Urban Displacement Response Planning Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

Course Introduction

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Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

1. Understand the dynamics of urban displacement and its socio-economic impacts.
2. Develop skills in urban vulnerability and risk mapping using digital tools.
3. Explore policy frameworks for displacement governance and sustainable urban planning.
4. Strengthen humanitarian-development-peace nexus interventions in urban contexts.
5. Learn strategies for community engagement and participatory planning.
6. Build capacity for climate resilience and adaptation in displacement settings.
7. Analyze gender, age, and diversity considerations in displacement response.
8. Enhance cross-sectoral coordination mechanisms for displacement response.
9. Apply data-driven approaches to urban humanitarian planning.
10. Design sustainable livelihood interventions for displaced populations.
11. Study lessons from global case studies of urban displacement.
12. Explore financing mechanisms for urban displacement management.
13. Develop strategic urban displacement response plans.

Organizational Benefits

1. Strengthened institutional capacity to address urban displacement.
2. Improved coordination with humanitarian and development partners.
3. Enhanced ability to design inclusive and sustainable urban policies.
4. Access to innovative tools and global best practices.
5. Increased staff competency in emergency and resilience planning.
6. Improved reputation as a leader in humanitarian response.
7. Effective integration of displaced populations into host cities.
8. Streamlined resource allocation and financial planning.
9. Enhanced monitoring, evaluation, and reporting systems.
10. Stronger engagement with international frameworks and networks.

Target Audiences

1. Government officials in urban planning and humanitarian response.
2. City and municipal authorities.
3. NGO and INGO program managers.
4. Humanitarian coordinators and response officers.
5. Urban planners and development specialists.
6. Researchers and policy analysts.
7. Donors and funding agencies.
8. Community leaders and civil society representatives.

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Urban Displacement

- Understanding urban displacement dynamics
- Global trends and challenges in urban displacement
- Humanitarian-development-peace nexus in urban areas
- Role of international frameworks in displacement response
- Case study: Syrian displacement in urban Turkey
- Practical group exercise on urban displacement mapping

Module 2: Urban Vulnerability and Risk Mapping

- Tools for vulnerability assessment in cities
- GIS and digital mapping techniques
- Climate risk and displacement scenarios
- Community-based risk assessments
- Case study: Risk mapping in Dhaka slums
- Hands-on session on participatory mapping

Module 3: Policy and Legal Frameworks

- International humanitarian law and urban displacement
- National policy frameworks for displacement
- Integration of displacement in urban master plans
- Role of municipal governance in displacement response
- Case study: Policy reforms in Colombia
- Group activity on policy gap analysis

Module 4: Humanitarian Coordination in Urban Settings

- Coordination between humanitarian and municipal actors
- Cluster approach in urban response
- Partnerships with NGOs and INGOs
- Role of private sector in displacement planning
- Case study: Coordination in Port-au-Prince earthquake response
- Simulation exercise on coordination mechanisms

Module 5: Community Engagement and Participation

- Participatory planning approaches
- Inclusion of marginalized groups in response planning
- Strengthening social cohesion in host communities
- Communication and feedback mechanisms
- Case study: Refugee engagement in Nairobi settlements
- Role-play on community consultations

Module 6: Climate Resilience in Urban Displacement

- Climate-induced displacement challenges
- Urban climate adaptation strategies
- Green infrastructure for resilience

- Sustainable housing for displaced populations
- Case study: Flood resilience in Jakarta
- Workshop on climate adaptation planning

Module 7: Livelihoods and Economic Integration

- Income-generation opportunities for displaced populations
- Private sector engagement for livelihoods
- Vocational training and entrepreneurship programs
- Social protection mechanisms
- Case study: Livelihood projects in Uganda
- Group project on designing livelihood interventions

Module 8: Strategic Urban Displacement Response Planning

- Components of strategic displacement plans
- Linking humanitarian response with urban development
- Monitoring and evaluation frameworks
- Financing mechanisms for displacement response
- Case study: Strategic planning in Lebanon
- Capstone exercise: Drafting a displacement response plan

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures and expert presentations
- Group discussions and participatory exercises
- Case study analysis from global urban contexts
- Simulation-based learning and role plays
- Practical use of digital tools and mapping software
- Peer-to-peer learning and networking sessions

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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