Accounting Policies & Estimates Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	ACCOUNTING & FINANCE	**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 training course, participants will be able to:

1. Understand the strategic role of accounting policies in financial reporting and corporate governance.
2. Apply IFRS standards effectively in preparing compliant financial statements.
3. Evaluate accounting estimates and judgments using risk-based analytical techniques.
4. Develop robust accounting policy frameworks aligned with global financial standards.
5. Analyze estimation uncertainty and its impact on financial performance indicators.
6. Improve financial transparency through enhanced disclosure and reporting practices.
7. Strengthen audit readiness and internal financial control mechanisms.
8. Assess fair value measurements and impairment testing methodologies.
9. Implement best practices in revenue recognition and lease accounting.
10. Identify financial reporting risks associated with accounting assumptions and estimates.
11. Enhance decision-making using advanced financial analysis and reporting tools.
12. Support ESG reporting integration within financial reporting structures.
13. Improve compliance, accountability, and stakeholder confidence through accurate reporting.

Organizational Benefits

- Improved financial reporting accuracy and consistency.
- Enhanced compliance with IFRS and regulatory requirements.
- Strengthened internal controls and governance practices.
- Reduced financial reporting risks and audit findings.
- Increased investor and stakeholder confidence.
- Better decision-making through reliable financial information.
- Improved efficiency in accounting and reporting processes.
- Enhanced capability to manage complex accounting estimates.
- Stronger financial risk assessment and mitigation strategies.
- Increased organizational transparency and accountability.

Target Audiences

1. Finance Managers
2. Accountants and Senior Accountants
3. Financial Controllers
4. Internal and External Auditors
5. Chief Financial Officers (CFOs)
6. Compliance and Risk Management Professionals
7. Financial Analysts and Reporting Officers
8. Corporate Governance Professionals

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Course Modules

Module 1: Fundamentals of Accounting Policies and Financial Reporting

- Principles and objectives of accounting policies
- IFRS framework and financial reporting standards
- Accounting policy selection and consistency requirements
- Financial statement presentation best practices
- Regulatory compliance and disclosure obligations
- Global Case Study: IFRS adoption challenges in multinational corporations

Module 2: Accounting Estimates and Professional Judgment

- Nature and purpose of accounting estimates
- Key estimation techniques and methodologies
- Managing uncertainty in financial reporting
- Materiality assessment and professional judgment
- Documentation and audit evidence requirements
- Global Case Study: Estimation errors and financial restatements in global firms

Module 3: Revenue Recognition and Lease Accounting

- IFRS 15 revenue recognition principles
- Identifying performance obligations and contract terms
- Lease accounting under IFRS 16
- Financial impact of lease classification decisions
- Disclosure and reporting requirements
- Global Case Study: Revenue recognition failures in international companies

Module 4: Fair Value Measurement and Asset Impairment

- Fair value hierarchy and valuation techniques
- Impairment indicators and testing procedures
- Cash-generating units and recoverable amount analysis
- Market-based and income-based valuation methods
- Reporting and disclosure considerations
- Global Case Study: Asset impairment challenges during economic downturns

Module 5: Financial Statement Disclosures and Transparency

- Disclosure requirements under IFRS standards
- Enhancing transparency in corporate reporting
- Related party disclosures and risk reporting
- Accounting changes and error corrections
- Digital reporting and financial communication trends
- Global Case Study: Corporate disclosure failures and investor reactions

Module 6: Internal Controls, Audit Readiness, and Compliance

- Internal control systems for financial reporting
- Audit planning and readiness strategies
- Fraud risk assessment and mitigation techniques
- Compliance monitoring and governance practices
- Documentation standards and audit trails
- Global Case Study: Internal control weaknesses in multinational organizations

Module 7: ESG Reporting and Emerging Accounting Trends

- ESG reporting frameworks and sustainability disclosures
- Integration of ESG metrics into financial reporting
- Digital finance transformation and automation
- Artificial intelligence in accounting analytics
- Emerging regulatory developments and compliance trends
- Global Case Study: ESG reporting practices in global listed companies

Module 8: Strategic Financial Analysis and Decision-Making

- Financial ratio analysis and performance evaluation
- Scenario analysis and forecasting techniques
- Risk assessment in accounting estimates
- Strategic budgeting and financial planning
- Data-driven financial decision-making tools
- Global Case Study: Strategic accounting decisions during financial crises

Training Methodology

- Interactive instructor-led presentations and discussions
- Practical workshops and accounting simulations
- Real-world financial reporting case studies
- Group exercises and collaborative learning activities
- IFRS-based problem-solving sessions
- Financial statement analysis and interpretation exercises
- Scenario planning and risk assessment activities
- Audit and compliance review simulations
- Q&A sessions and peer knowledge sharing
- Action planning for workplace implementation

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

07 Sep 2026	11 Sep 2026	Physical	$1,500
14 Sep 2026	18 Sep 2026	Physical	$1,500
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	$1,500
28 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	$1,500
05 Oct 2026	09 Oct 2026	Physical	$1,500
12 Oct 2026	16 Oct 2026	Physical	$1,500
19 Oct 2026	23 Oct 2026	Physical	$1,500
26 Oct 2026	30 Oct 2026	Physical	$1,500

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