# **Training Day 17**

# **Day 17–14th July 2025**

# Introduction to Bootstrap and Responsive Frameworks

## **Detailed Description:**

On Day 17, we explored **Bootstrap**, a front-end framework that provides **pre-designed CSS classes**, **components**, **and grid systems** to build responsive websites easily.

The instructor explained that Bootstrap saves time by eliminating the need to write complex CSS for layouts and components manually.

## • 1. Introduction to Bootstrap

Key points about Bootstrap:

- It is **mobile-first**, ensuring responsiveness by default.
- Provides **predefined classes** for layout, typography, buttons, forms, and more.
- Includes **JavaScript components** like modals, carousels, and tooltips.
- Can be included via **CDN** or downloaded locally.

#### **Including Bootstrap via CDN:**

link href="https://cdn.jsdelivr.net/npm/bootstrap@5.5.0/dist/css/bootstrap.min.css" rel="stylesheet">

<script src="https://cdn.jsdelivr.net/npm/bootstrap@5.5.0/dist/js/bootstrap.bundle.min.js"></script>

## • 2. Bootstrap Grid System

We learned that Bootstrap uses a **12-column grid system** for layout:

```
<div class="row">

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<div class="col-md-4">Column 1</div>

<div class="col-md-4">Column 2</div>

<div class="col-md-4">Column 3</div>

</div>
</div>
```

- Columns automatically adjust for smaller screens.
- Classes like col-sm-, col-md-, col-lg- define behavior on different screen sizes.
- Helps create **responsive multi-column layouts** without writing custom CSS.

## • 3. Bootstrap Components

We explored some **pre-designed Bootstrap components**:

#### Buttons

```
<button class="btn btn-primary">Primary Button</button>
<button class="btn btn-success">Success Button</button>
```

#### Cards

```
<div class="card" style="width: 18rem;">
  <img src="image.jpg" class="card-img-top">
    <div class="card-body">
    <h5 class="card-title">Card Title</h5>
    Card description goes here.
    </div>
</div>
```

#### Navbar

```
<nav class="navbar navbar-expand-lg navbar-light bg-light">
<a class="navbar-brand" href="#">Logo</a>
</nav>
```

These components help build professional-looking websites quickly.

## • 4. Responsive Utilities

Bootstrap provides classes to hide or show elements depending on screen size:

Visible only on medium and larger screens

• Enables adaptive designs without writing extra CSS.

#### • 5. Practical Exercises

- Created a **responsive 3-column layout** using Bootstrap grid.
- Added buttons, cards, and navbar components.
- Practiced adjusting layouts for mobile, tablet, and desktop screens using Bootstrap classes.
- Explored combining **Bootstrap with custom CSS** for unique styling.

## **Learning Outcomes:**

- Learned the basics of **Bootstrap framework** for fast web development.
- Practiced the **12-column grid system** for responsive layouts.
- Explored pre-designed **components** like buttons, cards, and navbars.
- Learned **responsive utility classes** to control element visibility.
- Developed skills to build **mobile-first**, **professional websites** efficiently.