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Sustainable Urban Mobility in Developing Countries

E-LEARNING COURSE

DATES

22 September - 12 December 2014

FEES

USD400

LEARNING TIME

About 6 hours per week

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18 September 2014

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

The rapid and often unplanned and uncoordinated growth of cities has compromised existing transportation systems and significantly increased the challenge of creating new transportation systems, especially in developing countries.

This online course is designed to provide answers, solutions and alternative approaches in the area of urban transport planning, towards a more sustainable transport system in developing cities.



COURSE GOAL

The course aims to enhance the capacity of local decision makers and urban and transportation planners to formulate and implement appropriate policies that contribute to sustainability in urban transport in developing countries.

METHODOLOGY

This 6-module course is based on UNITAR's sound adult learning pedagogical principles. Each module includes readings, self-assessment activities and quizzes. Participants also engage in hands-on and collaborative tasks. They have to work on a case study, where they can apply their knowledge practically, as well as to do peer-reviews and participate in group discussions. The learning activities are distributed in such a way to ensure the achievement of the learning objectives in a flexible manner. All course activities are moderated by a high level transportation expert.

TARGET AUDIENCE

The course is open to urban and transportation planners, decision-makers from local governments as well as representatives of service providers (national governments, private sector, NGOs) and international organizations involved in the transport sector worldwide. It is advisable to have prior basic knowledge of urban transport and/or urban planning issues.

COURSE DURATION & WORKLOAD

The course last 12 weeks. On average the course requires 6 hours of study time per week, varying from module to module.

CERTIFICATION

A certificate of completion will be issued to participants who achieve a minimum total score of 70%. A certificate of participation will be issued to participants who took all the exercises but achieved a final score inferior to 70%.

CONTENTS

Module 1: Urban growth and strategies for sustainable development

Module 2: Municipal mobility management

Module 3: Public transport services

Module 4: Management, financing & institutions

Module 5: Energy and environment

Module 6: Safety and social issues

TESTIMONIALS FROM PREVIOUS SESSIONS....

I feel that my decision to enroll in the e-course was an excellent choice...The modules were very succinct and exercises such as the case study and the peer-to-peer review were thought-provoking.

The materials provided are an amazing compilation of information and resources related to this topic.

The methodology allows students to work at their own pace.

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