Php

• An Introduction to PHP

- ✓ An Abbreviated History.
- ✓ Characteristics of PHP
- ✓ User Affirmations
- ✓ An Introductory Example
- ✓ Downloading PHP/Apache
- ✓ Installation and Configuration
- ✓ PHP Configuration
- ✓ Basic PHP Constructs

• Variables and Data Types

- ✓ Integer Values
- ✓ Floating-Point Numbers
- ✓ String Values
- ✓ Arrays
- ✓ Objects
- ✓ Boolean, or True/False, Values
- ✓ Identifiers
- ✓ Variables
- ✓ Type Juggling
- ✓ Type Casting
- ✓ Variable Assignment
- ✓ Variable Variables
- ✓ Predefined Variables
- ✓ Constants

• Expressions, Operators, and Control Structures

- ✓ Expressions
- ✓ Control Structures
- ✓ Project: Develop an Events Calendar

Functions

- ✓ What Is a Function?
- ✓ Function Definition and Invocation
- ✓ Nested Functions
- ✓ Returning Values from a Function
- ✓ Recursive Functions
- ✓ Variable Functions. .
- ✓ Building Function Libraries

Arrays

- ✓ Creating Arrays
- ✓ Multidimensional Arrays
- ✓ Referencing
 Multidimensional Arrays
- ✓ Locating Array Elements.
- ✓ Adding and Removing Elements
- ✓ Traversing Arrays
- ✓ Array Size
- ✓ Sorting Arrays
- ✓ Other Useful Functions.

Object-Oriented PHP

- ✓ PHP and OOP
- ✓ Classes, Objects, and Method Declarations.
- ✓ Class and Object Functions

✓ File I/O and the File System

- ✓ Verifying a File's Existence and Size
- ✓ Opening and Closing I/O
- ✓ Writing to a File
- ✓ Reading from a File
- ✓ Reading a File into an Array
- ✓ Redirecting a File Directly to Output
- ✓ Opening a Process File Pointer with popen().
- ✓ Opening a Socket Connection
- ✓ External Program Execution
- ✓ Working with the File System
- ✓ Displaying and Modifying File Characteristics
- ✓ Copying and Renaming Files
- ✓ Deleting Files
- ✓ Working with Directories

✓ PHP and Dynamic Site Development

- ✓ Simple Linking
- ✓ File Components (Basic Templates)
- ✓ Project: Build a Page Generator

✓ Forms

- ✓ An Introduction to Forms
- ✓ Forms and PHP
- ✓ Error Checking
- ✓ Dynamic Forms
 Construction

✓ Project: Create a Guestbook

Databases

- ✓ What Is SQL?
- ✓ PHP's Extensive Database Support
- ✓ MySQL
- ✓ PHP's Predefined MySQL Functions
- ✓ ODBC
- ✓ Project: Create a Bookmark Repository

Templates

- ✓ What You've Learned So Far
- ✓ Developing an Advanced Template System
- ✓ Project: Create an Address Book

☐ Cookies and Session Tracking

- ✓ What Is a Cookie?
- ✓ Unique Identification Numbers
- ✓ Session Handling
- ✓ Project: Create a Visitor Log

Security

- ✓ Configuration Issues
- ✓ Coding Issues
- ✓ Data Encryption
- ✓ E-Commerce Functions
- ✓ User Authentication