Public Financial Management (PFM) for Achieving Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Public Financial Management & Budgeting	**Duration**	5 Days
Base Fee	$1,500 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

1. Understand the fundamentals of Public Financial Management (PFM) in the context of SDGs.
2. Analyze the role of budgeting and fiscal policies in achieving sustainable development.
3. Apply performance-based budgeting to enhance public sector efficiency.
4. Utilize financial reporting and audit mechanisms for transparency.
5. Integrate risk management strategies in public financial planning.
6. Link resource mobilization and allocation to SDG priorities.
7. Strengthen public accountability and governance frameworks.
8. Implement data-driven decision-making in fiscal management.
9. Explore innovative financing models for SDG initiatives.
10. Enhance monitoring and evaluation practices for public projects.
11. Foster stakeholder engagement and participatory budgeting.
12. Develop strategies for sustainable fiscal policies under economic constraints.
13. Conduct case-based analysis to identify best practices in PFM for SDG achievement.

Target Audiences

1. Government financial officers
2. Policy makers and planners
3. Public sector auditors
4. Development partners and consultants
5. NGO finance managers
6. Local government administrators
7. Budget analysts and economists
8. Financial management trainers

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Public Financial Management and SDGs

- Overview of PFM systems and frameworks
- Linkages between PFM and SDG implementation
- Key principles of fiscal responsibility
- Understanding global best practices
- Case Study: Country-level PFM reforms driving SDG success
- Interactive discussion

Module 2: Budgeting for Sustainable Development

- Strategic planning and budget alignment with SDGs
- Performance-based budgeting techniques
- Resource allocation efficiency
- Fiscal policy tools for sustainable outcomes
- Case Study: Budget reforms in Africa improving SDG indicators
- Group exercise

Module 3: Financial Reporting and Transparency

- Principles of public sector accounting
- Audit and compliance mechanisms
- Financial disclosure and transparency
- Strengthening reporting standards
- Case Study: Successful transparency initiatives in public finance
- Practical exercise

Module 4: Risk Management in PFM

- Identifying financial and operational risks
- Risk assessment frameworks
- Mitigation strategies in public finance
- Integrating risk management in policy planning
- Case Study: Risk reduction strategies in national budgets
- Scenario-based exercise

Module 5: Resource Mobilization and Allocation

- Revenue generation strategies
- Efficient resource allocation models
- Funding for SDG-related projects
- Public-private partnerships (PPPs) in financing
- Case Study: Innovative funding for SDG projects
- Group activity

Module 6: Monitoring, Evaluation, and Impact Assessment

- Designing M&E frameworks for public finance
- Tracking SDG-related outcomes
- Data collection and analysis methods
- Reporting and corrective action
- Case Study: Using M&E to improve SDG outcomes
- Practical exercise

Module 7: Governance and Stakeholder Engagement

- Strengthening governance structures
- Enhancing participatory budgeting
- Accountability mechanisms
- Public engagement and feedback loops
- Case Study: Citizen-driven accountability improving financial outcomes

- Role-play exercise

Module 8: Innovative Practices in PFM for SDGs

- Leveraging technology in financial management
- Digital tools for transparency and reporting
- Integrating sustainable practices in PFM
- Policy innovation for fiscal sustainability
- Case Study: Smart PFM solutions in emerging economies
- Group discussion

Training Methodology

- Interactive lectures and presentations
- Case study analysis for practical learning
- Group exercises and role-plays
- Scenario-based simulations
- Hands-on practical exercises using financial tools
- Continuous feedback and peer review

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	Online	$1,100
14 Sep 2026	18 Sep 2026	Online	$1,100
21 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Online	$1,100
28 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Online	$1,100
05 Oct 2026	09 Oct 2026	Online	$1,100
12 Oct 2026	16 Oct 2026	Online	$1,100
19 Oct 2026	23 Oct 2026	Online	$1,100
26 Oct 2026	30 Oct 2026	Online	$1,100

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