

Reward Benchmarking Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Understand the fundamentals of reward benchmarking in modern HR strategy.
2. Analyze market-based compensation trends to ensure competitive pay structures.
3. Design total rewards programs that enhance employee engagement.
4. Apply internal equity analysis to maintain fair and consistent pay practices.
5. Utilize salary surveys and benchmarking tools effectively.
6. Develop performance-linked incentive plans to drive productivity.
7. Integrate data-driven compensation strategies into HR planning.
8. Evaluate executive and managerial compensation trends.
9. Implement reward analytics for strategic decision-making.
10. Align employee value propositions (EVP) with organizational goals.
11. Apply pay-for-performance models across roles and functions.
12. Create competitive benefits packages to attract and retain talent.
13. Build a culture of recognition and motivation through innovative rewards.

Target Audience

1. HR Managers and Leaders
2. Compensation and Benefits Specialists
3. Talent Acquisition and Retention Professionals
4. Organizational Development Practitioners
5. Payroll and HR Analytics Professionals
6. Line Managers involved in Performance Appraisal
7. Business Leaders and Department Heads
8. HR Consultants and Advisory Professionals

Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Reward Benchmarking

- Overview of reward benchmarking concepts
- Importance of competitive pay in talent management

- Key metrics for market comparison
- Understanding **total rewards frameworks**
- Case Study: Benchmarking compensation in a multinational IT firm

Module 2: Market Analysis & Salary Surveys

- Collecting reliable market data
- Identifying relevant salary surveys
- Analyzing compensation trends across industries
- Tools for data visualization and reporting
- Case Study: Salary survey application in the healthcare sector

Module 3: Internal Equity & Pay Structure Design

- Evaluating job roles and responsibilities
- Conducting internal equity audits
- Designing **graded pay structures**
- Ensuring compliance and transparency
- Case Study: Pay equity audit in a mid-size manufacturing company

Module 4: Performance-Based Rewards & Incentives

- Linking compensation to performance metrics
- Designing incentive plans for various levels
- Recognizing high performers effectively
- Balancing short-term vs long-term rewards
- Case Study: Implementing performance bonuses in a retail chain

Module 5: Total Rewards Strategy & EVP

- Integrating benefits, perks, and recognition
- Aligning EVP with compensation strategy
- Customizing rewards for diverse workforce
- Measuring impact of total rewards programs
- Case Study: Total rewards optimization in a tech startup

Module 6: Data Analytics for Reward Decisions

- Using HR analytics for pay benchmarking
- Predictive modeling for compensation planning
- Visualizing trends for leadership reporting
- Making data-driven reward recommendations
- Case Study: Compensation analytics in a financial services firm

Module 7: Legal & Compliance Considerations

- Labor laws affecting compensation
- Regulatory reporting requirements
- Mitigating pay discrimination risks
- Global compliance for multinational organizations
- Case Study: Compliance review for a global retail chain

Module 8: Implementation, Communication & Change Management

- Developing a rollout plan for new rewards strategy
- Communicating pay changes to employees
- Addressing resistance and building acceptance
- Continuous monitoring and improvement
- Case Study: Implementing a new reward framework in a public sector organization

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.

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 commencement 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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