

Radicalization and Violent Extremism Prevention Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Criminology	Duration	10 Days
Base Fee	\$3,000 USD	Delivery Mode	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

In today's interconnected world, the spread of radical ideologies and violent extremism poses serious threats to global peace, national security, and community safety. Training Course on Radicalization & Violent Extremism Prevention is designed to empower professionals with in-depth knowledge and practical tools to identify, assess, and counter radicalization processes across diverse platforms—both online and offline. Leveraging evidence-based strategies and real-world case studies, this training equips participants with the skills necessary to develop resilient communities, promote inclusive dialogue, and prevent the growth of extremist ideologies at their roots.

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Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

1. Understand the psychology behind radicalization and violent extremism.
2. Analyze the root causes and drivers of extremism in different sociopolitical contexts.
3. Identify early warning signs of radicalization at the individual and group levels.
4. Examine the role of online platforms and social media in spreading extremist ideologies.
5. Develop counter-narratives to discredit extremist propaganda.
6. Implement community-based interventions for at-risk individuals.
7. Foster multi-agency collaboration to enhance prevention strategies.
8. Strengthen resilience through education, youth empowerment, and mentorship.
9. Apply human rights principles in counter-extremism policies and practices.
10. Assess rehabilitation and reintegration models for former extremists.
11. Design effective communication strategies to promote peacebuilding.
12. Monitor and evaluate the impact of CVE (Countering Violent Extremism) programs.
13. Develop policy frameworks for national and local CVE implementation.

Target Audiences

1. Law Enforcement & Intelligence Officers
2. Social Workers & Community Organizers
3. Educators & School Administrators
4. Psychologists & Behavioral Analysts
5. Faith Leaders & Religious Counselors
6. NGO & Human Rights Advocates
7. Policy Makers & Government Officials
8. Journalists & Media Professionals

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Radicalization

- Definition and stages of radicalization
- Push and pull factors influencing extremism
- Pathways into violent extremism
- Role of identity and belonging
- Gendered perspectives on radicalization
- **Case Study: Radicalization of youth in Western Europe**

Module 2: Violent Extremist Ideologies

- Political, religious, and ethnic motivations
- Profiles of key extremist groups
- Extremism spectrum: far-left to far-right
- Hate speech and ideological indoctrination
- Intersection of ideology and violence
- **Case Study: The Christchurch shooter ideology**

Module 3: Behavioral Indicators and Risk Assessment

- Signs of radical behavior
- Threat assessment models (e.g., ERG 22+)
- Online behavior patterns
- Social isolation and radical identity
- Psychological vulnerabilities
- **Case Study: Behavioral profiling in lone wolf terrorism**

Module 4: Online Radicalization & Cyber Extremism

- Use of social media and encrypted apps
- Digital recruitment tactics
- Algorithmic radicalization
- Deep web and dark net involvement
- Countering extremist content online
- **Case Study: ISIS's digital recruitment strategy**

Module 5: Counter-Narratives and Strategic Communication

- Crafting effective counter-narratives
- Role of influencers and digital storytelling
- Cultural sensitivity in messaging
- Gamification and youth engagement
- Communicating trust and credibility
- **Case Study: #NotAnotherBrother campaign**

Module 6: Prevention through Education

- Curriculum design for CVE
- Promoting critical thinking and empathy
- Role of teachers and school policies
- Peer education and youth leaders
- Educational tools to challenge extremism
- **Case Study: Peace Education in Kenyan schools**

Module 7: Engaging Families and Communities

- Importance of parental guidance
- Community trust-building
- Grassroots intervention models
- Interfaith and intercultural dialogue
- Conflict mediation skills
- **Case Study: Mothers for Life (Germany)**

Module 8: Role of Law Enforcement in Prevention

- Policing strategies for early detection
- Community policing models
- Intelligence gathering and analysis
- Balancing enforcement with rights
- Police-community relationship building
- **Case Study: Prevent strategy in the UK**

Module 9: Role of Civil Society & NGOs

- Civil society's role in resilience-building

- Collaboration across sectors
- Advocacy and awareness campaigns
- Monitoring and evaluation by NGOs
- Funding and resource mobilization
- **Case Study: Hedayah – Global CVE organization**

Module 10: Rehabilitation & Reintegration

- Exit programs and deradicalization
- Psychological counseling approaches
- Vocational and educational support
- Community reacceptance challenges
- Post-release supervision
- **Case Study: Aarhus Model (Denmark)**

Module 11: Youth Empowerment Strategies

- Youth vulnerability vs. potential
- Positive role models and mentors
- Sports, art, and entrepreneurship programs
- Youth councils and peacebuilding platforms
- Digital literacy for extremism prevention
- **Case Study: Young Leaders for Peace (Nigeria)**

Module 12: Policy & Legal Frameworks

- International CVE policies and conventions
- Domestic laws on terrorism prevention
- Human rights and ethical considerations
- Accountability mechanisms
- Legal challenges and reforms
- **Case Study: U.S. CVE Framework & Patriot Act**

Module 13: Media, Framing, and Radicalization

- Sensationalism vs. responsible reporting
- Media framing of violence and religion
- Journalistic ethics in terrorism reporting
- Media literacy education
- Media partnerships in CVE
- **Case Study: Media response to 9/11 and its effects**

Module 14: Religion, Faith & Radical Beliefs

- Misuse of religious texts
- Role of faith leaders in countering extremism
- Interreligious collaboration
- Promoting peace in religious education
- Faith-based CVE initiatives
- **Case Study: Imam training in Indonesia**

Module 15: Monitoring, Evaluation & Impact Assessment

- Designing indicators for success
- Feedback loops for program improvement
- Data collection methods

- Adaptive learning in CVE projects
- Reporting and transparency
- **Case Study: Evaluation of CVE projects in Canada**

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures with visual aids and real-world examples
- Group discussions and community simulations
- Case study analysis and role-playing exercises
- Guest speakers from law enforcement, academia, and NGOs
- Pre- and post-assessment tools for progress tracking
- Digital resources and take-home toolkits

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