**PROFESSIONAL TRAINING COURSE** 



3 Days Course on

# Adobe After Effects CS6 : Mastering the Essentials







#### **Course Overview**

After Effects is a powerful tool for compositing and creating 2D animation and special effects for film, video, multimedia and Web projects. You can create and generate high quality motion graphics at any resolution and is an ideal design tool for multimedia professionals and Web developers. You can create complex layered animation, Web-based movies and stunning special effects for broadcast, film, video, multimedia, and on-line production right from your desktop system.

Adobe After Effects CS6 the Essentials introduces you to the fundamentals of After Effects. After this training, you'll know all about creating basic animations, text animation, tracking and stabilizing, basic keying & compositing and basic 3D animation. Plus, you'll get an insider's view of some of the new features of After Effects CS6. Whether you are new to After Effects, or brushing up on a technique, this training is just what you need to get up to speed fast.

#### **Who Should Attend**

This course is ideal for rich media designers, motion graphics designers, visual effects artists, and post-production professionals, including corporate and event videographers.

#### **Course Settings**

Date	Refer to Training Calendar	
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Fees	Contact Us at sales@2-sigma.com	
Timings	0900-1700 (3 Days)	
Inclusive	Certificates and notes from Adobe	
Audience	Programmer, Web Designer and IT Personnel	

### **Adobe after Effect - Schedule**

Day 1			
09.00am – 10.00am	Getting to Know the Workflow		
	Getting started		
	<ul> <li>Creating a project and importing footage</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Creating a composition and arranging layers</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Adding effects and modifying layer properties</li> </ul>		
	Animating the composition		
	Previewing your work		
	Optimizing performance in After Effects		
	<ul> <li>Rendering and exporting your composition</li> </ul>		
	Customizing workspaces		
	<ul> <li>Controlling the brightness of the user interface</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Finding resources for using After Effects</li> </ul>		
	Checking for updates		
10.00am – 10.30am	Breakfast		



10.30am – 12.45pm	Creating a Basic Animation Using Effects and Presets
	Getting started
	<ul> <li>Importing footage using Adobe Bridge</li> </ul>
	Creating a new composition
	<ul> <li>Working with imported Illustrator layers</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Applying effects to a layer</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Applying an animation preset</li> </ul>
	Previewing the effects
	Adding transparency
	Rendering the composition
12.45pm – 02.15pm	Lunch
02.15pm – 05.00pm	Animating Text
	Getting started
	About text layers
	<ul> <li>Creating and formatting point text</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Using a text animation preset</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Animating with scale keyframes</li> </ul>
	Animating using parenting
	<ul> <li>Animating imported Photoshop text</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Animating text using a path animation preset</li> </ul>
	Animating type tracking
	Animating text opacity
	<ul> <li>Using a text animator group</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Cleaning up the path animation</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Animating a nontext layer along a motion path</li> </ul>
	Adding motion blur
	Exporting to Adobe Flash Professional CS6
	Day 2
09.00am – 10.00am	Working with Shape Layers
	Getting started
	Adding a shape layer
	Creating custom shapes
	Creating stars
	Incorporating video and audio layers
	Applying a Cartoon effect
	Adding a title bar
40.00	Using Brainstorm to experiment
10.00am – 10.30am	Breakfast
10.30am – 12.45pm	Animating a Multimedia Presentation
	Getting started
	<ul> <li>Animating the scenery using parenting</li> </ul>
	Adjusting an anchor point
	Masking video using vector shapes
	Keyframing a motion path
	<ul> <li>Animating additional elements</li> </ul>



	Applying on official
	Applying an effect
	Creating an animated slide show
	Adding an audio track
	<ul> <li>Zooming in for a final close-up</li> </ul>
	Animating Layers
	Getting started
	Simulating lighting changes
	<ul> <li>Duplicating an animation using the pick whip</li> </ul>
	Animating movement in the scenery
	Adjusting the layers and creating a track matte
	<ul> <li>Animating the shadows</li> </ul>
	Adding a lens flare effect
	<ul> <li>Animating the clock</li> </ul>
<u> </u>	Retiming the composition
12.45pm – 02.15pm	Lunch
02.15pm – 05.00pm	Working with Masks
	<ul> <li>bout masks</li> </ul>
	Getting started
	<ul> <li>Creating a mask with the Pen tool</li> </ul>
	Editing a mask
	<ul> <li>Feathering the edges of a mask</li> </ul>
	Replacing the content of the mask
	Adding a reflection
	Creating a vignette
	Adjusting the color
	Distorting Objects with the Puppet Tools
	Getting started
	About the Puppet tools
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	Defining areas of overlap
	Stiffening an area
	Animating pin positions
	Recording animation
	Day 3
09.00am – 10.00am	Using the Roto Brush Tool
	About rotoscoping
	Getting started
	Creating a segmentation boundary
	Fine-tuning the matte
	<ul> <li>Creating a transition from the full clip to the foreground</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Creating the logo</li> </ul>
	Animating text
	<ul> <li>Adding a background image</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Adding audio</li> </ul>
	Adding addio     Performing Color Correction



	Getting started
	Adjusting color balance
	Replacing the background
	Removing unwanted elements
	Correcting a range of colors
	<ul> <li>Warming colors with the Photo Filter effect</li> </ul>
10.00am – 10.30am	Breakfast
10.30am – 12.45pm	Building 3D Objects
	Getting started
	Building a 3D object
	<ul> <li>Working with a null object</li> </ul>
	Working with 3D text
	Creating a backdrop for 3D animation
	Nesting a 3D composition
	Adding a camera
	Completing the scene
	Using 3D Features
	Getting started
	Animating 3D objects
	<ul> <li>Adding reflections to 3D objects</li> </ul>
	Animating a camera
	Adjusting layer timing
	Using 3D lights
	Adding effects
	Adding motion blur
	Previewing the entire animation
12.45pm – 02.15pm	Lunch
02.15pm – 05.00pm	Advanced Editing Techniques
	Getting started
	Using motion stabilization
	<ul> <li>Using single-point motion tracking</li> </ul>
	Using multipoint tracking
	Creating a particle simulation
	Retiming playback using the Timewarp effect
	Rendering and Outputting
	Getting started
	Creating templates for the rendering process
	Creating templates for output modules
	Exporting to different output media

## **More Information**



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