



ACADEMY

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## INTRODUCTION

The International Labour Office (ILO), through the Occupational Safety and Health and Working Environment Branch (ILO OSHE), is promoting the realization of the fundamental right to a safe and healthy working environment and of a global culture of occupational safety and health (OSH) prevention, by developing and strengthening national OSH frameworks, enhancing national capacities, including to address specific hazards and risks, promoting the ratification and implementation of ILO OSH standards, strengthening the knowledge base, and leading global advocacy and awareness raising efforts on OSH. The ILO OSHE, jointly with the International Training Centre of the ILO (ITCILO), are organizing this Academy on OSH with the purpose to disseminate guidelines, tools and approaches to improve OSH at the national, institutional and organizational levels.

The Academy is a global event offering a choice of highly-specialized tracks on OSH designed to meet the needs of different target groups. This Academy will provide participants with a unique opportunity to gain new insights, share experiences and reflect on key issues, trends and challenges relating to OSH. It will provide a unique space to craft a tailored learning journey while exchanging knowledge and experience on common challenges and good practices in OSH, generating focussed discussions, and networking with practitioners and professionals interested in and working on OSH-related matters from across the globe.

This edition the Academy will include different topics such as for example, how to manage the threats and opportunities contemporary challenges and the digital and climate transitions affecting the safety and health of the workers, as well as selected topics of the ILO agenda, among them, the National Governance of the OSH and the management of the biological hazards in the workplace.

## PARTICIPANTS' PROFILE

Policy makers, technical officers and advisors from government institutions responsible for planning and managing OSH at national level; representatives of workers' organisations and employers' organisations involved in OSH issues; and occupational health professionals from companies or from public or private organisations advising companies on OSH. The programme may also be of interest to other people, such as researchers or trainers in the field of OSH.

## LANGUAGE

English, French and Spanish

## KEY FEATURES

### ITCILO CAMPUS IN TURIN

The campus offers modern training facilities that make a unique space for learning

### LEARN DIFFERENTLY

Innovative training methodologies and integrated use of digital learning technology

### ADULT LEARNING

The Center's training methods include a participatory approach to adult learning

### RESOURCE PERSONS

Learn from ILO specialists, ITCILO trainers and recognized international experts

### ITCILO CERTIFICATE

Successful participants will receive ITCILO Certificate of Participation

## OBJECTIVES

The general objective of this Academy is strengthening the capacities to deal with OSH challenges and selected risks.

At the end of the Academy, participants are expected to be able to:

- Summarize the key issues to take into consideration for implementing the fundamental OSH conventions at the national and enterprise level.
- Describe the ILO recommendations for implementing preventive and protective measures on psychosocial, mechanical, biological, chemical, & ergonomics hazards.
- Identify the present and future challenges for ensuring a healthy and safe working environment to the workers and the best ways to deal with them.
- Evaluate the feasibility and identify the ways of applying new guidelines, tools and approaches to improve OSH into their national, institutional and organizational environments.

# CONTENTS

Through plenary and elective sessions, the Academy covers topics including:

## PLENARY SESSIONS

- A safe and healthy working environment as a fundamental principle and right
- National OSH frameworks and the ILO OSH fundamental conventions
- OSH and climate change. The environmental transition
- Potentialities of new technologies for OSH. The digital transition
- New ILO standards and other instruments on biological hazards
- ILO instruments chemical hazards
- ILO instruments on ergonomics hazards
- ILO instruments on Safety and Health in the use of machinery
- Psychosocial risks & mental health
- Selected good practices of OSH management
- Forecasting the future on OSH

## PARALEL ELECTIVE SESSIONS

- Managing biological hazards
- Managing chemical hazards
- Managing ergonomics hazards
- Managing safety and health in machinery

## PARALEL ELECTIVE STUDY VISITS

Participants will be able to select one of four companies from different sectors (Construction, Mining, Manufacturing, etc.) to visit and learn how health and safety is organised and managed.

# METHODOLOGICAL APPROACH

This course will use an online eCampus platform, which will present a Documentation Centre that will contain useful information for the participants on the themes of the Academy, including the presentations and materials used during the sessions.

The Academy consists of 30 hours of learning in total, broken up as follows:

- **Pre-course (4 hours):** Access to the online eCampus platform of the ITCILO for the Pre-course activities and self-guided learning, including a pre-course assessment.
- **Residential (25 hours):** 5 days of intensive and interactive training at the ITCILO in Turin including assessment at the end of the learning journey. Subject matter experts will deliver the training sessions. The training will include plenary and parallel elective sessions. The methodologies will also include presentations, case studies, group discussions, world café and study visits. A permanent monitoring of the learning process will be conducted throughout the training.

- **Post-course (1 hour):** Post-course activities via the eCampus platform, including a post-course assessment. An individual end-of-course evaluation questionnaire will be used to allow participants to express their views about the Academy. All the resources and materials remain accessible on the eCampus platform after completion of the Academy.

## PARTICIPATION COSTS, APPLICATIONS AND PAYMENT

The cost of participation, excluding international air travel, is 2,545 Euros, payable in advance by the participant or his or her sponsoring organization. This fee includes the tuition, training related documentation, resources and material (1,825 Euros), as well as accommodation in a single room with a full board stay on the Turin campus (720 Euros). The fee does not include travel to/ from Turin and transportation to/from the airports.

Applications to participate in the workshop should be done online on the following webpage:

Application form in English: <https://oarf2.itcilo.org/STF/A9017956/en>

Application form in French: <https://oarf2.itcilo.org/STF/A9017956/fr>

Application form in Spanish: <https://oarf2.itcilo.org/STF/A9017956/es>

no later than **19 September 2025**.

The filled-in application form should be accompanied by a signed written communication of commitment from the sponsoring institution indicating how the participant will be financed. After the deadline for applications, the Academy and the selected candidates will be confirmed and the instructions for logistics, travel, visas as well as for the advanced payment, will be provided. All the payments need to be received before the beginning of the Academy.

For information regarding payment, cancellation and refunds, please consult <https://www.itcilo.org/applications-payments-cancellation>

# CAMPUS LIFE

## A THRIVING UNITED NATIONS CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY OF PROFESSIONAL PEOPLE FROM AROUND THE WORLD

- **Three organizations** from the United Nations system on campus
- **More than 300 training courses** and activities in a stimulating international environment
- **Thousands of participants** from all over the world

## ENVIRONMENT AND SURROUNDINGS

### Grab a campus bicycle and explore the Turin Centre.

Located in a leafy park on the banks of the Po River, it's a great place for study and collaboration. Experience innovative learning and training methods in modern classrooms equipped with simultaneous translation services.

## HOUSING, DINING, AND MORE

Comprising more than 280 private dormitories, the **Turin Campus provides a broad range of services for course participants and partners** including a free-flow restaurant, travel agency, laundromat, post office, gym, medical services and a reception desk open 24/7.

## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND DIVERSITY

**Participants can enjoy social events organized by the Turin Centre** as well as by their course facilitators. Whether on or off campus, people from different cultural backgrounds have the opportunity to listen to live music together, cook and share traditional foods, or team up to play games and network.

## WITHDRAWAL, CANCELLATION POLICY, AND REFUNDS FOR OPEN COURSES

If an enrolled participant wishes or must withdraw from a course, they may choose to apply to a different course or be substituted by another candidate. The participant must notify the Centre, in writing, of their decision at least 14 days prior to the start date of the course. Cancellation of participation in regular courses will result in the following penalties:

- 14 days or more prior to the start date of the course: No penalty, 100% refund of amount paid less applicable bank charges
- 8 to 13 days prior to the start date of the course: Penalty of 50% of course price, refund of residual amount paid (if any) less applicable bank charges
- 7 days or less prior to the start date of the course: Penalty of 100% of course price.

# INFO

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT

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