Dear Sir/Madam,

The International Training Centre of the ILO is organizing the following courses in the field of Occupational Safety and Health and Labour Inspection on 2019. The residential courses will take place in Turin, Italy. The language of instruction is English.

We would be most grateful if you could disseminate this information among interested individuals, partners and organizations.

**Distance-learning course on occupational safety and health**

Becoming a safety and health professional requires multidisciplinary training. The OSH profession calls for a broad-based educational background combined with specialized knowledge of aspects of the physical sciences (medicine, physics, chemistry and engineering) and social sciences (behaviour, motivation and communication), and the principles and concepts of management. Many professionals need to update their competences in these fields. To meet this need, the International Training Centre of the International Labour Organization (ITC-ILO) is offering a distance-learning course on OSH, delivered via an internet-based platform. The proposed programme will incorporate the ILO's international experience of OSH and, where methodology is concerned, the ITCILO's international training experience.

**Date:** 04 February - 19 July 2019
**Deadline for applications:** 18 January 2019

**Language:** English

**Location:** Distance

The course is aimed at trainers and advisers belonging to governmental and employers' and workers' organizations involved in the promotion of OSH within enterprises. The programme may also be of interest to members of other professional and industrial bodies, training institutions involved in OSH and, above all, managers, supervisors and technical staff responsible for OSH within enterprises.

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**Date:** 11 - 15 March 2019

**Deadline for applications:** 31 January 2019

**Languages:** English

**Location:** ITCILO, Turin, Italy

SOLVE is an interactive educational programme for developing policy and actions to address health-promotion issues in the workplace. It focuses on prevention by integrating health promotion into occupational safety and health (OSH) policies and actions at the enterprise level. It covers the prevention of work-related stressors (workplace-related and economic), alcohol and drug abuse, violence (physical and psychological) and HIV/AIDS, as well as promoting tobacco-free workplaces and healthy lifestyles, including good eating, sleeping and exercise habits. The programme will assist in the design of policies and interventions to improve working conditions and reduce work-related stress from an OSH perspective by incorporating psycho-social hazards into the risk-assessment and management strategy, involving both employers and workers through bipartite OSH committees at enterprise level.

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Human resource managers and OSH and social welfare managers of organizations and enterprises; directors and officers of institutions and government departments responsible for OSH and health promotion; members of employers' and trade-union organizations with an active interest in health promotion in the workplace; consultants, teachers and researchers working in the fields of OSH and health promotion.
Strategies to ensure OSH for young workers

Young workers are highly vulnerable in the workplace. According to recent EU data, they suffer as much as a 40 per cent higher rate of non-fatal occupational injuries than older workers. In the United States, the risk of young workers between the ages of 15 and 24 suffering a non-fatal occupational injury is approximately twice as high as for workers aged 25 or older. Many factors contribute to this: their physical and psychological stage of development; a lack of job skills, work experiences and training; inadequate supervision in the workplace; limited knowledge of occupational safety and health (OSH) hazards and preventive practices; a lack of understanding of their rights at work; and limited bargaining power. These factors often lead young workers to accept dangerous tasks in unsafe working conditions. This course familiarizes participants with the ILO’s international guidelines, principles and tools, and the experience of consolidated and successful national OSH systems and programmes in addressing youth vulnerabilities and protecting young workers.

Tripartite policy-makers and technical staff, representatives of youth organizations

Date: 18 - 22 March 2019
Deadline for applications: 15 February 2019
Language: English
Location: ITCILO, Turin, Italy
Occupational safety and health management in the construction sector

The objective of this course is to strengthen capacities for implementing and developing an OSH management approach in the construction sector by familiarizing participants with procedures for conducting risk assessments, the nature of hazards in the construction sector, the principles of OSH management, based on ILO-OSH 2001, as well as selected good practices in OSH management in the construction sector.

This course is aimed at government officials involved in the enforcement of OSH legislation; OSH advisers and trainers belonging to employers' and workers' organizations involved in the promotion of OSH; and managers, supervisors and technical staff responsible for OSH in construction-sector enterprises.

Date: 25 March - 05 April 2019
Deadline for applications: 15 February 2019
Language: English
Location: ITCILO, Turin, Italy
E-learning course on labour inspection

This course will familiarize participants with the principles, functions and main characteristics of labour inspection. Participants will be able to choose from different compliance strategies and carry out a comprehensive and effective labour inspection visit relating to working conditions and occupational safety and health, applying new tools and a set of indicators for identifying the employment relationship.

Labour inspectors at central or provincial level; labour inspection managers; labour administration officials involved in labour protection; trainers from labour administration/inspection training institutions; employers' and workers' representatives with a special interest in labour inspection; ILO officials and staff from technical cooperation projects; experts, researchers and consultants in labour-related issues.
Employment injury schemes and the prevention of occupational accidents and diseases

The objective of this course is to strengthen the capacity of employment injury institutions to manage occupational accidents and diseases and promote preventive approaches to OSH. It disseminates the experience gained by the ILO and facilitates the sharing of selected innovative and successful strategies for promoting preventive and proactive OSH approaches to employment injury schemes.

The course is aimed at decision-makers from ministries and institutions responsible for social security and OSH, representatives of employers' and workers' organizations involved in the governance of OSH and social security, the technical staff of employment injury institutions, and representatives of training institutions involved in OSH and social security issues.
Training of trainers on improving safety and health in small and micro enterprises

The ILO has developed and tested various tools for promoting occupational safety and health (OSH) in the workplace. Participatory Action-Oriented Training (PAOT) is a training methodology specifically designed to improve working conditions and productivity in Small and Micro Enterprises (SMEs) and the informal economy in developing countries. To promote sustainable delivery mechanisms for improving OSH in SMEs, this course, which includes both a distance-learning and a residential phase, aims to instruct trainers from developing countries in the delivery of OSH courses based on the PAOT programmes, and at the same time offer them an online knowledge platform and a virtual professional community for networking purposes.

- Trainers and technical advisers from government; institutions responsible for supporting SMEs on OSH and working conditions;
- Workers' and employers' organizations representatives involved in supporting their members in improving OSH and working conditions;
- Representatives of non-governmental organizations actively supporting SMEs in OSH and working conditions;
- Staff of technical cooperation projects supporting SMEs;
- Consultants, university teachers and researchers working in the fields of OSH and working conditions.

Date: 01 August - 08 November 2019
Deadline for applications: 19 July 2019
Language: English
Location: Blended

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Master in Occupational Safety and Health

The University of Turin, Italy, in partnership with the International Training Centre of the International Labour Organization (ITCILO), the International Labour Office (ILO) and the International Commission of Occupational Health (ICOH) is offering a Master course in Occupational Safety and Health. This one-year programme, to be held in English, includes an internet-based distance learning phase, a face-to-face residential phase at the ITCILO campus in Turin followed by another distance phase for the preparation of the dissertation. The proposed programme combines the advantages of the academic experience and the international training experience in OSH of the organizing partners. An international approach has been applied to the contents, the methodology development and the composition of the training team. This programme involves participants from both developing and developed countries, who will have an opportunity to share their different experiences. Furthermore, it also offers a range of learning situations in which participants can enhance their analytical and problem solving skills.

The course has been specifically designed for hygienists, physicians, chemists, engineers, inspectors, practitioners and officers with a university degree but without previous specialization in OSH, who are working, or wish to work, as OSH specialists.

Deadline for applications: 31 May 2018.
For further information, please contact the course administrator (f.martin@itcilo.org) or visit our website: www.itcilo.org/turinschool
National programmes and systems of occupational safety and health

The International Training Centre of the ILO, in collaboration with LabAdmin/OSH (the ILO programme which promotes OSH), is organizing this course in Turin to acquaint participants with the international guidelines and principles of the ILO, and with experience gained from consolidated and successful national OSH systems and programmes. Although countries have different problems where OSH is concerned, and therefore require different solutions, this course provides useful input for those participating in decision-making to improve and develop OSH governance in their respective countries.

This course is aimed at policy-makers, senior officials and advisers from government institutions responsible for the planning, implementation and management of OSH, and workers' and employers' representatives involved in OSH policy-making at the national level. The programme may also be of interest to researchers, trainers and consultants in this field.

Date: 21 October - 01 November 2019
Deadline for applications: 13 September 2019
Language: English
Location: ITCILO, Turin, Italy
Academy on Workplace Compliance through Labour Inspection

The Academy will provide participants with a unique opportunity to gain new insights, share experiences and reflect on key issues, trends and challenges relating to workplace compliance through labour inspection.

Labour administration/inspection officials; representatives of workers’ and employers’ organizations; ILO officials and staff of technical cooperation projects; experts, researchers, trainers and consultants in labour-related issues.

Date: 25 November - 06 December 2019

Deadline for applications: 04 October 2019

Language: English - French - Spanish - Arabic

Location: ITCILO, Turin, Italy

Additionally, our Centre also organizes the following courses on Occupational Safety and Health and Labour Inspection in Spanish.

A2711993 *Formación de Formadores SOLVE: integración de la promoción de la salud en las políticas de Seguridad y Salud en el Trabajo*, Turin, Italy 01/04/2019 -14/06/2019.

A2011999 *Programas y sistemas nacionales de seguridad y salud en el trabajo* Turin, Italy, 20/05/2019 - 31/05/2019.
A2012018 Gestión de la seguridad y salud en el trabajo, Turín, Italy, 16/09/2019 - 27/09/2019

A2012021 La prevención de las enfermedades del trabajo, Turín, Italy, 30/09/2019 - 11/10/2019

A2012030 Academia sobre el cumplimiento de las normas en el lugar de trabajo mediante la inspección del trabajo; Turín, Italia, 25/11/2019 - 06/12/2019