

**Retail & E-commerce**

Retail Buying & Category Planning

الشراء وتخطيط الفئات في التجزئة

Duration

5 or 10 days

Language

English or Arabic

Formats

Classroom, online, in-house

Hours

35 / 70

Overview

Retail Buying & Category Planning is part of the Retail & E-commerce track at Garnet Global Training Center. Merchandising, store operations and online selling programs. The course is taught in English or Arabic as a 5-day or 10-day program, in classrooms in cities such as Dubai, Riyadh, Cairo, London and Istanbul, or live online, and it can be delivered in-house with examples and exercises built around your own operations.

What you will be able to do

- Explain the principles, terminology and standards that govern Retail Buying & Category Planning.
- Apply proven methods and tools to real situations from your own workplace.
- Analyse performance gaps, risks and root causes, and choose the right response.
- Measure results with practical indicators and report them clearly to management.
- Leave with a personal action plan you can start using the following week.

Who should attend

Retail managers, buyers, e-commerce and customer service teams.

Key topics

- Assortment and merchandising
- Pricing and promotions
- Store operations
- Inventory and fulfilment
- Omnichannel customer journeys
- Retail analytics

Formats and fees

5-day classroom	USD 4,750
5-day online	USD 2,950
10-day classroom	USD 8,950
10-day online	USD 5,450
In-house	Quotation per group

Fees per participant, excluding VAT.

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Certificate

Participants who attend at least 90% of sessions and complete the final assessment receive a certificate of completion stating 35 contact hours (5-day) or 70 contact hours (10-day).

5-day outline

Day 1 Foundations of Retail Buying & Category Planning

- Scope, terminology and governing standards
- Assortment and merchandising

Day 2 Methods and tools

- Store operations
- Omnichannel customer journeys

Day 3 Application and case studies

- Pricing and promotions
- Retail analytics

Day 4 Performance, risk and compliance

- Inventory and fulfilment
- Measurement and reporting

Day 5 Workshop, assessment and action plan

- Hands-on workshop on a workplace challenge
- Final assessment and personal action plan

10-day outline

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Day 6 Advanced techniques and specialist practice

- Complex cases in depth
- Common mistakes and how to avoid them

Day 7 Digital tools, data and automation

- Analysis tools and software
- Using AI in this field

Day 8 Benchmarking against international practice

- Global performance benchmarks
- International case studies

Day 9 Capstone project

- Analyse a real challenge from your organisation
- Build the solution and implementation plan

Day 10 Presentations, final assessment and certificates

- Project presentations and review
- Final exam and certificate award

Schedule 2027–2030

Dates	Format	City	Language	Fee (USD)
15–26 Feb 2027	10-day classroom	London	English	8,950
20–24 Jun 2027	5-day classroom	Amman	Arabic	4,750
12–16 Jul 2027	5-day online	Live online	English	2,950
3–7 Oct 2027	5-day classroom	Doha	English	4,750
13–24 Dec 2027	10-day online	Live online	Arabic	5,450
21 Feb – 3 Mar 2028	10-day classroom	Kuala Lumpur	English	8,950
5–16 Jun 2028	10-day online	Live online	English	5,450
10–14 Jul 2028	5-day classroom	Abu Dhabi	Arabic	4,750
2–6 Oct 2028	5-day online	Live online	English	2,950

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11–15 Dec 2028	5-day classroom	Istanbul	English	4,750
1–12 Jan 2029	10-day classroom	Barcelona	English	8,950
16–27 Apr 2029	10-day online	Live online	Arabic	5,450
4–8 Jun 2029	5-day online	Live online	English	2,950
10–14 Sep 2029	5-day classroom	Paris	English	4,750
12–16 Nov 2029	5-day classroom	Vienna	English	4,750
18 Feb – 1 Mar 2030	10-day classroom	Casablanca	Arabic	8,950
18–29 Mar 2030	10-day online	Live online	English	5,450
1–5 Apr 2030	5-day online	Live online	English	2,950
19–23 May 2030	5-day classroom	Kuwait City	Arabic	4,750
7–11 Jul 2030	5-day classroom	Muscat	English	4,750

Customised and in-house versions of this course are available on request. www.garnettrainings.com/en/customise/