

Training Course on Leading Innovation and Organizational Transformation

Professional Development Training Course Outline

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

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Understand the principles of innovation leadership in the digital age.
2. Cultivate a culture of creativity and continuous improvement.
3. Apply design thinking and agile methodologies to drive innovation.
4. Identify and leverage emerging technologies for transformation.
5. Implement strategic change management frameworks.
6. Develop and communicate a compelling transformation vision.
7. Build high-performing, cross-functional innovation teams.
8. Use data-driven insights to guide innovation initiatives.
9. Enhance organizational agility and resilience.
10. Align innovation with customer-centric strategies.
11. Evaluate the ROI of innovation and transformation efforts.
12. Navigate digital disruption and market shifts.
13. Empower employees through transformational leadership techniques.

Target Audience

1. Chief Innovation Officers (CIOs)
2. Senior Executives and Managers
3. Entrepreneurs and Startup Founders
4. Product Managers and R&D Leaders
5. Organizational Development Professionals
6. HR and Change Management Consultants
7. Business Analysts and Strategists
8. Government and Nonprofit Leaders

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Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Innovation and Transformation

- Define innovation vs transformation
- Understand the innovation lifecycle
- Explore types of organizational transformation
- Key drivers of change in today's business
- Innovation impact on competitive advantage
- **Case Study:** Netflix – From DVD to Streaming Giant

Module 2: Building a Culture of Innovation

- Characteristics of innovative cultures
- Creating psychological safety for creativity
- Encouraging experimentation and idea-sharing
- Recognizing and rewarding innovation
- Managing resistance to cultural change
- **Case Study:** Google's 20% Time Innovation Culture

Module 3: Innovation Leadership & Mindset

- Traits of innovative leaders
- Cultivating a growth mindset in teams
- Storytelling for influence and inspiration
- Leading through uncertainty and disruption
- Coaching teams through change
- **Case Study:** Elon Musk and Transformational Leadership at Tesla

Module 4: Design Thinking for Innovation

- Overview of the design thinking process
- Empathizing with the end user
- Ideation and prototyping techniques
- Testing and iterative learning
- Embedding empathy in innovation
- **Case Study:** IDEO and Human-Centered Design in Healthcare

Module 5: Agile Transformation Frameworks

- Agile principles and values
- Scrum, SAFe, and Kanban for transformation
- Roles and responsibilities in agile teams
- Agile metrics and KPIs
- Scaling agile across the organization
- **Case Study:** Spotify's Agile Squad Model

Module 6: Digital Transformation Strategies

- The digital maturity curve
- Cloud, AI, IoT, and automation trends
- Data-driven decision-making
- Digital customer experience
- Innovation with emerging tech
- **Case Study:** GE's Industrial Internet of Things (IIoT) Shift

Module 7: Change Management Essentials

- Understanding the change curve
- Stakeholder engagement planning
- Communication plans and messaging
- Change readiness assessments
- Overcoming resistance to change
- **Case Study:** Kotter's 8-Step Change at British Airways

Module 8: Strategic Foresight and Future Trends

- Environmental scanning and trend spotting
- Scenario planning techniques
- Technology adoption lifecycle
- Anticipating disruption and market shifts
- Strategic innovation portfolio
- **Case Study:** Shell's Use of Scenario Planning

Module 9: Leading Cross-Functional Teams

- Team dynamics and collaboration tools

- Conflict resolution in innovation teams
- Role clarity and accountability
- Managing remote and hybrid teams
- Diversity and inclusion for innovation
- **Case Study:** Pixar's Braintrust and Creative Team Synergy

Module 10: Innovation Metrics and ROI

- Defining innovation KPIs
- Balancing short-term and long-term ROI
- Innovation accounting principles
- Measuring customer impact
- Reporting and storytelling with data
- **Case Study:** 3M's Innovation Pipeline and Performance

Module 11: Organizational Agility

- What makes an organization agile
- Agile leadership competencies
- Structures that enable rapid response
- Lean principles in decision-making
- Empowering frontline innovation
- **Case Study:** Zara's Fast Fashion Supply Chain Agility

Module 12: Customer-Centric Innovation

- Voice of the customer techniques
- Co-creation and crowdsourcing ideas
- User journey mapping
- Customer feedback loops
- Design for extreme users
- **Case Study:** Airbnb's User Experience-Driven Innovation

Module 13: Overcoming Innovation Barriers

- Identifying internal roadblocks
- Breaking down silos
- Creating innovation governance
- Time management for innovation
- Budgeting and resource allocation
- **Case Study:** IBM's Transformation from Hardware to Services

Module 14: Innovation Communication & Influence

- Communicating innovation vision
- Influencing stakeholders and boards
- Storytelling with impact
- Visual communication tools
- Creating innovation narratives
- **Case Study:** Apple's Product Launch Strategy

Module 15: Building a Roadmap for Transformation

- Steps to develop a transformation roadmap
- Defining success metrics
- Risk mitigation strategies

- Aligning with business goals
- Creating sustainable momentum
- **Case Study:** Microsoft's Cloud Transformation Journey

Training Methodology

- Instructor-led live sessions (virtual or in-person)
- Interactive workshops and group activities
- Real-world case study analysis
- Hands-on design thinking and agile exercises
- Customizable assignments and reflection journals
- Peer collaboration and innovation challenges

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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	Online	\$2,200
14 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	Online	\$2,200
21 Sep 2026	02 Oct 2026	Online	\$2,200

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
28 Sep 2026	09 Oct 2026	Online	\$2,200
05 Oct 2026	16 Oct 2026	Online	\$2,200
12 Oct 2026	23 Oct 2026	Online	\$2,200
19 Oct 2026	30 Oct 2026	Online	\$2,200
26 Oct 2026	06 Nov 2026	Online	\$2,200

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