The ILO Turin Centre's facilities

Located in an attractive park on the banks of the River Po, the Centre's campus provides a congenial environment in which to live and study.

- It contains 21 pavilions with fully equipped modern classrooms, conference halls and meeting rooms fitted out for multilingual simultaneous interpretation, a computer laboratory, and a computerized documentation centre linked to various data banks.

The campus has 287 study/bedrooms, all with private bathrooms, telephones and cable television. It also has:

- a reception desk open 24 hours a day;
- a restaurant, a self-service canteen and a coffee lounge, all catering for international dietary needs;
- a bank;
- a travel agency;
- a laundry service;
- a post office;
- an internet point;
- a recreation room;
- facilities for outdoor and indoor sports;
- an infirmary.

Social events are regularly held both on and off campus, so that participants from different cultural backgrounds can make the most of the stimulating international climate.

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Institutional capacity building for effective labour market information systems (LMIS)

Background

The demand for analysing labour market data has risen, in line with the prioritization of countries to better understand the functioning of the labour market and the impact of policies and programmes on outcomes, including unemployment, employment, and decent work indicators. The adoption of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development requires governments and other stakeholders to monitor progress towards the defined goals and targets, including SDG 8 on Decent Work and Economic Growth. In line with the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, governments have committed to policy action concerning decent employment creation and inclusive economic growth, with references to the demand-side, supply-side, and labour market policies. Hence, the need for good labour market governance and institutions able to collect, store, analyse, disseminate, and monitor labour market information has become paramount for evidence-based policy-making.

A Labour Market Information System (LMIS) is "a network of institutions, persons and information that have mutually recognized roles, agreements, and functions with respect to the production, storage, dissemination, and use of labour market-related information and results in order to maximise the potential for relevant and applicable policy and programme formulation and implementation." The LMIS serves as a tool to aid decision-making in the area of labour market policy, and helps policy makers make informed policy decisions. It is a warning system for detecting problems in the labour market, as well as technical instrument for action in a variety of areas. It not only provides accurate information to policy makers and economic stakeholders, but also makes reliable projections that can be used to formulate and monitor national employment policies. Moreover, the LMIS would also provide the space for dialogue between producers and users of labour market information through institutional arrangements and networks, while at the same time improving the harmonization of employment policies and programmes. Overall, an efficient LMIS will enhance the scope of evidence-based policy-making and facilitate the measurement of progress towards the achievement of the policy objectives set out in national employment strategies.

Recognizing the rising demand of countries to better understand the functioning of labour market information systems (LMIS) doubled by the rising demand for measuring the impact of policies and programmes on labour market outcomes, the International Training Centre of the ILO in Turin (ITCILO) offers this course "Institutional capacity building for effective labour market information systems (LMIS)". The course aims to foster knowledge and experience sharing through engaging policy practitioners, social partners, academics, in addition to officials of regional and institutional development organizations on the subject matter.

Objective

The main objective of the course is to provide participants with a sound understanding of the main functions, components, and applications of a Labour Market Information System (LMIS). The course will highlight how an efficiently functioning LMIS is essential for the design, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of evidence-based employment and labour market policies.

The specific learning objectives of the course will include:

- Understanding the main components of a LMIS (Data collection, repository of information, analytical tools, and institutional arrangements);
- Understanding the main functions of a LMIS (Labour market analysis, monitoring and reporting on policies, econometric models/ employment projections)

Target audience

Statisticians and analysts from national statistical offices, ministries of labour and related institutions and other government agencies in charge of labour market data analysis; research and academic institutions, international organizations, development agencies, non-government organizations.

Content

Using a systematic approach, this course provides practical skills and tips for understanding the dynamics of an effective and efficient labour market information system (LMIS). The course is structured around the following modules::

- Overview of labour statistics and analysis;
- The collection and compilation of labour market data and information;
- Establishing a repository of information (data and indicators);
- Developing analytical capacity and tools, including monitoring and tracking indicators, analyzing relationships, and creating econometric models and projections;
- Institutional arrangements, coordination mechanisms, and networks for an effective LMIS.

Training methodology

The methodology focuses on a 'learning-by-doing' process that encourages the sharing of knowledge, experiences and best practices among participants.

The sessions will combine lectures by experts and practitioners with participatory individual exercises and group work, which will involve preparing, describing and **analyzing** real labour force data with STATA.

Venue and dates

The course will be held between 18 - 22 February 2019 in Turin, Italy.

Language

The course will be conducted in **English** and **French**.

Cost and financing

The course is fee-paying. The total cost of **Euros 2,250** includes:

- **EUR 1,615** as Tuition costs covering: course preparation, implementation and evaluation; training materials and books; the use of training facilities and support services, including online resources. For residential courses, they also cover emergency medical insurance;
- **EUR 635** as Subsistence costs covering; full board and lodging on the Centre's campus. Institutions that do not have sufficient funds to cover tuitions fees or international ticket may request joint funding from donor agencies in their own countries. The ITCILO does not provide any assistance to send such requests to donors.

ITCILO could have the capacity to offer a limited number of fellowships of which may cover part or all of subsistence and tuition fees. If eligible, early applicants will be given priority. Please inquire early!

Payments and cancellation

Payments need to be received latest 14 days before the beginning of the course. Payment modalities will be communicated in the letter of acceptance. In the event of a cancellation, a participant may be substituted with another candidate. Cancellations remain free of charge if communicated latest 14 days prior to the start of the course.

For cancellations after this date, a penalty will be applied. For further information regarding payment, cancellation and refunds, please consult: http://www.itcilo.org/en/training-offer/how-to-apply

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Travel to Turin

Please note that the indicated prices **do not include the cost of international travel** to and from the course venue in Turin. Also, note that the participants are responsible for obtaining a Schengen visa, if required. Visa applications must be submitted at least four weeks prior to the training course.

How to apply

To register, kindly fill in and submit the online registration form available here:
https://oarf2.itcilo.org/STF/A9012217/en

The selection of applicants will be based on the submission of:

- A completed online registration form
- An **offi cial sponsorship letter** issued by their organization (or donor organization), stating that it will cover:
  - The cost of the course € 2,250 (Euro 1615 as Tuition costs, Euro 635 as Subsistence costs)
  - The cost of the international travel between the country of origin and the Turin Centre.

Kindly note that we need to receive the above-mentioned documents in order to register you for the course!

The selection of applicants will be based on the following criteria:

- Proven work experience in relevant field (e.g., labour force survey data collection, processing, analysing and interpretation; statistical reporting);
- Submission of a cover letter explaining how the course will help the participant enhance their professional skills and how they will use these skills in their respective organizations

We strongly recommend applying early since admission is competitive and space is limited!

Deadline for application:

The deadline for applications is **7th of December 2018**.

Contacts

- Administrative arrangements can be coordinated through the following email (lmstats@itcilo.org);
- For the technical coordination, please also be in contact with the ITCILO programme officer Mr. Mostafa Mohamed (m.mohamed@itcilo.org).