

ADOBE ILLUSTRATOR ADVANCED

COURSE OUTLINE



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Adobe Illustrator Advanced

Course Aims

This one-day advanced Adobe Illustrator course is designed for those seeking to elevate their skills and explore the advanced features and techniques available in Illustrator for intricate design projects. Through guided demonstrations and hands-on exercises, participants will explore advanced drawing and editing techniques, advanced colour and gradient work, advanced typography, transformations and distortions, perspective drawing, 3D effects, custom brushes and patterns, blending and masking, complex symbols, variables and data-driven graphics, advanced artboard management, advanced export and printing, and Creative Cloud collaboration. By the end of this one-day advanced course, participants will have increased their proficiency in Adobe Illustrator, gaining the skills needed for intricate illustrations and advanced design projects.

Duration

6 hours (Face to Face or Virtual)

Target Audience

This course is aimed at for those seeking to elevate their skills and explore the advanced features and techniques available in Illustrator for intricate design projects.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of the course, participants will be able to:

- Apply advanced drawing and editing techniques for intricate illustrations
- Use advanced colour and gradient techniques to create complex visual effects
- Craft advanced typography and apply envelope distortions to text
- Apply advanced transformations and distortions with precision
- Create perspective illustrations using the Perspective Grid
- Use the 3D Extrude & Bevel tool for three-dimensional effects
- Design custom intricate brushes and complex patterns
- Apply advanced blending modes and intricate masking
- Create and edit complex symbols
- Build data-driven graphics using variables
- Manage multiple artboards for complex projects and design variations
- Configure advanced export and printing for high-quality output
- Use Creative Cloud integration to collaborate and share projects

Course Content

Session 1 - Advanced Drawing and Editing Techniques

- Mastering advanced drawing tools for intricate illustrations.
- Exploring advanced editing options for precise control.

Session 2 - Advanced Color and Gradient Techniques

- Utilising advanced color blending modes and techniques.
- Creating complex gradients and color effects.

Session 3 - Advanced Typography

- Crafting typographic masterpieces with advanced text features.
- Manipulating text creatively with envelope distortions.

Session 4 - Advanced Transformations and Distortions

- Applying advanced transformations for creative effects.
- Distorting objects with precision using advanced techniques.

Session 5 - Advanced Perspective Drawing

- Creating illustrations with realistic perspective.
- Applying the Perspective Grid tool for complex designs.

Session 6 - 3D Effects and Extrusions

- Utilising the 3D Extrude & Bevel tool for three-dimensional effects.
- Applying advanced 3D transformations to objects.

Session 7 - Advanced Brushes and Patterns

- Creating and customising intricate brushes for artistic strokes.
- Designing complex patterns and textures.

Session 8 - Advanced Object Blending and Masking

- Utilising advanced blending modes for seamless object integration.
- Applying intricate masking techniques for creative compositions.

Session 9 - Advanced Drawing and Editing Tools

- Exploring advanced drawing tools for intricate illustrations.
- Utilising pathfinder operations for complex shapes.

Session 10 - Creating and Editing Complex Symbols

- Understanding and utilising complex symbols in Illustrator.
- Editing and customising symbol instances for diverse designs.

Session 11 - Working with Variables and Data-Driven Graphics

- Introduction to variable data in Illustrator.
- Creating data-driven graphics for dynamic content.

Session 12 - Advanced Artboard Management

- Organising and managing multiple artboards for complex projects.
- Utilising artboards for different design variations.

Session 13 - Exporting and Printing Complex Artwork

- Advanced export options for diverse output scenarios.
- Preparing complex artwork for high-quality printing.

Session 14 - Overview of Creative Cloud Integration and Collaboration

- Exploring advanced Creative Cloud integration features.
- Collaborating and sharing projects efficiently.