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## Practical Python Programming

Prerequisites: *Basic Computer knowledge. Understanding of how computer works. Some hands-on programming knowledge will be very helpful.*

Length: 8 Weeks (40 hours).

### Course Outline:

#### Week 1: Python Language Basics

- a) Why Python? The landscape. Of Application/System programming languages.
- b) Setup the development environment.
- c) "Hello World!" of Python.
- d) Comments And Pound Characters.
- e) Numbers And Math.
- f) Variables And Names.
- g) More Variables And Printing.
- h) Strings And Text
- i) More Printing
- j) What Was That?

#### Week 2: Python Programming – Logic, List and more

- a) Memorizing Logic
- b) Boolean Practice
- c) What If
- d) Else And If
- e) Making Decisions
- f) Loops And Lists
- g) While Loops
- h) Accessing Elements Of Lists
- i) Branches and Functions
- j) Designing and Debugging
- k) Symbol Review
- l) Doing Things To Lists

m) Dictionaries, Oh Lovely Dictionaries

### **Week 3: Python Programming - Interactive and I/O**

- n) Asking Questions.
- o) Prompting People.
- p) Parameters, Unpacking, Variables.
- q) Prompting And Passing.
- r) Reading Files.
- s) Reading And Writing Files.
- t) More Files.
- u) Names, Variables, Code, Functions.
- v) Functions And Variables.
- w) Functions And Files.
- x) Functions Can Return Something.
- y) Take home test.

### **Week 4: Python Programming – Modules, Classes and Objects**

- a) Modules, Classes, And Objects.
- b) Learning To Speak Object Oriented.
- c) Is-A, Has-A, Objects, and Classes.
- d) Inheritance Vs. Composition.
- e) A Project Skeleton.
- f) Automated Testing.
- g) Advanced User Input.
- h) A Practical Example.
- i) Another Practical Example.

### **Week 5: Error Handling, Debugging, Logging and Testing**

- a) Python Error Handling
- b) Exceptions.
- c) Debugging.
- d) Logging.
- e) Testing

### **Week 6: Using Python Packages and Tools**

- a) Basic Libraries that comes with Python install
- b) Math, Date/Time, Systems and other useful Packages
- c) SQLite
- d) asyncio

## **Week 7: Databases Programming**

- a) More SQLite
- b) SQLAlchemy
- c) MongoDB

## **Week 8: Data Analytic and Cloud Computing**

- a) BeautifulSoup 4
- b) Pandas/NumPy
- c) Amazon Cloud

## **Week 9: Web Development in Python**

- a) Django/Flask Intro
- b) From code to website

## **Week 10: More Web Development in Python**

- a) Styling
- b) Data Visualization with Bokeh