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INTERNET SOCIETY (ISOC) AND ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES (OAS) TRAINING PROGRAM

Deadline to apply: November 15th, 2021

Audience:

Ministries of Education and Ministries of Labor of the OAS Member States

Description:

This training program is the result of a collaboration between the Internet Society (ISOC) and the OAS through its Department of Human Development, Education and Employment (DDHEE). It is a set of **5 online courses** on topics related to Internet integration and governance at the level of public policies, programs and/or projects:

Course on Internet Governance: Tutor-led, with one live session per week.
Duration: November 23 to December 17 (4 weeks)
Live sessions: Fridays, 11.00 am – 12.00 pm EST (Washington D.C. local time)

Course on The Internet Way of Networking: Tutor-led, with one live session per week.
Duration: November 23 to December 17 (4 weeks)
Live sessions: Thursdays, 11.00 am – 12.00 pm EST (Washington D.C. local time)

Course on Encryption: Tutor-led, with an opening symposium and one live session.
Duration: December 1 to December 10
Opening symposium: December 1, 12:00 pm EST
Live session: Friday, December 10, 12.00 – 1.00 pm EST (Washington D.C. local time)

Course on digital footprints: Self-directed. Duration: Approx. 4 weeks. No live sessions.
Start date: November 30.

Course on Privacy: Self-directed. Duration: Approx. 4 weeks. No live sessions.
Start date: November 30.

The tutor-led courses have an estimated time commitment of between 3 and 4 hours per week, including live sessions (1 hour), completion of course contents (1 to 2 hours) and completion of light assignments ahead of the live sessions (30 minutes to 1 hour).

Please find enclosed the **course catalog** including a description of each course, as well as its objectives, learning outcomes and duration.



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Designation of teams:

Each Ministry will be able to designate a team of up to 4 officials to participate in the different courses, working in a collaborative spirit. Each team member will be able to participate in as many courses as they want. We recommend that teams be made up of officials responsible for public policies and programs about the subject and officials in charge of advising on topics related to cooperation and integration of technologies in their respective sector.

Opening event:

November 23rd, 10:00 – 1:00 p.m. EST (time in Washington DC). Participating teams are invited to the opening event for the Program and the first two courses.

Closing event:

December 15th, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. EST

Deadline to apply and more information:

Each Ministry is requested to submit its designated team by **November 15** to the Department of Human Development, Education and Employment (DDHEE), through its Permanent Mission to the OAS, as well as direct any queries to:

- Ministries of Education: education@oas.org
- Ministries of Labor: trabajo@oas.org

Certificate:

Individuals who complete each Course will receive a certificate of participation from ISOC and the OAS.