

# IFIS 2025 Training Calendar

### Why Training at IFIS is your Most Practical Investment Yet

Let's face it—most training programs promise the world but deliver little more than theoretical jargon you'll forget in weeks. At IFIS, we believe in *redefining training*. Our approach is rooted in one simple truth: "Discere Faciendo" – Learn by Doing.

We train to solve real-world problems, to empower professionals to think critically, and to arm them with skills that *actually work*. Our programs challenge the status quo, combining theory with hands-on application that transforms your knowledge into immediate results. Take time to explore your preferred course below and book in time to avoid disappointments.

# Date/Title/Venue 1. Certified Fraud Examiner Date: January 18, 2025 Venue: IFIS, Physical, Duration 4 weekends Overview: Master fraud detection and investigation techniques using practical case studies. Fees: USD 1,515 2. Cybersecurity Essentials for Beginners Date: 20 -21 February 2025 Venue: Hybrid (Both Physical and Virtual) Overview: This course explores cybersecurity concepts, the introduction, with practical exercises in securing IT systems. Fees: ugx.400,000 3. Navigating the difference between fraud and money laundering Date: 21 March 2025

Venue: Hybrid (Both Physical and Virtual)

**Overview:** Through real-world case studies, participants will understand the challenges and strategies involved in combatting fraud and money laundering. This will cover the relationship between the two, relate global compliance frameworks to anti-financial crime effort, and approaches to mitigating and detecting these crimes.

Fees: Ugx. 350,000

4. **Penetration Testing** 

Date: 10-11 April 2025

Venue: IFIS, Physical

Overview: This course provides students with an introductory understanding of penetration testing and ethical hacking. Penetration testing involves using defined methods to breach a system in order to determine if a system is vulnerable to attack and exploitation of valuable information. Ethical hackers expose vulnerabilities and determine whether unauthorized or malicious activity is possible and to what extent it could cause harm.

Fees: Ugx.550,000

5. Fraud Risk Management

Date: 3 - 4 May 2025

Venue: Hybrid

Overview: With organizations losing an estimated 5% of their annual revenues to fraud, according to the *ACFE's Occupational Fraud 2024: A Report to the Nations*, the need for a strong anti-fraud stance and proactive, comprehensive approach to combating fraud is clear. This course will help organisations increase their focus on risk, they should take the opportunity to consider, enact and improve measures to detect, deter and prevent fraud. Fees: Ugx.550,000

### 6. Threat Hunting

Date: 19-20 June 2025

Venue: Hybrid

Overview: This course guides learners through the different phases of a threat hunt. Throughout this course participants will learn about the different types of cyber threats, how to conduct proactive threat hunting, and how to investigate/respond to potential incidents. Through skills-based labs participants will learn about the various tools and technologies used in threat hunting as well as how to use them effectively.

Fees: Ugx.500,000

# 7. <u>Practical Digital Forensics for Beginners</u>

Date: 24 – 25 July 2025

Venue: IFIS, Physical

Overview: Hands-on evidence collection and analysis using open-source forensic tools Fees: Uqx. 600,000

# 8. <u>Investigation and Report Writing</u>

Date: 21-22 August 2025

Venue: Hybrid

Overview: Write impactful investigation reports based on real-world cases and simulated investigations

Fees: Ugx. 600.000

# 9. Data Protection & Privacy Training for Hospitals

Date: 25<sup>th</sup> September 2025

Venue: Hybrid

Overview: This course focuses on strategies for hospital-specific data protection practices to enhance compliance and patient privacy

Fees: Uqx.250,000

### 10. International Cyber Security Awareness Month- October 2025

# Date: 13th- 17th October 2025 - IFIS Cyber Security Awareness Week

Venue: Visitations to the company's preferred venue

Fees: FREE

# 11. Cyber Security Conference: Theme "Securing the Future -- AI-Driven Security and Risk Management (Trends, Threats, and Tools)"

Date: 16<sup>th</sup> October 2025

Venue: Speke Resort Munyonyo. Fees: Ugx.650,000

# 12. Investment Fraud

Date: 13<sup>th</sup> November 2025

Venue: Virtual

Overview: This course will explore investment fraud schemes, the investigation process and the strategies to protect yourself and your businesses from such fraud schemes

Fees: 250,000

### **Certification Courses important dates**

Course	Date	Fees	Mode
Certified Fraud Examiners (CFE)	5-27 April 2025	\$1,515	Physical
	7 -29 June 2025	(Tuition, exams,	
	9 -31 Aug 2025	membership)	
	7 -29 Dec 2025		
Certified Fraud Forensics Professional	10-12 Nov 2025	\$1,200	Hybrid
(CFFP)	Weekends		(Physical
			and virtual
			live)
Certified Business Intelligence Data Analyst	5 -27 July 2025	\$1,200	Hybrid
(CBIDA)	Weekends		
Certified Risk Strategy Professional (CRISP)	3 -25 May 2025	\$1,200	Hybrid
	Weekends		
Certified Cybersecurity Manager (CCSM)	5- 27 Sep 2025	\$1,500	Hybrid

### Other Courses available on request for customization

- a. Cybersecurity for EXCO & Board
- b. Role of the EXCO & Board in Risk Management & Strategy Execution
- c. Advanced excel data analytics
- d. Windows Systems Forensics Analysis
- e. AI Threat Landscape: Attacks, Risk, and Security Measures
- f. Investigating on the Internet
- g. Developing and implementing a fraud assessment program

### Need Custom Training? We've Got You Covered!

At IFIS, we understand that no two organizations face the same challenges. That's why we offer custom training programs tailored to your specific needs. Whether you're tackling unique cybersecurity threats, fraud vulnerabilities, or risk management hurdles, our expert trainers will design a course that fits your goals and equips your team with actionable solutions.

### Here's how it works:

- a) Flexible Team Sizes -- We provide custom training for teams of 3 or more, delivered at your organization's preferred location or online.
- b) Specific to Your Challenges -- Our training is built around your industry, your obstacles, and your objectives.
- c) Expert Guidance -- Learn from practitioners with years of hands-on experience in tackling real-world problems.

### Let's Build Your Custom Program

Contact us today to discuss your unique needs and create a tailored training experience that delivers measurable results.

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Transform your team with training that works for you. Don't settle for generic—get the solution your organization deserves.

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