Climate Finance for Developing Economies Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Environmental Management and Conservation	**Duration**	5 Days
Base Fee	$1,500 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Unlock public and private finance for climate action.
2. Master access to the Green Climate Fund (GCF) and Global Environment Facility (GEF).
3. Integrate climate risk analysis and physical risk into investment decisions.
4. Design and finance bankable climate projects in developing economies.
5. Utilize innovative blended finance mechanisms to de-risk investments.
6. Align financial strategies with national climate targets and Nationally Determined Contributions.
7. Screen for sustainable investments and ESG factors (Environmental, Social, and Governance).
8. Explore opportunities in carbon pricing and carbon markets.
9. Structure and issue green bonds and other thematic financial instruments.
10. Evaluate the impact of climate policy and regulatory frameworks on finance flows.
11. Integrate climate-sensitive budgeting into public financial management.
12. Finance climate adaptation and resilience-building initiatives.
13. Support financing mechanisms that ensure a just and equitable transition.

Organizational Benefits

- Develop a team with specialized skills in the **rapidly evolving field of climate finance**.
- Gain a competitive edge by proactively integrating **climate risks and opportunities** into business strategies and investment portfolios.
- Position your organization to successfully access and manage a wide range of global and local **climate finance sources**.
- Strengthen institutional capacity to identify, assess, and manage **climate-related financial risks**.
- Enhance your organization?ÇÖs reputation as a leader in **sustainable development** and **corporate social responsibility**.
- Ensure compliance with emerging **climate-related disclosure standards** and regulations.
- Foster an environment of **innovation** by identifying and investing in new **green technologies** and business models.

Target Audiences

1. Government Officials.
2. Development Practitioners.

3. Finance Professionals.
4. Project Developers.
5. Corporate Sustainability Leaders.
6. Academic Researchers.
7. Civil Society Representatives.
8. Entrepreneurs.

Course Modules

Module 1: Foundational Concepts of Climate Change & Sustainable Development

- The science and impacts of climate change on developing economies.
- Understanding the Paris Agreement, UNFCCC, and global climate governance.
- Introduction to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and their link to climate action.
- The business case for sustainability and the role of finance.
- **Case Study**: The economic impact of climate-induced disasters on small island developing states (SIDS) and the need for dedicated finance.

Module 2: The Global Climate Finance Architecture

- Mapping public climate funds (e.g., GCF, GEF, Adaptation Fund).
- Analyzing bilateral and multilateral climate finance flows.
- Mechanisms for accessing international climate funds.
- The role of Multilateral Development Banks (MDBs).
- **Case Study**: The process of a country, like Senegal, successfully accessing GCF funding for a specific project.

Module 3: Public Finance and Policy for Climate Action

- Integrating climate objectives into national budgets and public financial management.
- Implementing climate budgeting and tracking systems.
- Fiscal policy tools for climate action.
- Developing and financing Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs).
- **Case Study**: The implementation of a climate-responsive budget in a country like Indonesia, focusing on a specific sector.

Module 4: Private Sector Engagement and Blended Finance

- Strategies for mobilizing private sector capital for climate projects.
- The concept and application of blended finance and de-risking instruments.
- Structuring Public-Private Partnerships (PPPs) for green infrastructure.
- Investment frameworks: Sustainable bonds, green loans, and impact investing.
- **Case Study**: The use of a **blended finance** facility to fund a renewable energy project in a developing economy, such as a solar farm in Ghana.

Module 5: Innovative Climate Finance Instruments

- Introduction to green bonds, sustainability bonds, and social bonds.
- Exploring carbon markets, carbon credits, and carbon pricing mechanisms.
- Financing nature-based solutions and conservation projects.
- The role of fintech and blockchain in climate finance.

- **Case Study**: The issuance of a sovereign **green bond** by a country like Egypt to fund climate-friendly projects.

Module 6: Project Development and Investment Analysis

- Identifying and evaluating **bankable climate projects**.
- Conducting **climate risk assessments** and financial modeling.
- Structuring project finance deals for renewable energy and adaptation projects.
- Due diligence and **environmental, social, and governance (ESG)** criteria.
- **Case Study**: A feasibility study of a waste-to-energy project in a fast-growing city in India, analyzing its financial viability and climate benefits.

Module 7: Financing Climate Adaptation and Resilience

- The financial case for **climate adaptation** and resilience-building.
- Financing **disaster risk reduction** and loss and damage.
- Innovative financing mechanisms for climate resilience, such as insurance and risk-sharing facilities.
- The intersection of **climate finance and food security**.
- **Case Study**: A program in Ethiopia that uses a public safety net program to enhance the climate resilience of smallholder farmers.

Module 8: Monitoring, Reporting, and Evaluation (MRV)

- Developing robust **MRV systems** for climate finance projects.
- Aligning with international reporting standards and frameworks.
- The importance of **transparency** and **accountability** in climate finance.
- Measuring and reporting on **climate co-benefits**.
- **Case Study**: A review of an international climate project's MRV system, highlighting successes and areas for improvement in a country like Lesotho.

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.

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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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