

Dashboards for Project Performance Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

Course Introduction

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This course emphasizes the strategic importance of dashboards in project management, aligning project objectives with organizational goals and improving overall performance tracking. Participants will explore a variety of dashboard formats, performance indicators, and visualization techniques tailored for diverse project environments. By mastering these skills, professionals will be able to present complex project data effectively, support timely decision-making, and contribute to the success of their projects and organizations. The training combines theoretical knowledge with practical exercises, case studies, and real-world examples to ensure participants leave with immediately applicable skills.

Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

1. Develop comprehensive understanding of project performance dashboards
2. Master key performance indicators (KPIs) for project tracking
3. Analyze project data for actionable insights
4. Design interactive dashboards using modern tools
5. Apply data visualization principles for effective reporting
6. Monitor project timelines, costs, and quality metrics
7. Integrate dashboards with project management software
8. Use predictive analytics for performance forecasting
9. Enhance stakeholder communication through dashboards
10. Implement automated reporting for continuous updates
11. Evaluate the impact of dashboards on project outcomes
12. Align dashboards with organizational strategic objectives
13. Troubleshoot and optimize dashboard performance

Organizational Benefits

- Enhanced decision-making capabilities
- Improved project transparency
- Faster identification of risks and bottlenecks
- Increased accountability across teams
- Streamlined reporting processes
- Optimized resource allocation
- Better alignment with organizational goals

- Enhanced stakeholder confidence
- Reduced project delays and overruns
- Data-driven performance improvement

Target Audiences

1. Project managers
2. Program managers
3. Portfolio managers
4. PMO staff
5. Business analysts
6. Data analysts
7. Team leads
8. Senior executives

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Project Dashboards

- Understanding dashboards and their importance
- Types of project dashboards
- Key components of effective dashboards
- Role of dashboards in decision-making
- Overview of dashboard software
- Case study: Dashboard implementation in a software development project

Module 2: Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) for Projects

- Defining project KPIs
- Selecting relevant metrics
- Linking KPIs to organizational goals
- Measuring and tracking performance
- Dashboard KPI visualization techniques
- Case study: KPI-driven project monitoring in construction

Module 3: Data Collection and Management

- Data sources for project dashboards
- Ensuring data accuracy and consistency
- Methods of data aggregation
- Data integration from multiple systems
- Data cleaning techniques for dashboards
- Case study: Multi-source data integration for IT projects

Module 4: Data Visualization Principles

- Best practices in visual design
- Choosing the right chart types
- Color theory and readability
- Interactive dashboards and user experience
- Avoiding common visualization mistakes
- Case study: Visualizing project timelines in manufacturing

Module 5: Dashboard Design and Development

- Layout planning and design principles
- Selecting appropriate visualization tools
- Customizing dashboards for user roles
- Creating dynamic and interactive elements
- Dashboard prototyping and testing
- Case study: Dashboard design for a marketing campaign

Module 6: Integration with Project Management Tools

- Connecting dashboards with PM software
- Automating data updates
- Real-time reporting capabilities
- Workflow integration and alerts
- Access control and user management
- Case study: Integration with MS Project and Jira

Module 7: Advanced Analytics and Forecasting

- Predictive analytics for project outcomes

- Trend analysis and scenario planning
- Risk prediction and mitigation
- Performance forecasting with dashboards
- Using machine learning insights in dashboards
- Case study: Forecasting project completion in IT projects

Module 8: Dashboard Implementation Strategies

- Change management for dashboard adoption
- Training end-users
- Rollout strategies and phases
- Measuring adoption and success
- Continuous improvement of dashboards
- Case study: Organizational adoption of dashboards

Module 9: Monitoring and Reporting

- Automated reporting setup
- Tracking project milestones
- Performance review dashboards
- Exception reporting and alerts
- Real-time stakeholder updates
- Case study: Weekly project reporting in a multinational firm

Module 10: Troubleshooting and Optimization

- Common dashboard issues and fixes
- Improving performance and speed
- Data validation and integrity checks
- User feedback and iterations
- Maintaining dashboard security
- Case study: Optimizing dashboards in a finance project

Module 11: Strategic Dashboard Use

- Aligning dashboards with corporate strategy
- Dashboard-driven decision-making

- Portfolio-level dashboard analysis
- Using dashboards to influence executive decisions
- Measuring strategic impact of dashboards
- Case study: Executive-level dashboard adoption

Module 12: Dashboard Governance and Compliance

- Policies for dashboard management
- Compliance with organizational standards
- Data privacy and security considerations
- Documentation and audit trails
- Roles and responsibilities for governance
- Case study: Compliance dashboards in healthcare

Module 13: Case Study: Comprehensive Project Dashboard

- Integrating multiple modules in a single dashboard
- Hands-on dashboard creation
- KPI selection and visualization
- Performance tracking simulation
- Presenting dashboards to stakeholders
- Case study: End-to-end dashboard implementation

Module 14: Dashboard Reporting for Stakeholders

- Custom reports for executives and teams
- Tailoring visualizations to audience needs
- Storytelling with dashboard data
- Reporting frequency and format
- Enhancing stakeholder engagement
- Case study: Stakeholder-focused reporting

Module 15: Future Trends in Project Dashboards

- AI-driven dashboards
- Mobile dashboards for remote teams
- Emerging visualization technologies

- Continuous innovation in dashboards
- Predictive and prescriptive analytics integration
- Case study: Next-generation dashboards in enterprise projects

Training Methodology

- Interactive instructor-led sessions
- Hands-on dashboard development exercises
- Real-world project case studies
- Group discussions and peer learning
- Scenario-based simulations
- Step-by-step tool demonstrations

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
07 Sep 2026	18 Sep 2026	Physical	\$3,000

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14 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Physical	\$3,000
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Physical	\$3,000
28 Sep 2026	09 Oct 2026	Physical	\$3,000
05 Oct 2026	16 Oct 2026	Physical	\$3,000
12 Oct 2026	23 Oct 2026	Physical	\$3,000
19 Oct 2026	30 Oct 2026	Physical	\$3,000
26 Oct 2026	06 Nov 2026	Physical	\$3,000

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