

# Adobe Illustrator CS6

## Course Introduction Illustrator CS6 Part 1

This course focuses on Adobe Illustrator CS6, the component within CS6 used to create “drawn” graphics, while enabling its users to integrate content from other domains (such as photo-oriented graphics and animation, which belong to Photoshop® and Flash®).

### **Course Description**

With Illustrator's many, easily used tools, you will discover that not only can you unlock the same creative impulses you've always had as you've picked up a pencil to sketch out an idea, but also capture those multiple ideas and “what ifs” during the creative process in ways that you never imagined. And for those of you who are just embarking on building your creative skills, you will be surprised at “how good” your work will appear even at the outset of your exploration of the world of graphic design.

### **Course Objective:**

Upon successful completion of this course, you will be able to use Adobe Illustrator CS6 to create illustrations that include graphics and text.

You will:

- Identify the components and capabilities of Illustrator CS6.
- Create basic shapes.
- Create custom paths.
- Create graphics that contain custom text.
- Customize objects.
- Customize basic shapes
- Prepare documents for deployment.

### **Target Student:**

This course is intended for designers, publishers, pre-press professionals, marketing communications professionals, or people switching to a design job or taking on design responsibilities and who need to use Illustrator to create illustrations, logos, advertisements, or other graphic documents.

### **Prerequisites:**

To ensure your success in this course, you should be familiar with the basic functions of your computer's operating system such as creating folders, launching programs, and working with windows. You should also have basic Windows application skills, such as copying and pasting objects, formatting text, saving files, and so on.

Familiarity with basic design terminology, such as palettes, color modes, shapes, text, and paths is highly recommended.

You can obtain this level of skill and knowledge by taking the following Logical Operations course:

- Introduction to Personal Computers Using Windows® 7

### **Course Content**

Lesson 1: Introduction to Illustrator CS6

Lesson 2: Creating Documents Containing Basic Shapes

Lesson 3: Creating Graphics Containing Customized Paths

Lesson 4: Creating Graphics Containing Customized Text

Lesson 5: Customizing Objects

Lesson 6: Customizing Basic Shapes

Lesson 7: Preparing Documents for Deployment

### **Course Performance Objective**

At the end of this course, you will have been provided with an overview of the major functionality within the lessons. Each delegate is encouraged to participate during the training with observations and questions. A training manual with relevant exercises will provide you with an opportunity to practise and review the information presented in the course.

### **Course Performance Conditions**

To successfully complete the stated performance goal, you will have access to:

- Assistance from Instructor
- Manual (Masterskills)
- Reference materials

### **Teaching Methods**

Lecture led in conjunction with the training manual. In this course an emphasis is placed on explaining and demonstrating.

### **Course Benefits**

Following this course, you will have the knowledge and tool mastery to maximize your use of the features to manage your specific functions.

### **Course Evaluation**

You will be asked to fill in an evaluation questionnaire at the end of this course. Please take the time to give us specific and detailed feedback.

### **Course Duration and Schedule**

The duration of this courses is 2 days.

Booking and payment must be made prior to training.

### **Course Cost per person**

2 days R5000.00