

Structural Modeling Software Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Architectural Engineering	Duration	5 Days
Base Fee	\$1,500 USD	Delivery Mode	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Master 3D Structural Modeling Techniques for complex engineering projects
2. Understand BIM (Building Information Modeling) integration workflows
3. Perform Finite Element Analysis (FEA) for structural validation
4. Apply load distribution and stress analysis in real-world structures
5. Develop expertise in seismic and wind load simulation modeling
6. Learn parametric design and automated structural modeling tools
7. Implement cloud-based collaboration in structural engineering projects
8. Gain proficiency in steel and reinforced concrete modeling systems
9. Optimize structures using AI-assisted design and optimization tools
10. Create LOD (Level of Development) compliant structural models
11. Integrate digital twin technology in construction modeling workflows
12. Enhance skills in clash detection and interdisciplinary coordination
13. Prepare for global certification in structural engineering software tools

Target Audience

1. Civil Engineers and Structural Engineers
2. Architecture Students and Professionals
3. BIM Modelers and BIM Coordinators
4. Construction Project Managers
5. Mechanical & Infrastructure Designers
6. Urban Planning and Development Engineers
7. CAD Technicians and Drafting Professionals
8. Fresh Graduates in Civil Engineering & Architecture

Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Structural Modeling Software

- Overview of structural engineering software ecosystem
- Interface navigation and project setup
- File management and project templates
- Basic modeling tools and workflows
- Industry applications in AEC sector
- **Case Study:** Residential building foundation modeling workflow using structural software standards.

Module 2: 3D Structural Modeling Fundamentals

- Creating beams, columns, slabs, and foundations
- Grid systems and structural alignment techniques
- Parametric modeling principles
- Material assignment and property definition

- Structural detailing basics
- **Case Study:** Mid-rise commercial building 3D structural frame modeling.

Module 3: Load Analysis & Structural Behavior

- Dead, live, wind, and seismic load application
- Load combination strategies
- Structural response interpretation
- Stress and deformation analysis
- Safety factor implementation
- **Case Study:** High-rise tower wind load resistance analysis.

Module 4: Finite Element Analysis (FEA)

- Mesh generation techniques
- Boundary conditions setup
- Stress-strain analysis fundamentals
- Non-linear structural behavior simulation
- Result validation and optimization
- **Case Study:** Bridge structural stress simulation under dynamic load.

Module 5: BIM Integration for Structural Engineering

- Linking structural models with BIM platforms
- Interdisciplinary coordination workflows
- Clash detection and resolution
- Data exchange formats (IFC, DWG)
- Collaborative design environment setup
- **Case Study:** Hospital infrastructure BIM coordination project.

Module 6: Steel & RCC Structural Design

- Steel connection detailing
- Reinforced concrete design principles
- Rebar modeling and scheduling
- Code compliance (Eurocode/ACI/IS standards)
- Structural detailing drawings generation
- **Case Study:** Industrial warehouse steel frame optimization.

Module 7: Advanced Simulation & Optimization

- Earthquake-resistant design modeling
- Wind tunnel simulation integration
- Structural optimization techniques
- AI-assisted design improvements
- Performance-based engineering analysis
- **Case Study:** Earthquake-resistant smart city building model.

Module 8: Digital Twin & Cloud-Based Collaboration

- Digital twin creation for infrastructure
- Real-time structural monitoring integration

- Cloud-based collaboration tools
- Lifecycle management of structures
- Smart construction data analytics
- **Case Study:** Smart bridge monitoring using digital twin technology.

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

- 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
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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
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$0
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