Renewable Energy Policy and Management Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Environmental Management and Conservation	**Duration**	10 Days
Base Fee	$3,000 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Analyze **global energy policy frameworks** and their impact on **renewable energy deployment**.
2. Evaluate different **policy instruments** such as **feed-in tariffs**, **renewable portfolio standards**, and **tax credits**.
3. Assess the **financial viability** of **renewable energy projects** using **project finance** and **cost-benefit analysis**.
4. Understand the role of **grid integration** and **energy storage solutions** in a **decarbonized electricity system**.
5. Develop and implement **corporate sustainability strategies** and **decarbonization roadmaps**.
6. Navigate **regulatory compliance** and **environmental impact assessments** for renewable projects.
7. Lead and manage **multi-stakeholder engagements** for successful project implementation.
8. Master the principles of **sustainable energy governance** and **energy justice**.
9. Identify and mitigate **regulatory risks** and **market barriers** to **clean energy transition**.
10. Explore emerging **renewable energy technologies** and their policy implications, including **green hydrogen** and **smart grids**.
11. Design and advocate for effective **public-private partnerships** to drive **renewable energy investment**.
12. Conduct **policy monitoring and evaluation** to measure the effectiveness of **renewable energy incentives**.
13. Apply **systems-level thinking** to address the challenges of the **global energy transition**.

Target Audience

1. Energy professionals from utilities, energy companies, and consultancies.
2. Government officials and policymakers involved in energy, environment, and planning.
3. Project managers and engineers in the renewable energy sector.

4. Investors and financial analysts focused on clean energy and sustainable finance.
5. Environmental and sustainability consultants.
6. Legal and regulatory affairs professionals in the energy sector.
7. Community leaders and NGO representatives advocating for clean energy.
8. Academics and researchers specializing in energy and climate policy.

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Module 1: Foundations of Renewable Energy Policy

- The global energy transition and its drivers.
- Overview of key renewable energy sources and technologies.
- The nexus of energy, climate, and sustainable development.
- Policy rationales: addressing market failures and external costs.
- **Case Study:** Germany's **Energiewende** (Energy Transition) and its policy evolution.

Module 2: Policy Instruments and Mechanisms

- **Renewable Portfolio Standards (RPS)** and **feed-in tariffs (FITs)**.
- Auction mechanisms and competitive bidding.
- Tax credits, grants, and other financial incentives.
- Net metering and distributed generation policies.
- **Case Study:** The success and challenges of the **RPS in California**.

Module 3: Renewable Energy Project Finance

- Key financial metrics: NPV, IRR, and LCOE.
- Debt, equity, and public financing models.
- Power Purchase Agreements (PPAs) and their role in project viability.
- Risk assessment and mitigation strategies for investors.
- **Case Study:** Financing a large-scale **solar farm in Chile** using a PPA.

Module 4: Regulation and Grid Integration

- Grid stability, intermittency, and the role of **energy storage**.
- Regulatory frameworks for grid interconnection.
- The evolution of **smart grids** and digital technologies.
- Transmission and distribution infrastructure challenges.
- **Case Study:** The role of **battery storage** in balancing the grid in **South Australia**.

Module 5: Environmental and Social Impact Assessment

- Conducting **environmental impact assessments (EIAs)**.
- Siting and land use regulations for renewable projects.
- Stakeholder engagement and community benefit agreements.
- The concept of **energy justice** and social equity.
- **Case Study:** A wind farm project in **rural Scotland** and its community engagement strategy.

Module 6: Corporate Sustainability and Decarbonization

- Setting **science-based targets** and **decarbonization roadmaps**.
- Corporate renewable energy procurement.

- Reporting and disclosure frameworks (e.g., TCFD, CDP).
- The role of voluntary carbon markets.
- **Case Study:** The corporate sustainability strategy of a **global tech company** to achieve **100% renewable electricity**.

Module 7: Global and Regional Energy Governance

- International agreements and climate treaties (e.g., Paris Agreement).
- The role of international organizations (IRENA, IEA).
- Regional policy cooperation and trade.
- Geopolitics of renewable energy.
- **Case Study:** The **European Union's** Renewable Energy Directive and its regional implications.

Module 8: Public-Private Partnerships

- Structuring and managing public-private collaborations.
- Risk-sharing and governance models.
- Incentivizing private investment in public infrastructure.
- The role of government guarantees and subsidies.
- **Case Study:** A successful **PPP model for a geothermal project** in **Kenya**.

Module 9: Emerging Technologies and Future Trends

- The potential of **green hydrogen** and **electrolysis**.
- Floating solar and offshore wind.
- Carbon Capture, Utilization, and Storage (CCUS).
- The role of artificial intelligence in energy management.
- **Case Study:** The development of a **green hydrogen hub** in the **Netherlands**.

Module 10: Legal and Contractual Aspects

- Negotiating and drafting PPAs.
- Understanding energy market regulations and compliance.
- Permitting and licensing processes.
- Dispute resolution mechanisms.
- **Case Study:** A legal analysis of a **contractual dispute over a solar PPA**.

Module 11: Energy Efficiency and Demand-Side Management

- Policy instruments to promote energy efficiency.
- Technologies for demand-side response.
- The role of smart meters and consumer engagement.
- Energy auditing and management systems.
- **Case Study:** A national program for **energy-efficient building retrofits**.

Module 12: Policy Analysis and Evaluation

- Methods for policy monitoring and evaluation.
- Key performance indicators (KPIs) for renewable energy policy.
- The role of data analytics in policy refinement.
- Identifying and addressing policy gaps.
- **Case Study:** An evaluation of **India's national solar mission** and its policy impacts.

Module 13: Risk Management and Resilience

- Analyzing **financial, regulatory, and technological risks**.
- Developing risk mitigation plans.
- Ensuring energy system resilience in a changing climate.
- Cybersecurity for energy infrastructure.
- **Case Study:** The impact of **extreme weather events** on a **solar energy project**.

Module 14: Leadership and Change Management

- Leading teams in a rapidly evolving sector.
- Stakeholder communication and public advocacy.
- Navigating political and institutional barriers.
- Building a culture of innovation and sustainability.
- **Case Study:** A **utility company's** successful transition from fossil fuels to renewables.

Module 15: Final Project and Capstone Presentation

- Participants apply all course knowledge to a real-world scenario.
- Develop a comprehensive **renewable energy policy recommendation** or **project plan**.
- Present findings to a panel of experts.
- Receive personalized feedback and insights.
- **Case Study:** A team project to design a **renewable energy strategy for a city or town**.

Training Methodology

This course employs a dynamic and interactive training methodology to ensure maximum engagement and practical application of knowledge. The approach combines:

- Interactive Lectures.
- Case Studies.
- Group Workshops and Exercises.
- Expert Guest Speakers.
- Simulations and Role-Playing.
- Peer-to-Peer Learning.
- Individual Assignments.

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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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