

Julia for Scientific Machine Learning (SciML) 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. Understand ethical challenges in AI-driven sensitive research
2. Implement Julia-based SciML models for confidential data
3. Apply data anonymization and privacy-preserving techniques
4. Explore explainable machine learning (XAI) in sensitive domains
5. Integrate differential privacy in scientific workflows
6. Build robust pipelines using Julia's SciML.jl ecosystem
7. Conduct bias and fairness audits in scientific ML
8. Master probabilistic modeling and Bayesian inference in Julia
9. Utilize Julia for real-time scientific simulations
10. Address data integrity and reproducibility in research pipelines
11. Design interpretable neural networks for transparency
12. Analyze case studies in mental health, policy, and bioethics
13. Employ secure federated learning techniques using Julia

Target Audiences

1. Academic Researchers in Sensitive Domains
2. Data Scientists in Healthcare & Social Sciences
3. Machine Learning Engineers in Ethical AI
4. Government & Policy Analysts
5. Nonprofit and NGO Research Analysts
6. Computational Scientists
7. Ethics Review Boards & Institutional Review Committees
8. Graduate Students in Data Ethics and Computational Research

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Julia and Scientific Machine Learning

- Overview of Julia for scientific computing
- Setting up SciML.jl and core packages
- Why Julia for sensitive topic modeling
- Benchmarking Julia vs. Python/R in SciML tasks
- Interfacing with Python/R for legacy code integration
- **Case Study:** Julia performance in mental health dataset simulation

Module 2: Ethical Foundations in Sensitive Topic Research

- Principles of responsible data science
- Informed consent and participant safety
- Legal frameworks: GDPR, HIPAA, IRBs
- Dealing with cultural sensitivity in AI modeling
- Integrating ethics in machine learning pipeline design
- **Case Study:** NLP analysis on suicide prevention support groups

Module 3: Handling Sensitive Data with Julia

- Techniques for data anonymization
- De-identification using Julia libraries
- Building privacy-aware data pipelines
- Safe storage and encrypted data access
- Balancing privacy vs. utility in research
- **Case Study:** Patient data anonymization in epidemiology

Module 4: Explainable & Interpretable Models

- Explainable AI (XAI) overview
- Interpretable deep learning in Julia
- Using SHAP & LIME in Julia workflows
- Local vs. global interpretability in sensitive contexts
- Human-centered AI modeling techniques
- **Case Study:** Sentiment model transparency in PTSD surveys

Module 5: Bias, Fairness & Accountability

- Bias detection in training data
- Auditing models for fairness
- Algorithmic transparency in decision making
- Julia tools for measuring bias metrics
- Ethical documentation and AI accountability
- **Case Study:** Racial bias analysis in healthcare predictions

Module 6: Probabilistic Modeling & Bayesian Methods

- Introduction to Turing.jl and probabilistic programming
- Bayesian inference for uncertainty quantification
- Modeling censored and missing data
- Real-world use cases in sensitive data modeling
- Interpreting posterior distributions ethically
- **Case Study:** Modeling trauma recovery outcomes with Bayesian methods

Module 7: Federated & Secure Learning with Julia

- Concepts in federated learning
- Using Julia for decentralized ML
- Privacy-preserving federated optimization
- Homomorphic encryption and secure aggregation
- Federated model validation in sensitive domains
- **Case Study:** Federated learning across mental health clinics

Module 8: Reproducibility & Scientific Integrity

- Reproducible pipelines with Pkg and Pluto.jl
- Version control for sensitive research projects
- Managing computational environments securely
- Documentation, metadata, and digital audit trails
- Ethical replication and pre-registration strategies
- **Case Study:** Replication of climate change impact study using Julia

Training Methodology

- Interactive coding sessions using **Pluto notebooks and SciML.jl**

- Case-based learning from **real-world research**
- Group discussions on **ethical dilemmas and data sensitivity**
- Hands-on labs with **secure, sandboxed Julia environments**
- Expert feedback and personalized project reviews

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

- The participant must be conversant with English.
- Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate
- Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.
- The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.
- One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.
- 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
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$1,500
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
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