Strategic Business Research Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Research and Data Analysis	**Duration**	5 Days
Base Fee	$1,500 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Master advanced strategic research methodologies for business growth.
2. Develop expertise in market analysis, competitor intelligence, and consumer insights.
3. Apply data analytics and visualization tools for strategic decision-making.
4. Enhance skills in forecasting, predictive modeling, and trend analysis.
5. Integrate qualitative and quantitative research methods effectively.
6. Build research-driven business strategies for competitive advantage.
7. Learn to design impactful surveys, focus groups, and interviews.
8. Apply ROI-focused research techniques to real-world business problems.
9. Strengthen capabilities in risk assessment and strategic planning.
10. Leverage digital tools and AI-driven analytics for business insights.
11. Cultivate leadership and presentation skills for research communication.
12. Explore industry case studies and benchmarking strategies.
13. Drive innovation through insight-led decision-making and performance optimization.

Target Audience

1. Business Analysts
2. Market Research Professionals
3. Strategic Planners
4. Marketing Managers
5. Product Development Managers
6. Entrepreneurs and Start-up Founders
7. Corporate Executives
8. Data Analysts and Consultants

Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Strategic Business Research

- Fundamentals of business research and strategy
- Importance of **data-driven decision-making**
- Types of business research: exploratory, descriptive, causal
- Identifying research problems and objectives
- **Case Study:** Market entry strategy for a tech start-up

Module 2: Research Design & Methodology

- Qualitative vs. quantitative research approaches
- Designing surveys, interviews, and focus groups
- Sampling techniques and bias minimization
- Research ethics and compliance standards
- **Case Study:** Consumer behavior analysis in FMCG

Module 3: Data Collection & Management

- Primary vs. secondary data sources
- Data cleaning, validation, and integrity
- Leveraging **digital tools for data collection**
- Big Data considerations in business research
- **Case Study:** Predictive analytics in retail sales

Module 4: Market Analysis & Competitive Intelligence

- Market sizing and segmentation techniques
- Competitor benchmarking and positioning
- SWOT, PESTEL, and Porter's Five Forces
- Identifying emerging industry trends
- **Case Study:** Competitive intelligence in the e-commerce sector

Module 5: Business Analytics & Data Visualization

- Introduction to business analytics frameworks
- Using tools like Excel, Tableau, and Power BI
- Visualization for insights and decision-making
- Statistical techniques for strategic insights
- **Case Study:** Dashboard implementation for a financial firm

Module 6: Strategic Forecasting & Predictive Modeling

- Trend analysis and predictive modeling fundamentals
- Time-series forecasting and regression analysis
- Scenario planning for business decisions
- Using AI and ML for predictive insights
- **Case Study:** Sales forecasting for a consumer electronics brand

Module 7: Research-Driven Strategy Development

- Translating insights into actionable strategies
- Risk assessment and mitigation
- ROI and KPIs measurement frameworks
- Aligning research with organizational goals
- **Case Study:** Launch strategy for a new service in healthcare

Module 8: Reporting, Presentation & Communication

- Crafting professional research reports
- Data storytelling and insight visualization
- Executive presentations and stakeholder engagement
- Persuasive communication of findings
- **Case Study:** Research presentation to board members

Training Methodology

This course employs a participatory and hands-on approach to ensure practical learning, including:

- Interactive lectures and presentations.
- Group discussions and brainstorming sessions.
- Hands-on exercises using real-world datasets.
- Role-playing and scenario-based simulations.
- Analysis of case studies to bridge theory and practice.
- Peer-to-peer learning and networking.
- Expert-led Q&A sessions.
- Continuous feedback and personalized guidance.

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

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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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