

Training Course on Fundamentals of Marketing

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

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Course Objectives

1. Understand the core concepts and principles of **marketing fundamentals**.
2. Analyze and apply the elements of the **marketing mix (4Ps/7Ps)** effectively.
3. Gain insights into **consumer behavior** and the decision-making process.
4. Master the techniques of **market segmentation**, targeting, and positioning.
5. Develop comprehensive and actionable **marketing plans**.
6. Learn to create and execute successful **marketing campaigns** across various channels.
7. Understand the principles and implementation of **digital marketing strategies**.
8. Explore the power of **social media marketing** for brand building and engagement.
9. Develop compelling **content marketing** strategies to attract and retain customers.
10. Understand the basics of **search engine optimization (SEO)** for online visibility.
11. Conduct effective **market research** to inform marketing decisions.
12. Analyze and interpret **marketing analytics** to measure campaign performance.
13. Develop a strong understanding of **branding** and its strategic importance.

Organizational Benefits

- Enhanced employee skills and knowledge in fundamental marketing principles.
- Improved ability to develop and implement effective marketing strategies.
- Increased marketing campaign efficiency and return on investment.
- Better understanding of target markets and customer needs.
- Stronger brand building and improved brand equity.
- Enhanced ability to leverage digital marketing channels for growth.
- Data-driven marketing decision-making capabilities.
- Increased competitive advantage in the marketplace.

Target Participants

1. Marketing Executives and Assistants
2. Sales Professionals seeking a marketing foundation
3. Small Business Owners and Entrepreneurs
4. Career Changers interested in marketing
5. Recent Graduates in business-related fields
6. Customer Service Representatives
7. Public Relations and Communications Specialists
8. Anyone interested in understanding the principles of marketing

Course Outline

Module 1: Introduction to Marketing Fundamentals

- Defining marketing and its role in organizations.
- Understanding the evolution of marketing concepts.
- Exploring different types of marketing.
- The importance of customer relationships and value creation.
- Overview of the marketing environment and its influences.

Module 2: Understanding the Marketing Mix

- The traditional 4Ps of Marketing: Product, Price, Place, Promotion.
- Expanding to the 7Ps for service industries: People, Process, Physical Evidence.
- Strategies for effective product development and management.
- Pricing strategies and considerations.
- Distribution channels and supply chain management.

Module 3: Decoding Consumer Behavior

- Understanding the consumer decision-making process.
- Factors influencing consumer behavior (cultural, social, psychological, personal).
- Identifying different types of buying behavior.
- The role of motivation, perception, learning, and attitudes in consumer choices.
- Analyzing consumer needs and wants.

Module 4: Market Segmentation, Targeting, and Positioning

- The importance and benefits of market segmentation.
- Different bases for market segmentation (demographic, geographic, psychographic, behavioral).
- Evaluating market segments and selecting target markets.
- Developing effective positioning strategies.
- Creating a unique selling proposition (USP).

Module 5: Developing Effective Marketing Plans

- The structure and components of a marketing plan.
- Conducting a situation analysis (SWOT, PESTEL).
- Setting marketing objectives and goals.
- Developing marketing strategies and tactics.
- Budgeting and resource allocation for marketing activities.

Module 6: Mastering Digital Marketing Strategies

- Introduction to the digital marketing landscape.
- Search Engine Marketing (SEM) and Pay-Per-Click (PPC) advertising.
- Email marketing and customer relationship management (CRM).
- Mobile marketing and its growing importance.
- Understanding website analytics and performance tracking.

Module 7: Leveraging Social Media and Content Marketing

- Developing a social media marketing strategy.

- Building and engaging with online communities.
- Creating and distributing valuable content (blogs, videos, infographics).
- Social media advertising and analytics.
- Measuring the ROI of social media and content marketing efforts.

Module 8: Measuring and Analyzing Marketing Performance

- Identifying key marketing metrics and KPIs.
- Using marketing analytics tools and techniques.
- Measuring the effectiveness of marketing campaigns.
- Calculating Return on Marketing Investment (ROMI).
- Making data-driven decisions for continuous improvement.

Training Methodology

This course will employ a blended learning approach incorporating:

- Interactive lectures and presentations
- Case studies and real-world examples
- Group discussions and brainstorming sessions
- Practical exercises and activities
- Q&A sessions and feedback opportunities

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
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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