ISO 9001:2015 Internal Auditor 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 the structure and requirements of ISO 9001:2015.
2. Develop internal auditing skills aligned with international standards.
3. Apply risk-based thinking in quality audits.
4. Conduct effective compliance audits with real-time applications.
5. Enhance knowledge of quality assurance processes.
6. Evaluate organizational performance through audits.
7. Strengthen reporting and documentation techniques.
8. Identify corrective actions and monitor improvements.
9. Apply trending auditing tools and strategies.
10. Improve stakeholder confidence in quality systems.
11. Gain competence in planning and executing audit programs.
12. Foster continual improvement within organizations.
13. Build strong foundations for ISO 9001:2015 certification readiness.

Organizational Benefits

1. Improved organizational efficiency through structured audits.
2. Enhanced customer satisfaction and loyalty.
3. Strong compliance with international quality standards.
4. Reduced operational risks with proactive measures.
5. Strengthened internal control and accountability.
6. Better alignment of processes with business objectives.
7. Increased employee competence and confidence.
8. Enhanced market reputation and competitiveness.
9. Long-term sustainability with continual improvement.
10. Reliable preparation for external ISO certification audits.

Target Audiences

1. Quality Managers
2. Internal Auditors
3. Compliance Officers
4. Management Representatives
5. Process Owners
6. Consultants in Quality Management
7. Risk and Compliance Professionals
8. Employees seeking ISO 9001:2015 knowledge

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to ISO 9001:2015

- Overview of ISO standards
- Understanding quality management principles
- Key terminology and concepts
- ISO 9001:2015 framework explained
- Application across industries
- Case study on quality management introduction

Module 2: Quality Management System Requirements

- Structure of ISO 9001:2015
- Documentation requirements
- Importance of context in QMS
- Leadership role in quality
- Planning for risks and opportunities
- Case study on QMS requirements application

Module 3: Auditing Fundamentals

- Definition of audits
- Purpose of internal audits
- Audit principles and ethics
- Audit evidence collection
- Types of audits
- Case study on internal audit process

Module 4: Risk-Based Thinking in Audits

- Understanding risk-based approach
- Identifying risks and opportunities
- Integrating risk in audits
- Preventive actions through audits
- Enhancing decision-making with risk analysis
- Case study on risk-based auditing

Module 5: Internal Audit Planning

- Defining audit scope and objectives
- Preparing audit schedules
- Assigning auditor responsibilities
- Gathering audit resources
- Communication during planning
- Case study on audit planning practices

Module 6: Audit Execution Techniques

- Conducting opening meetings
- Interviewing techniques for auditors
- Reviewing documents effectively
- Observing processes
- Recording audit findings
- Case study on audit execution

Module 7: Audit Reporting

- Preparing audit reports
- Communicating findings clearly
- Categorizing nonconformities
- Recommendations for improvement
- Distribution of reports
- Case study on audit reporting

Module 8: Corrective Actions and Improvements

- Identifying root causes
- Developing corrective action plans
- Tracking corrective measures
- Ensuring sustainable improvements
- Verification of effectiveness
- Case study on corrective actions

Module 9: Compliance Audit Practices

- Understanding compliance requirements
- Performing compliance audits
- Tools for compliance assessment
- Reporting compliance gaps
- Corrective strategies for compliance failures
- Case study on compliance audit practices

Module 10: Auditor Competence Development

- Skills required for effective auditing
- Maintaining auditor impartiality
- Building communication skills
- Enhancing observation skills
- Professional ethics in auditing
- Case study on auditor competence

Module 11: Continual Improvement Strategies

- Role of audits in continual improvement
- Identifying improvement opportunities
- Using data for improvement decisions
- Implementing improvement projects
- Monitoring improvements over time
- Case study on continual improvement

Module 12: Management Review Process

- Purpose of management reviews
- Inputs and outputs in reviews
- Role of leadership in reviews
- Aligning management review with audits
- Monitoring outcomes of reviews

- Case study on management reviews

Module 13: Stakeholder Engagement in Audits

- Identifying key stakeholders
- Engaging stakeholders in audit processes
- Enhancing transparency
- Building trust through audits
- Addressing stakeholder feedback
- Case study on stakeholder engagement

Module 14: Preparing for Certification Audits

- Pre-assessment audits
- Identifying certification requirements
- Gap analysis practices
- Closing identified gaps
- Readiness assessment techniques
- Case study on certification preparation

Module 15: Integrated Case Studies and Practical Assessment

- Comprehensive audit scenario
- Applying learned auditing techniques
- Reporting and corrective action simulation
- Group activities for audit execution
- Real-time audit documentation practice
- Case study final project presentation

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures and discussions
- Real-world case study analysis
- Group activities and workshops
- Practical audit simulations
- Role-playing exercises
- Continuous assessment 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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