role of consultation in effective decision-making
- Case study: Consultation in infrastructure projects

Module 11: Risk Management in Projects

- Applying ISO 31000 to project risk management
- Project risk assessment tools
- Linking project risk with strategic objectives
- Preventing project delays through risk planning
- Managing risk in complex project environments

- Case study: Risk management in software development projects

Module 12: Business Continuity and ISO 31000

- Linking risk management with business continuity
- Identifying critical functions and dependencies
- Crisis management and emergency planning
- Integrating continuity with resilience strategies
- Benefits of combining BCM and ISO 31000
- Case study: Business continuity during natural disasters

Module 13: Risk Culture and Leadership

- Building a positive risk culture
- Role of leadership in promoting risk awareness
- Embedding accountability and responsibility
- Encouraging transparency and openness
- Aligning culture with organizational vision
- Case study: Leadership driving cultural transformation

Module 14: Emerging Risks and Future Trends

- Identifying global megatrends
- Cybersecurity and digital risks
- Climate change and sustainability challenges
- Risks of disruptive technologies
- Strategies for managing future uncertainty
- Case study: Managing cybersecurity risks in digital transformation

Module 15: Practical Application and Case Studies

- Applying ISO 31000 in different industries
- Comparing sector-specific risk challenges
- Tools for customizing risk management frameworks
- Evaluating successes and failures from case studies
- Best practices for sustainable implementation
- Case study: Lessons learned from international organizations

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures and discussions
- Group exercises and brainstorming sessions
- Real-life industry case studies
- Practical workshops with tools and templates
- Role-playing and simulation exercises
- Continuous assessments and feedback

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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