

FAIR Data Principles Implementation 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

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:

1. Understand and explain the FAIR Data Principles and their global significance.
2. Implement metadata standards to enhance data findability.
3. Develop data management plans (DMPs) aligned with FAIR principles.
4. Apply persistent identifiers (PIDs) for reliable data referencing.
5. Ensure interoperability using standardized data formats and vocabularies.
6. Facilitate data accessibility while maintaining compliance and security.
7. Promote data reuse and reproducibility in research and business applications.
8. Integrate FAIR principles into cloud-based data platforms and infrastructures.
9. Evaluate FAIR compliance metrics and monitor organizational readiness.
10. Implement data stewardship frameworks for continuous improvement.
11. Leverage AI and machine learning for FAIR-enabled datasets.
12. Design cross-institutional and collaborative data-sharing strategies.
13. Apply case-study-driven problem-solving for FAIR data implementation.

Target Audience

1. Data Scientists
2. Research Data Managers
3. Academic Researchers
4. Data Governance Professionals
5. IT Managers and System Administrators
6. Policy Makers in Research and Technology
7. Health and Life Sciences Researchers
8. Business Intelligence and Analytics Professionals

Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to FAIR Data Principles

- Overview of Findable, Accessible, Interoperable, Reusable concepts
- Importance of FAIR in data-driven research and industry
- Global data standards and policies
- Case Study: FAIR adoption in a multinational research consortium
- FAIR vs Non-FAIR data management

Module 2: Metadata Standards and Best Practices

- Creating rich metadata for discoverability

- Metadata schemas: Dublin Core, DataCite, schema.org
- Automating metadata generation
- Case Study: FAIR metadata implementation in genomics datasets
- Mapping metadata for interoperability

Module 3: Persistent Identifiers (PIDs) and Data Citation

- Types of PIDs
- Importance of persistent identifiers for data reuse
- Implementing PID workflows in repositories
- Case Study: Persistent identifier adoption in academic publishing
- Assigning DOIs to sample datasets

Module 4: Data Management Plans (DMPs)

- Principles of effective data management planning
- DMPTool, DMPonline
- Aligning DMPs with FAIR principles
- Case Study: Funding agency DMP requirements
- Draft a FAIR-aligned DMP

Module 5: Ensuring Data Accessibility and Security

- Controlled access vs open access
- Legal, ethical, and compliance considerations
- Implementing secure repositories and APIs
- Case Study: Sensitive health data sharing under FAIR
- Setting access policies for datasets

Module 6: Interoperability and Standardization

- Standard data formats and vocabularies
- Semantic web and linked data technologies
- Data integration across platforms
- Case Study: Cross-institutional environmental data integration
- Convert datasets to interoperable formats

Module 7: Data Reuse and Reproducibility

- Benefits of reproducible data practices
- Licensing and attribution frameworks
- Tools for reusable data workflows
- Case Study: Reproducible AI experiments in FAIR datasets
- Create reusable datasets with proper documentation

Module 8: FAIR Implementation Roadmap and Case Studies

- Steps for organization-wide FAIR adoption
- Monitoring FAIR compliance and metrics
- Change management and stakeholder engagement
- Case Study: Institutional FAIR implementation roadmap
- Draft a FAIR implementation strategy

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
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Online	\$1,000

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21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$1,500
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
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