

# DREAMWEAVER WEBSITE DEVELOPMENT CS4

## Course synopsis

This course takes you through the process of creating a website. Each topic covers in lucid detail enabling you to have the necessary skills to take you to a new level. Participants will learn essential techniques on web-design from inception to completion. Participants will also be educated on the best practices of creating and maintaining a website.

## What you are going to learn

### **Getting started with Dreamweaver CS4**

- Discussion on the web development cycle
- Learning the interface
- Customising workspaces
- Defining a local site
- Preview accurately using new Live View

### **Adding Text and Structure**

- Controlling document structure
- Creating lists to promote readability
- Creating Headings to prioritize flow of document

### **CSS Foundations**

- Understanding style sheets
- Controlling CSS through Properties Inspector
- Using Code Navigator for easy modification
- Understanding Class Selectors
- Understanding Element Selectors
- Controlling link styles
- Attaching external style sheets
- View styles in separate style sheets using new Related Files command

### **Working with Media Files**

- Understanding image types
- Modifying image properties
- Inserting smart objects from Photoshop
- Inserting Flash Movies
- Round-trip edit with Flash files
- Adding Flash video

### **Creating Links**

- Understanding site navigation
- Linking files within local site
- Linking to external websites
- Linking within the page using anchor links
- Creating email links
- Creating a jump menu
- Creating a navigation bar
- Creating multiple hotspots within an image
- Using Swap Image command to create disjointed rollovers
- Implement simple transition effects using Spry Effects

### **Using Templates**

- Creating site templates to achieve consistency
- Defining editable regions to make content unique for certain pages
- Applying a template to an existing page
- Modifying templates and updating content

### **Managing Sites**

- Testing for broken links
- Running site-wide reports concerning usability of site
- Synchronizing files to achieve consistency between files from server to local
- Uploading files

## Duration

2 days (9am - 6pm)

## Fee

\$450 (before SDF funding)

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