

# WTO E-Learning – Online courses Explanatory note

WTO E-Learning aims at providing online training on matters related to international trade and WTO Agreements to government officials from developing Members and Observers.

# COURSES

The following courses are available in English, French and Spanish in 2017 on the WTO E-Learning website at <u>https://ecampus.wto.org</u>:

- Introduction to the WTO Level 1 (revised version)
- A short trip through TRIPS Level 2
- Accession to the WTO Level 2
- Agriculture in the WTO Level 2
- Copyright in the WTO Level 2
- Legal Underpinnings New interactive version Level 2 (new)
- Made in...: Understanding Rules of Origin Level 2
- Market Access for goods and Non-Agricultural Market Access Level 2
- Patents in the WTO Level 2 (new)
- Regional Trade Agreements and the WTO Level 2
- Sanitary and phytosanitary measures Level 2
- Technical Barriers to Trade in the WTO Level 2
- The Multilateral Trade Agreements and the WTO Level 2
- The WTO Dispute Settlement System Level 2
- The WTO and Trade Economics: Theory and Policy Level 2
- Trade and Development New interactive version Level 2
- Trade and Environment Level 2
- Trade Finance and the WTO Level 2
- Trade in Services in the WTO Level 2
- Trade Remedies and the WTO Level 2
- Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights Level 2
- Transparency and the WTO: Notification Obligations Level 2
- WTO in 10' Basic Level
- WTO Market Access Intelligence Online Level 2
- Tailored course Create your own course! (revised version)

# **REGISTRATION AND NOMINATION**

While the WTO E-Learning Training Materials are freely available on the WTO ECampus website, participants have to register and submit a Nomination Form in order to participate in the interactive activities, access the module exams and obtain a WTO certificate.

#### ONLINE Registration THROUGHOUT the year at: https://ecampus.wto.org

# **Registration for online courses is a two-step process. To register TWO FORMS should be completed and submitted:**

# 1. Online Registration Form

Interested government officials shall register online first. After duly completing the online registration form at <u>https://ecampus.wto.org</u>, the system will generate a registration number which candidates will need to fill the Nomination Form and complete the registration process.

#### Please, choose the language of your course very carefully (English, French or Spanish).

#### 2. Nomination Form

The nomination form can be downloaded from <u>https://ecampus.wto.org</u>. The Nomination Form is also sent attached to this Invitation Letter, which is forwarded to WTO technical assistance recipient Delegations.

The registration number is required. The participation of each candidate should be duly confirmed, by signature and official stamp, by the responsible government authorities. Nomination Forms should be either sent by email (scanned) to <u>elearning.registration@wto.org</u> or by fax to +41 22 739 5191.

The access codes are valid <u>for a two month period</u>, starting from the date of the first login to the website. During these two months, a dedicated Help Desk will be available to provide online assistance throughout the course.

Participation in a course can be cancelled or modified only during the first two weeks after the start of the course. Cancellation or course changes cannot be granted to participants who already submitted a course exam.

# **INTERACTIVE TOOLS**

The E-Learning platform offers interactive tools to enhance the learning experience. Registered participants may discuss trade issues in the News Forum and have real-time conversations with WTO experts in Chat Sessions.

### **COURSE DURATION**

The estimated average study time per course is from 50 to 60 hours. Participants can start their course at their convenience and will enjoy access to the course for a two-month period, within which they will be free to organize their studies best suited to their schedule.

# **EVALUATION**

Participants who successfully complete the elements of the course will be given a Certificate signed by the WTO Director-General. Participants with outstanding results will receive a Certificate with Distinction. More details on the course organization and certification will be available in the course guide upon first login to the website.

## WTO REFERENCE CENTRES

Participants may access the available found in WTO Reference Centres worldwide.

# **MORE DETAILS AND CONTACT POINT**

Please visit the E-Learning website, where you will find information about online courses: <u>https://ecampus.wto.org</u> or you can also contact <u>ecampus@wto.org</u>.