

Economic Drivers of International Migration Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Migration and Refugee	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. Analyze the core economic drivers of international migration.
2. Understand the role of wage differentials and labor markets in migration flows.
3. Examine the impact of globalization and trade policies on human mobility.
4. Assess how remittances support developing economies.
5. Explore push and pull factors in migration economics.
6. Investigate brain drain vs. brain gain impacts.
7. Study the role of multinational corporations in labor mobility.
8. Evaluate informal labor markets and migration networks.
9. Understand regional migration trends and economic integration.
10. Assess socio-economic challenges for migrants in host countries.
11. Develop policy recommendations for economic migration management.
12. Apply data-driven approaches to migration analysis.
13. Build strategic solutions for workforce development.

Organizational Benefits

- Gain insights into global labor mobility trends.
- Enhance policy planning and strategic migration frameworks.
- Improve cross-border workforce management.
- Strengthen global HR and recruitment strategies.
- Leverage remittance flows for financial inclusion.
- Support sustainable migration policies.
- Address talent shortages through migration analysis.
- Build resilient migration management systems.
- Enhance corporate social responsibility (CSR) in global labor.
- Foster international economic partnerships.

Target Audience

- Government policymakers
- International organization officials (UN, IOM, World Bank)
- Economists and migration researchers
- HR managers in multinational companies
- NGO and development sector professionals
- University faculty and students in migration/economics
- Business consultants on global labor trends
- Journalists and media professionals covering migration issues

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to International Migration

- Key concepts and definitions
- Economic vs. non-economic migration drivers
- Historical migration trends
- Modern globalization and human mobility
- Migration data and statistics overview
- **Case Study: Post-WWII European labor migration**

Module 2: Push and Pull Factors

- Economic hardship as a push factor
- Wage differentials as pull factors
- Social and political influences
- Role of family and community networks
- Comparative migration motivations
- **Case Study: Mexican migration to the U.S.**

Module 3: Labor Markets and Migration

- Labor shortages and surpluses
- Skilled vs. unskilled migration flows
- Seasonal and temporary labor mobility
- Labor market segmentation
- Recruitment practices of employers
- **Case Study: Migrant labor in Gulf countries**

Module 4: Globalization and Migration

- Impact of global trade agreements
- Role of multinational corporations
- Outsourcing and offshoring trends
- Free movement zones (EU, ASEAN, etc.)
- Technology and migration opportunities
- **Case Study: EU labor mobility post-Brexit**

Module 5: Remittances and Development

- Definition and flow of remittances
- Impact on poverty reduction
- Remittances and education/healthcare
- Informal remittance channels
- Risks of dependency on remittances
- **Case Study: Philippines' remittance economy**

Module 6: Brain Drain vs. Brain Gain

- Skilled migration dynamics
- Talent flight challenges
- Benefits of knowledge transfer
- Circular migration models
- Government strategies to retain talent
- **Case Study: India's IT professionals abroad**

Module 7: Migration and Informal Economies

- Informal labor participation
- Exploitation risks for migrants
- Wage suppression issues
- Social protection gaps
- Integration challenges
- **Case Study: Migrant domestic workers in Asia**

Module 8: Regional Migration Trends

- Intra-African migration
- Latin American migration patterns
- Asian labor flows
- Middle Eastern migration networks
- Regional economic integration zones
- **Case Study: ECOWAS free movement policy**

Module 9: Migration and Policy Frameworks

- Global migration governance
- National migration strategies
- Bilateral labor agreements
- Human rights frameworks
- Ethical recruitment practices
- **Case Study: Canada's points-based system**

Module 10: Economic Impacts on Host Countries

- Labor market contribution
- Fiscal impacts of migration
- Migrant entrepreneurship
- Job competition debates
- Social integration costs
- **Case Study: Migrants' role in Germany's economy**

Module 11: Economic Impacts on Sending Countries

- Loss of skilled labor
- Remittance dependence
- Diaspora investments
- Demographic challenges
- Return migration benefits
- **Case Study: Migration in Sub-Saharan Africa**

Module 12: Migration, Inequality, and Poverty

- Migration as a poverty reduction tool
- Inequality across borders
- Rural vs. urban migration flows
- Migration and gender issues
- Social inequality in host countries

- **Case Study: Rural-urban migration in China**

Module 13: Future Trends in Migration

- Climate change as an economic driver
- Technology-driven remote work migration
- Aging populations in developed nations
- South-South migration patterns
- Global demand for care workers
- **Case Study: Migration trends post-COVID-19**

Module 14: Data and Research Tools

- Migration statistics collection
- Data analysis techniques
- Global migration databases
- Predictive modeling tools
- Policy research applications
- **Case Study: World Bank Migration Data Portal**

Module 15: Strategic Migration Solutions

- Workforce development programs
- Migration management policies
- Global collaboration initiatives
- Ethical recruitment codes
- Sustainable economic planning
- **Case Study: IOM/ÇÖs Global Migration Data Analysis Centre**

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures with expert facilitators
- Group discussions and peer-to-peer learning
- Case study analysis with real-world data
- Role-play and simulation exercises
- Hands-on data interpretation workshops
- Policy development exercises and presentations

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

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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
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Online	\$2,000
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$3,000
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$0
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