SFMC Training Contents and Curriculum

NO PRIOR KNOWLEDGE OF SALESFORCE MARKETING CLOUD IS NEEDED

All sessions include continuous practical hands on, whole training is a mix of theory and practical (30:70).

PRE-REQUISITE OF THIS TRAINING:

- Laptop/desktop with good Internet connection.
- Basic SQL queries like Select, Joins, Date/Time functions.
- FileZilla application with PORT 22 Open.
- Postman Application to test API calls.

RECOMMENDATION

 Participants count should be in the range of 10 to 14 pax per batch for smooth and quality delivery of training.

TRAINING MODE

• Gotomeeting (no installation required, web based tool)

Sender Authentication Package

- Private Domain, Account Branding
- Dedicated IP Address
- IP Whitelist

Administration

- Users
- Add a User
- Users Roles / Permissions
- Change a User Password
- Disable a User
- Modify User Settings
- Reset a User Password

Send Classification

- Sender profile
- Delivery profile
- Reply Mail Management
- Subject and Preheader Validation
- List Detectives

Account Administration

• Create custom Roles

Business Units

- Create Business Unit
- Assign Business Unit to Users

FTP Accounts

- Add FTP Accounts
- Modify FTP Accounts

File Locations

- File Transfer Location
- File Transfer to SFTP

Data

- Data Overview
- Lists
 - What is a Subscriber?
 - All Subscribers List
 - Publication List
 - Exclusion List
- Data Extensions
- What is a Data Extension?
- Sendable and Non Sendable DE
- Types of Data Extension
- Import Data into a DE

Content Builder

- Content Builder Overview
- Uploading Assets into Content Builder
- Content Blocks
- Create Static Content Blocks
- Create Individualized Content Blocks Using Personalization Strings, Dynamic Content & AMPscript
- How to Add Links to Content
- Templates
- Ways to Create templates
- Create a Template with Locked Content
- Configure content in a Content Area in a Template
- Email
- Create an Email from a Template, HTML, Text.
- Add Multiple Content Blocks to a Single Content Area
- Add a Dynamic Content Block

Testing

- Content Detective
- Validation
- Test Send

Sending

- User-Initiated Email
- A/B Testing
- Bounce Mail Management
- Global, Master, and List-Level Unsubscribes

Journey Builder

- Define Journey Builder
- Define an Interaction
- Create an Entry Event
- Utilize various Journey Builder Activities

Customer Journeys

- Describe why customer journeys are important
- Difference between Automation and Journeys
- Create product review journey (Exercise)

Analyze Your Results

- Tracking Data
- Standard Reports
- Automating Reports

Segmentation

- Drag-and-Drop Segmentation
 - Create Random and Filtered Segments
 - Create Segments Using Data relationship
- Refreshing Data
- Query Activity
- Audience Builder Overview

Automation Studio

- Data Activities
 - Data Extract
 - Import
 - File Transfer
 - Verification and Wait
 - Filter Activity
 - Query Activity

Cloud Page and Landing Page

- Add data from Landing Page
- Run Journey through Landing page

Contact Builder

- Define Contact Builder
- Describe and use the various tools in Contact Builder
- Concepts of Subscriber Key, Primary Key, Contact ID and Contact Key

Amp Script

- Syntax
- Utility Functions
- Data Extension functions

SQL Queries Joins

Overview and Functionality of

API Calls

- Insert data using API

30 minutes

Introductions and Course Overview

180 minutes

Salesforce Marketing Cloud Overview

- Discuss What each Studio and Builder Does in the Marketing cloud
- Different ways to add data into Marketing Cloud

Sender Authentication Package

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Data: Data Extensions

- Types of data extension-Standard, Random, Filter
- Creating Sendable Data Extensions
- Create Data Extension through Templates
- What Field is the Primary Key?
- Import Data to Sendable Data Extension via the Import Wizard
- Difference between sendable & Non-Sendable Data Extensions
- Lists vs Data Extensions

30 minutes

Break (as discussed)

DAY 2

15 minutes

Review Day One

165 minutes

Data: Overview

- All Subscribers list
- Global, Master, and List-Level Unsubscribes
- Profile Center and Preference Center
- Suppression List
- Exclusion List

Data Lists:

- Create an Attribute
- Creating Lists, Publication List
- Importing Data into List
- Tour of All Subscribers List, Search, Delete, Status
 Data: Contact Builder Overview
- Tour of Contact Builder and Add Record to Data Extension

30 minutes

15 minutes

Review Day Two

165 minutes

Segmentation: Drag-and-Drop Segmentation

- Segmentation Overview How Are You Segmenting Your Data?
- Segments using Query
- Filtered Segments
- Create a Filtered Data Extension
- Create a Random Data Extension
- Create a Data Relationship
- Create a Data Filter and Filter Activity
- Segmentation: Audience Builder

Data Views in Marketing Cloud

• _Open, _Click, _Sent, _Job, _Bounce

Activity: What Segmentation Tool Would You Use?

30 minutes

Break (as discussed)

DAY 4

15 minutes

Review Day Three

165 minutes

Content: Content Builder Overview

• Data Retention settings

Content: Upload Content

• Create folder and upload content, Types of supported content

Content: Content Blocks Overview

Static Content

- Create a static personalized content block
- Individualized Content: Personalization and AmpScript
- Create a personalized Text Content Block
- Individualized Content: Dynamic Content
- Data Relationship

Create a layout content block and dynamic content block

Data Extension best practices

30 minutes

15 minutes

Review Day Four

165 minutes

Content: Templates

- Creating Templates from existing template
- Create Template from Paste HTML

Content: Email

- Different types of Email- Text, HTML Paste, Template based
- Add Dynamic Content Block
- Create User Initiated Email
- Create Trigger Send Email

Test

- CAN-SPAM
- Validation
- Test Send

Send

- Different types of Sends
- Send the Email via the Send Flow
- A/B Testing Activity
- What Happens When You Send
- Bounce Mail Management
- Manage Unsubscribes
- Create Publication List

Analyze

- Email Tracking, Reports
- Review Individual Tracking Results

30 minutes

Break (as discussed)

DAY 6

15 minutes

Review Day Five

165 minutes

Automation Studio Overview

Types of Automation

- Scheduled Automation
- File drop automation

Automation Studio Activities

- Send email Activity
- Import Activity
- File Transfer Activity
- Data Extract Activity

30 minutes

15 minutes

Review of Day Six

165 minutes

Types of Automation

- Scheduled Automation
- File drop automation

Automation Studio Activities

- SQL Query Activity
- Filter Activity
- Verification Activity
- Wait Activity

30 minutes

Break (as discussed)

DAY 8

15 minutes

Review of Day Seven

165 minutes

Automation Studio Continue

- Automate the File Transfer on SFTP
- Automate the Import of user data from SFTP
- Encrypt/Decrypt File using File Transfer Activity
- Transfer File on SFTP using File Transfer Activity
- Automate the Refreshing of Segments
- Extract Data using Data Extract Activity
- Rename File on SFTP using Data Extract Activity
- Delete File on SFTP using Data Extract Activity
- Move File on SFTP using Data Extract Activity
- Pause an Automation
- Skip an Automation
- Stop a Running Automation
- Copy an Automation
- Delete an Automation
- Automation Studio Errors
- Get Automation Studio Notifications

30 minutes

15 minutes

Review of Day Eight

165 minutes

Introduction to Journey Builder
Difference Between Automation and Journey Builder

Journey Builder

- Entry Sources
- Messages
- Flow control
- Customer Updates
- Define an Interaction
- Build an Interaction
- Create an Entry Event
- Utilize various Journey Builder activities
- Difference between Journey and Contact Data

Customer Journeys

- Describe why customer journeys are important
- Define the customer journey
- Identify how to create 1:1 customer journeys
- Create Welcome Email Journey using Landing Page

Monitoring and Optimizing

- Set a goal
- Test the Interaction
- Create a new version of an Interaction

Contact Builder

- Define Contact Builder
- Describe and use the various tools in Contact Builder
- Reiterate the concepts of Subscriber Key, Primary Key, Contact ID and Contact Key

30 minutes

Break (as discussed)

DAY 10

15 minutes

Review of Day Nine

165 minutes

Journey Builder Exercise

 Create Product Review Journey using Data Extension and Automation

30 minutes

15 minutes

Review of Day Ten

165 minutes

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Overview of Marketing Cloud API Calls

Install Package in Marketing Cloud

- Create Client ID and Client Secret
 - Overview of Postman App
 - Generate Authorization Code
- Insert Data using API
- Delete Data using API

30 minutes

Break (as discussed)

DAY 12

15 minutes

Review of Day Eleven

165 minutes

Overview of Ampscript

- Language
- Syntax, Ampscript blocks
- Functions, Variables, Attributs
- Personalization String
- Attribute string, System string

Data Extensions Functions

- LookupRows
- Row
- RowCount
- UpdateData
- UpdateDE
- UpsertData
- UpsertDE

Site Based Functions

- QueryParameter
- RequestParameter

30 minutes