







Hands-on Exercise No. 4 Batch-02 DSTP 2.0 Communication and Soft Skills

Total Marks: 10 Due Date: 29/09/2022

# **Instructions:**

Please read the following instructions carefully before submitting this Hands-on Exercise:

- Use MS Word to prepare exercise solution.
- You may consult tutorials and videos if the concept is not clear.
- Your submitted exercise will not be considered/counted if:
  - It is submitted after due date.
  - It is not in the required format (.doc or .docx)
  - It does not open, or file is corrupt.
  - It is copied (partial or full) from any source (websites, forums, students, etc.)

# **Learning Outcome:**

After completing this exercise, you shall be able to:

- Understand the Significance of Communication Skills
- Learn and apply the Etiquettes of Communication
- Communication Styles of Formal Communication
- Learn the Importance of Communication Skills for Freelancers
- Learn What You Need to Keep in Mind while Dealing with Clients?
- Learn Communication within Set Terms (Terms of Services)
- Learn How Negotiation Differs in Written and Oral Communication

## **Problem Statement**

Read the following 5 most frequently asked questions by clients to freelancers on any freelancing marketplace or outside the marketplace.

- **Q1.** Hello dear, can you help me to write two articles on my niche?
- Q2. Do you generate content with the help of any tool or do it manually?
- Q3. Can I see your previous work?
- Q4. How long will it take you to the complete the task?
- **Q5.** Do you deliver plagiarism report along the work?

#### Tasks:

- 1. You need to make answers to each question mentioned in the problem statement.
- 2. Make comprehensive answers that should be like communication and not the conversation as explained by SME in the lessons.
- 3. Do not make single word or short answers.
- 4. Make 1–2-line information enriched answers so that client can give you the project.

### **Guidelines:**

- Watch Video Lesson Nos. 129-133, 135-136, 138-145, 148, 151 before attempting the exercise.
- Do not change the questions statements, just make answers.
- Any changed questions will be marked 0.
- You can seek assistance from different freelancing marketplaces' guidelines.
- Plagiarized content or content copied from other trainees or online sources shall not be accepted.
- You can use following link for assistance:
  - o https://www.freelancer.com/faq/topic.php?code=messaging
  - o https://startuptalky.com/freelancer-communication-skills-guide/
- Your Solution file SHOULD:
  - Not have copied content/format, as it will not be considered grade worthy.
  - Be submitted in MS Word format only.

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- 1) Login to the LMS
- 2) Click on the Exercises button within the My Activities section

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3) Click on the submit button to upload your Solution.

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