



# GRI CERTIFIED SUSTAINABILITY PROFESSIONAL



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## GRI CERTIFIED TRAINING COURSE

Climate change and environmental protection has been one of the most discussed subjects globally among Governments, regulators, companies, investors, civil society and various other stakeholders. There has been a rapid downward spiral vis-à-vis global warming, due to rapid increased of carbon emissions, other greenhouse gases and increase damage to our beautiful planet. As a result, the call for better sustainability or environmental, social and governance (ESG) reporting as well as disclosures from businesses is reaching a fever pitch.

Globally, market regulators are emphasising and requiring better disclosures in terms of sustainability for all listed issuers. As for non-listed companies and small and medium enterprises (SMEs), the need to gain market access to the developed countries such as the EU and US require compliance to global sustainability reporting frameworks. In addition, providing sustainability disclosures helps companies to gain access to sustainable financing for corporate growth. We need to do our part to save this planet we call our home.



## OBJECTIVE OF THE COURSE

This training is geared for busy professionals who seek to understand and make sense of what Sustainability Reporting is all about. Upon completing the course, you will be able to create a plan and put it into action immediately as well as devise processes towards better sustainability disclosures, leading to high quality Sustainability Reporting.

You will also learn how to engage your stakeholders with a comprehensive sustainability report that provides sufficient information on impacts to the economy, environment and social aspects of your company.

Businesses in many sectors are now facing major challenges on balancing financial reporting as well as sustainability impact reporting. This is commonly known as “double materiality”. By completing this course, you will be able to demonstrate that sustainability report is not a “nice-to-have” but a “must-have” report. You will be able to build a solid plan of action immediately towards sustainability reporting. You will be empowered and confident to hit the ground running from Day One.

## At the end of this course, you will be able to:

- Get a better understanding on sustainability reporting and various global frameworks for Sustainability Reporting.
- Know how to proceed and identify material impacts that are most significant for your company.
- Have confidence in complying with globally accepted sustainability standards.
- Learn how to manage the Sustainability Reporting process in accordance with the latest global GRI Standards 2021.
- Navigate and find required data and information needed for Sustainability Reporting and disclosure.

- Find out how to manage your stakeholders' expectations and identify your company's material topics for Sustainability Reporting.
- Develop focused and high-quality sustainability reports with focus on impact. Make a difference using the all-round, structured and methodical approach of the GRI Standards 2021 and more!

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND THE TRAINING?

- Chief Executive Officers
- Chief Financial Officers, Chief Operating Officers and Chief Sustainability Officers
- Market regulators, Institutional investors and all sustainability professionals
- Those involved in sustainable financing



## COURSE OUTLINE

AGENDA	CONTENT
Course 1: Introduction to sustainability reporting and the GRI Standards 2021	1.1 Introduction and learning objectives 1.2 Sustainability reporting and the GRI standards 1.3 Structure and use of GRI standards 1.4 GRI 1 Foundation 2021 1.5 GRI 2 General Disclosures 2021 1.6 GRI 3 Material Topics 2021 1.7 GRI Sector standards and GRI Topic Standards
Course 2: Reporting with GRI Standards 2021	2.1 How to apply the 'in-accordance' requirements 2.2 How to apply the reporting principles 2.3 How to determine material topics 2.4 How to report material topics and general disclosures 2.5 How to present reported information
Course 3: Reporting on Human Rights with GRI Standards update	3.1 Introduction to Human Rights framework 3.2 Relevance of Human Rights in business reporting 3.3 Identifying and reporting on Human Rights impacts 3.4 Disclosures on Human Rights with practical examples
Course 4: Integrating the SDGs into sustainability reporting	4.1 Relevance of the UN SDGs to your Sustainability Report 4.2 Integrating UN SDGs into the reporting process 4.3 Current trends and challenges 4.4 Including Sustainable Development considerations in your company strategy

### WHY LEARN FROM ESGright?

We are a GRI Certified Training Partner, with approval to train in accordance with GRI Standards 2021 in Asia and the Pacific region. Our trainers are experienced in training with sufficient knowledge to guide you towards your first step in becoming a Certified Sustainability Professional.

We also assist you in preparing for the certification examination, which is crucial in obtaining the Certified Sustainability Professional certificate from GRI

Our classes do not exceed 20 trainees per cohort to ensure we give sufficient attention to each trainee and maximise interaction.

#### Your success is our success!

We want you to succeed in achieving your certification as a Sustainability Professional and continue to enhance your future career growth. To this end, ESGright will provide the following support:

1. With our face-to-face sessions you will be able to network with like-minded sustainability professionals from various industrial sectors and exchange views and insights on sustainability reporting challenges and issues.
2. Mock exams to prepare you for the Certification Exam with answers. This will guide you to prepare well for the examination.
3. Complimentary coaching on implementing sustainability principles in your organisation for up to 5 hours via phone or virtual within 60 days after you complete the face-to-face sessions.

### CONTACT US TODAY!

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