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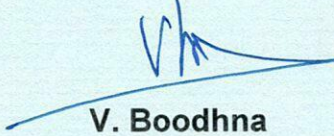
Ministry of Public Service, Administrative and Institutional Reforms
Circular Letter No. 56 of 2024
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From: **Secretary for Public Service**
To: **Supervising Officers of Ministries/Departments**

**Needs Survey for Knowledge Co-creation Program (Group and Region Focus) for the
Japanese Fiscal Year 2025**

The Embassy of Japan in Mauritius is requesting participants to fill a Needs Survey for the Knowledge Co-creation Program (Group and Region Focus) for the Japanese Fiscal Year 2025 (JFY 2025).

2. A total of 14 participants from Mauritius may be nominated for the JFY 2025 from the list of training courses at *Annex A*. A list of all training courses is at *Annex B*.
3. Interested candidates are requested to submit their duly filled-in Application Form by **Tuesday 13 August 2024** to this Ministry.
4. The Administration Division of this Ministry may be reached on telephone number 405 4100.
5. It would be appreciated if the contents of this Circular Letter could be brought to the attention of all officers serving in your Ministry/Department.


V. Boodhna
for Secretary for Public Service

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APPLICATION FORM FOR KNOWLEDGE CO-CREATION PROGRAM (GROUP AND REGION FOCUS) IN JFY 2025

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Maximum Number of Requests : 14

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No.	PROJECT TITLE Outline	Sector	Sub-Sector	Language	Remaining Period	Desired No. of Participants	Request	
1	Control of Drug Offences	202411484	Governance	Public Safety	English	2yrs	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<p>1 In order to confront transnational criminal organizations engaged in drug smuggling and trafficking, which pose a serious threat to the safety of civil society and the rule of law, international collaboration and cooperation among law enforcement agencies are essential as well as capacity building of law enforcement agencies. Japan is promoting drug crime investigation using the latest forensic technology. This seminar will share with you world's drug situation and drug investigation in Japan and participating countries, and help you establish the international network to fight against transnational drug crimes</p>						
2	Governmental Human Resource Management (For Government Officials)	202411487	Governance	Administrative Institutions	English	1yr	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<p>2 This course is designed for government officials (level of Director of Division or higher) of the central personnel administration agencies which is responsible for the personnel management of government officers. Participants will learn about systems and practices of personnel management and its principle in Japan and participating countries and consider possible solutions for challenges they are facing in their countries.</p>						
3	National Government Administration for Senior Officials	202411489	Governance	Administrative Institutions	English	2yrs	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<p>3 The way of public administration contributing to the socioeconomic development in the participating countries will be reviewed and a better plan will be proposed. As references, the postwar development process and the recent socioeconomic trends in Japan will be introduced from the view point of policy formulation and implementation based on the historical and social background.</p>						
4	Debt Management Based on Medium Term Strategy (Including MTDS) - Collaborative Program between WB and JICA-	202411503	Economic Policy	Public Finance (expenditure management)	English	3yrs	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<p>4 The program aims to strengthen the debt management capacity of debt management authorities of central government in developing countries by providing them with the knowledge and practical exercises on debt management strategic frameworks including Medium Term Debt Management Strategy (MTDS) and the concepts necessary to promote debt management from a medium-term perspective, in cooperation with the World Bank's Macroeconomic, Trade, and Investment (MTI) Global Practice.</p>						
5	Policies and Practices in an Aging Society: Creating Age-Inclusive Communities	202411532	Health	Health System	English	1yr	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<p>5 This training aims to provide a comprehensive understanding of the promotion of inclusion of the old persons in the community. To strengthen policy-making and practical skills related to the old persons through learning from the actual practice of community-based comprehensive care, including Japan's relevant policies and systems, public-private partnerships, and initiatives by residents, utilizing the knowledge and experience of Japan, which has experienced rapid population aging ahead of other countries.</p>						

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	PROJECT TITLE Outline						
6	202411556	Education	Early Childhood Development	English	2yrs	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	This program recognizes early childhood education and ECD as an effective way of poverty reduction, and emphasizes not only educational but also nutritional and health aspects of ECD. The program aims to contribute to quality improvement of early childhood education and ECD in participating countries by sharing the experience and knowledge of early childhood care and education in Japan as well as by co-creating knowledge with participants.						
7	202411568	Education	Tertiary Education	English	2yrs	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	The University Network Program of Engineering Education Development						
	Developing countries struggle with low enrollment rates and a lack of quality education and research in higher education. Leading universities in these countries are unable to raise the overall level of higher education due to budget constraints and lack of industry connections, resulting in a shortage of skilled human resources and brain drain. Therefore, these challenges need to be urgently addressed. The training aims to deepen understanding of building international networks through human and academic collaboration. Participants acquire planning and implementation methods to strengthen education and research systems, promote highly skilled human resources development, knowledge co-creation by research, and social implementation from the international partnership activities of Japanese universities. It also focuses on building networks with Japanese universities and institutions supported by JICA for promoting international brain circulation.						
8	202411588	Private Sector Development	Private Sector Development	English	2yrs	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Industrial Promotion and Business Innovation by DX Promotion						
	The purposes of this training are: 1 to learn about digital technology and various measures to utilize and disseminate in business in Japan, 2 to promote DX through comparative study with their countries and dialogue with the Japanese government and private companies, and 3 to contribute to industrial promotion of the participating countries and management innovation in their own industries. This training aims at facilitating consideration of mutual complementarity and comparative advantage of application to their country and cooperation with Japan, by incorporating specific examples and their support measures, such as small and medium-sized enterprises manufacturing industry implementation cases (production/cost management, inspection automation, inventory management, predictive maintenance), service industries (demand forecast, chatbots), as well as new industry creation (new business development such as utilizing drone) and IoT/AI technologies/services, business-stadiums.						
9	202411592	Private Sector Development	Private Sector Development	English	2yrs	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Digital Kaizen (Quality and Productivity Improvement by Utilizing Digital Technologies in Small and Medium Enterprises)						
	This course is designed for personnel who support SMEs and IT-related personnel to learn about methods and examples of quality and productivity improvement using digital technology at manufacturing sites, as well as the system for promotion. The objective is to foster awareness of the further significance and challenges of introducing digital technology by utilizing bottom-up business improvement methods cultivated through kaizen activities, and to develop core personnel who will incorporate the technology into support activities at their organizations.						
10	202411644	Urban/Regional Development	Urban Development	English	3yrs	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Comprehensive City Planning						
	Urban population is growing, and it is projected to increase into nearly two-thirds of the world population by 2050. Due to the rapid urbanization in many developing countries, more than 80% of the world urban population will be living in the developing countries. Although the role of urban city is to be an engine of economic growth, rapid urbanization is causing various problems such as lack of infrastructure, heavy traffic and environmental pollution. Thus, a comprehensive city planning is an essential approach to solve multiple issues. This program aims to provide knowledge and practices in the efficient city planning system, effective comprehensive urban planning and development approach based on Japan's experiences and discussions. Through this program, participants will learn comprehensive framework and specific approach to improve urban planning as well as urban development in their home country.						

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11	Comprehensive Urban Transportation Planning	202411652	Urban/Regional Development	Other Urban & Regional Development Issues	English	1Yr	<input type="checkbox"/>
		202411671	Transportation	Inter-national/-regional Transportation	English	3yrs	<input type="checkbox"/>
12	Strategic Port Administration and Management	202411694	Natural Resources and Energy	Energy Conservation	English	1Yr	<input type="checkbox"/>
							Promotion of Energy Efficiency and Conservation
13	This training course is designed for officials engaged in energy efficiency and conservation policies, promotion, and audits, and introduces the recognition of issues based on IBA energy data, the overall picture of energy efficiency and conservation policies, energy efficiency and conservation promotion measures in the industrial, commercial and residential, transport sectors, energy efficiency and conservation in lighting and air conditioning equipment, energy management and audits, and other initiatives to promote the government and private sectors' role in energy efficiency and conservation.	202411708	Nature Conservation	Conservation of Biodiversity	English	3yrs	<input type="checkbox"/>
		202411711	Environmental Management	Climate Change	English	2yrs	<input type="checkbox"/>
14	Ecosystem-Based Solutions for Disaster Risk Reduction (Eco-DRR) is one of the disaster risk reduction measures. In recent years, natural disasters have become more frequent and intensified due to climate change, etc. and Eco-DRR initiatives have been attracting the attention as measures that can achieve multiple benefits, such as disaster risk reduction, climate change adaptation / mitigation and biodiversity. This program aims to prevent / reduce the damage of natural disasters, and to conserve and strengthen natural ecosystems in each developing country through understanding practical examples of Eco-DRR including disaster prevention functions possessed by forests (cultivation of water resources, sediment disaster prevention, climate change adaptation / mitigation, etc.).	202411711	Environmental Management	Climate Change	English	2yrs	<input type="checkbox"/>
							Enhancing Access to Climate Finance: Theory and Application for Practitioners
15	A large amount of finance is needed to tackle with climate change in developing countries. Among several climate finance, i.e. Adaptation Fund (AF), Global Environment Facility (GEF), Green Climate Fund (GCF), which now became a biggest climate financial mechanism, was set in 2010 within the Framework of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC), as an operating entity of the financial mechanism. Only Accredited Entities (AEs) have an access to GCF funding, and 97 AEs have been approved by GCF, including JICA (as of May 2020). Of which 17 projects were formulated and submitted by Direct Access Entities (DAEs), and GCF encourages DAEs to formulate projects. This course, targeting at officials from National Designated Authorities (NDAs) and line ministries, aims to improve access to climate finance by enhancing their skills to formulate climate change projects and develop concept notes.						

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16	202411735	Water Resources	Urban Water Supply	English	1yr	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<p>Non-Revenue Water Management (Leakage Control)</p> <p>Capacity development in non-revenue water management including detection and prevention of leakage, analysis of leakage volume, and planning of leakage prevention is done, through practical training contents such as practical exercises, field visits, practical lectures, and a knowledge sharing among participants. In addition, in order to realize "Knowledge Co-creation through the program, we will exchange information with the participants even before they arrive in Japan, as well as to strengthen the network of ex-participants to maximize the effect of the program in the future. This course is implemented as a part of JICA's "Supporting the growth of water utilities" Cluster in JICA's Global Agenda "Sustainable Water Resources Management and Water Supply", which aims to create "growing water utilities" capable of self-sustaining expansion and improvement with a virtuous cycle of improving services, increasing operational efficiency, expanding tariff revenue, and securing investment.</p>						
17	202411738	Disaster Risk Reduction	Meteorology	English	1yr	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<p>Reinforcement of Meteorological Services</p> <p>The program aims to provide participants from National Meteorological and Hydrological Services (NMHSs) or its relevant organization with the key knowledge and techniques (e.g. meteorological observation, numerical weather prediction, satellite meteorology and climate information for advanced meteorological services) to improve their operational abilities with the support from the Japan Meteorological Agency, one of the world's leading providers of meteorological forecasting technology. This course is implemented as part of JICA's "Pre-disaster Investment and Build Back Better" cluster in JICA's Global Agenda "Strengthen overall governance for understanding and comprehension of disaster risks and disaster risk reduction".</p>						
18	202411746	Disaster Risk Reduction	Comprehensive Disaster Risk Reduction	English	1yr	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<p>Disaster Risk Reduction and Management on Infrastructure (River, Road and Port)</p> <p>Economic loss and physical loss in developing countries become more intensive and severe due to insufficient investment into Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR). In order to minimize disaster damage, it is important to focus not only on responding to the disaster after it occurs, but also on disaster prevention or preparedness of disaster before it happens. Japan, which has been suffered from the past disasters, is expected to contribute to raise awareness of disaster prevention and to promote economic and social development in developing countries. This course aims to develop and strengthen participants' capabilities to solve the issues or problems in the parent organization or country through lectures, site visits and practices on policies of disaster management in national and local governments, structural measures and non-structural measures on infrastructures (river, road and port) and build back better.</p>						

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No.	Sector	Desired Number of Participants
1	Education	2
2	Health	1
3	Governance	3
4	Transportation	1
5	Natural Resources and Energy	1
6	Economic Policy	1
7	Private Sector Development	2
8	Nature Conservation	1
9	Urban/Regional Development	2
10	Environmental Management	1
11	Water Resources	1
12	Disaster Risk Reduction	2
Total		18
Maximum Number of Requests		14

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No.	Sector	Desired Number of Participants
1	Education	
2	Health	
3	Governance	
4	Social Security	
5	Transportation	
6	Information and Communication Technology(Utilization of ICT)	
7	Natural Resources and Energy	
8	Economic Policy	
9	Private Sector Development	
10	Nature Conservation	
11	Gender and Development	
12	Urban/Regional Development	
13	Environmental Management	
14	Evaluation	
15	Agricultural Development	
16	Rural Development	
17	Water Resources	
18	Disaster Risk Reduction	
19	Others	
Total		
Maximum Number of Requests		14

Note:

JP2025 KCCP Long List

No	Project No.	Sector(s)	Project Title	Outline	Reason for Recommendation	Course Period From	Course Period To	JP2025 Short-list (Recommendation)
1	202411473	Governance	Competition Law and Policy - from the Basics to the Latest Digital Platform Regulation	This course is designed for officials of competition (behalf) authorities. The course will provide participants with the theoretical lectures on competition law and policy in Japan by academics, as well as practical seminars by JFTC officials in cooperation with the situation in Japan. Participants are expected to analyze the challenges in respective country and find its solution.		Under Planning	Under Planning	
2	202411474	Governance	Criminal Justice Focus on Investigation, Prosecution, Adjudication and International Cooperation	This course is organized by the United Nations Asia and Far East Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders (UNAFED), an institution known worldwide for its high-quality international training courses and seminars in the crime prevention and criminal justice (CPCJ) sector. This course targets officials engaged in CPCJ and consists of lectures by experts from Japan and the other countries, group discussions and visits to relevant organizations, on issues of international interests in the field of CPCJ. The goals of the course are to share knowledge, experiences, challenges and best practices, and to enhance practice in the field of CPCJ. At the same time, we will provide opportunities to build an international network that will contribute to achieving these goals.		Middle May-2025	Middle Jun-2025	
3	202411475	Governance	Improving Access to Justice to Realize SDG-16	This seminar is designed to introduce various systems and initiatives to improve access to justice in Japan, share challenges and experiences of participating countries, and encourage consideration of measures to improve access to justice in participating countries.		Oct-25	Dec-25	
4	202411476	Governance	Management of Correctional Facilities and Rehabilitation of Offenders	This programme is organized by the United Nations Asia and Far East Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders (UNAFED), an institution known worldwide for its high-quality international training courses and seminars in the crime prevention and criminal justice (CPCJ) sector. This programme targets officials engaged in CPCJ and consists of lectures by experts from Japan and the other countries, group discussions and visits to relevant organizations, on the issues of: i) effective and effective management of correctional facilities; and ii) rehabilitation of offenders and/or juveniles in conflict with the law etc. The goals of the programme are to share knowledge, experiences, challenges and best practices, and to enhance policy and practice in the field of CPCJ. At the same time, we will provide opportunities to build an international network that will contribute to achieving these goals.		End Aug-2025	End Sep-2025	
5	202411477	Governance	Enhancing Policy and Practice in the Field of Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice (former Seminar)	This seminar is organized by the United Nations Asia and Far East Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders (UNAFED), an institution known worldwide for its high-quality international training courses and seminars in the crime prevention and criminal justice (CPCJ) sector. This seminar targets officials engaged in CPCJ and consists of lectures by experts from Japan and the other countries, group discussions and visits to relevant organizations, on themes in the field of international trends in the field of CPCJ. The goals of the seminar are to share knowledge, experiences, challenges and best practices, and to enhance policy and practice in the field of CPCJ. At the same time, we will provide opportunities to build an international network that will contribute to achieving these goals.		Jan-26	Jan-26	
6	202411478	Governance	Criminal Justice Response to Corruption	This course is organized by the United Nations Asia and Far East Institute for the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders (UNAFED), an institution known worldwide for its high-quality international training courses and seminars in the crime prevention and criminal justice sector. This course targets officials engaged in anti-corruption and consists of lectures by experts from Japan and other countries, group discussions and visits to relevant organizations on issues related to the implementation of the United Nations Convention Against Corruption. The police/officer course are to share knowledge, experiences, challenges and best practices, and to enhance practice in the field of anti-corruption. At the same time, this course will provide opportunities to build an international network that will contribute to achieving these goals.		Under Planning	Under Planning	
7	202411479	Governance	Public International Law Focused on Law of the Sea and Peaceful Settlement of International Dispute	This seminar is designed to improve the capacity of practicing the international law in each participant's country by allowing an opportunity to learn the law of the sea and the mechanism for peaceful settlement of international disputes as well as by introducing the role of the public international law from the point of view of the role of law in the international society.		Under Planning	Under Planning	
8	202411480	Governance	Organization Management for Senior Police Officers	In order to realize the rule of law and guarantee fundamental human rights, it is essential that the police, as a law enforcement agency, be administered democratically. This seminar is offered to senior police officers. The participants learn democratic system and activities of Japan police, thus acquiring the knowledge and experience necessary for future senior executives. They share the challenges they face and discuss how to deal with those issues.		End May-2025	Middle Jun-2025	
9	202411481	Governance	International Criminal Investigation	In order to realize the rule of law and guarantee basic human rights in the midst of increasing cross-border crime, it is necessary to strengthen international cooperation and international collaboration among law enforcement agencies, as well as to strengthen the capacity of law enforcement agencies in each country. This program is offered to mid-level officials, especially for officials of international criminal investigation or Mutual Legal Assistance in criminal matters. Participants have opportunities to identify the common understanding and challenges each country is facing in the field, as well as to consider measures to deal with them by observing how Japanese police have worked in this field.		End Jun-2026	End Feb-2026	
10	202411482	Governance	Community Policing	In order to realize the rule of law and guarantee basic human rights, it is necessary to ensure the safety and peace of local communities. In Japan, community policing activities are based on police boxes (Koban) and residential police boxes (Chushitsu), working closely with local communities and in cooperation with local residents, businesses, and local governments. This KCCP is targeted for officers of central police agency in each country. Participants acquire knowledge and technique of community policing after learning the system and activities of Japanese community policing. They also have a chance to know the educating system of police officers. Furthermore participants share their own activities for community policing and discuss how to improve their system.		Nov-25	Nov-25	
11	202411483	Governance	Countermeasures Against Cybercrime	With the pressing threat of cybercrime, international collaboration and cooperation among law enforcement agencies has become essential, as well as strengthening the capacity of law enforcement agencies in each country to promote the rule of law in cyberspace. In this KCCP, the participants will learn how the Japanese police deal with cybercrime in terms of investigation technique, legislation, cooperation with the private sector and digital forensics. The program also provides them an opportunity to strengthen collaboration and cooperation among national police of Japan and participating countries.		End Jan-2026	End Feb-2026	

12	202411484	Governance	Control of Drug Offences	In order to confront transnational criminal organizations engaged in drug smuggling and trafficking, which pose a serious threat to the safety of civil society and the rule of law, international collaboration and cooperation among law enforcement agencies are essential. As well as capacity building of law enforcement agencies, Japan is promoting drug crime investigation using the latest forensic technology. This seminar will share with you world's drug situation and drug investigation in Japan and participating countries, and help you establish the international network to fight against transnational drug crime.			End Aug-2025	Beginning Sep-2025	1
13	202411485	Governance	Election Management in Democratic Countries	Credible electoral management is essential to achieve fair elections which are the foundation of democracy. This course aims to increase knowledge on a credible electoral management and will include topics on, but not limited to voter registration, polling, counting, result management, voter and civic education, electoral system, electoral policy, media and election, and elements of democracy.			Under Planning	Under Planning	
14	202411486	Governance	The Role of Media in Democratic Countries (Access to Information and Function as a Watchdog)	In order to maintain a sound democratic country, it is essential to guarantee freedom of speech, which is one of the fundamental human rights, and for the media to fulfil its function of monitoring power. This seminar mainly focuses on the "Public Service Broadcasting, which is expected to report without being influenced by the state power of the market. The participants of the seminar also learn Japan's media administration, the dual system of the public and the private media, and self-regulatory system.			Under Planning	Under Planning	
15	202411487	Governance	Governmental Human Resource Management (For Government Officials)	This course is designed for government officials (level of Director or higher) of the central personnel administration agencies which is responsible for the personnel management of government officers. Participants will learn about systems and practices of personnel management and its principle in Japan and participating countries and consider possible solutions for challenges they are facing in their countries.			Beginning Sep-2025	Middle Sep-2025	1
16	202411488	Governance	Government Audit on Public Construction Works	In auditing public works, it is essential to verify not only the accounting aspect, but also the designing, cost estimation, construction and usage after completion. This seminar aims to enhance SAJ auditor's ability of public works audit by sharing experience and knowledge of SAJ Japan, thereby contributing to improvement of social infrastructure, which leads to further development in their countries.			Under Planning	Under Planning	
17	202411489	Governance	National Government Administration for Senior Officials	The way of public administration contributing to the socioeconomic development in the participating countries will be reviewed and a better plan will be proposed. As a reference, the pasteur development process and the recent socioeconomic trends in Japan will be introduced from the view point of policy formulation and implementation, based on the historical and social background.			Middle Nov-2025	Beginning Dec-2025	1
18	202411490	Governance	Participatory Local Social Development (PLSD) - An Emerging Discipline for Sustainable Local Development through Functional Collaboration between Local Government and People	Many developing countries have been promoting decentralization reforms to attend the diversified needs of local societies and realize sustainable development, but it has not been very successful in many cases. The salient key for its breakthrough is to develop an effective mechanism of functional collaboration between local government and people, coupled with community engagement and based on the particular feature of respective areas. This course will present the theory and practice of PLSD, as an alternative paradigm to realize the basic PLSD has already been adopted in many countries including Japan for years, providing various encouraging outcomes. It will provide participants with an opportunity to explore sustainable development of their respective areas, using innovative analytical framework to understand local community property to identify the specific elements and factors for their own development, which has been beyond the scope of conventional development theories.			Under Planning	Under Planning	
19	202411491	Governance	Capacity Building of Local Governments (or Development with Community Participation)	This course provides opportunities for officers of municipalities as well as of central governments responsible for regional development to learn experience and appropriate regarding local governance and community participation in Japan, and to be able to effectively play a role in regional development in their own countries.			Under Planning	Under Planning	
20	202411492	Governance	Local Governance in Global Perspectives	This program is designed for mid-level central and local government officials involved in local government. The training aims to deepen participants' understanding of their country's local government system by comparing the local system, including the state of government in Japan and the participating countries, and the actual local administration, while using the system and operation of local administration, public finance, and tax administration in Japan as a model.			Under Planning	Under Planning	
21	202411493	Governance	Theory and Practice of Official Statistics for Monitoring Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)	To build the fundamental capacity of regional statistical agencies to produce basic statistics related to the sustainable development indicators by relying on internationally agreed statistical indicators, frameworks, and methodologies, this training course will introduce current good practices and how these may be adapted to the country level in participating developing countries.			Under Planning	Under Planning	
22	202411494	Governance	Business and Human Rights	Under the Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights approved by the UN Human Rights Council in 2011, each signatory is expected to develop the necessary legislation to protect workers' rights within the nation and in any international business activities, and establish judiciary/non-judiciary grievance mechanism to remedy business-related human rights violations, while the private sector is expected to promote human rights due diligence (reference: HRDD) in order to identify, prevent, and mitigate negative impacts to workers' rights, and to establish effective grievance mechanism for individuals and communities. This training course aims to disseminate the efforts and good practices of Japanese fine industries, as well as companies and civil society organizations in charge of the implementation of the "Action Plan on Business and Human Rights (2020-2025)" to a wide range of human rights-related ministries in developing countries, and contribute to their promotion of HRDD.			Under Planning	Under Planning	
23	202411496	Economic Policy	Financial Regulation and Supervision	In the globalized economy, financial risks could give a considerable impetus to other economy. Well-graded operational system to regulate and supervise financial institutions is significant. This course provides expertise and knowledge on financial supervision administration in Japan and respective participating countries, and promote improvement of financial stability and supervision. In addition, the course also aims to respond the global tide of financial supervision area through delivering lecture that focus on AML (Anti Money Laundering) / CTF (Countering the Financing of Terrorism).			Under Planning	Under Planning	
24	202411498	Economic Policy	Assessing and Managing Debt-related Fiscal Risks- Collaborative Program between VOB and JICA	To present practical methods for striking the right balance in the cost-risk tradeoff of each government debt portfolio, for reducing vulnerability caused by financial risk, operational risk, and contingent liabilities, JICA will host a program on government risk management focusing on contingent liabilities in collaboration with the World Bank.			Under Planning	Under Planning	

25	202411499	Economic Policy	Customs Administration	With globalization, the role of customs is becoming increasingly important not only in domestic economy but also in international relations. In the past, customs administration was primarily focused on home country issues such as revenue and domestic industry protection. In recent years, however, the expansion of shipping and air transportation, regional integration, trade liberalization under WTO rules, and demonstration of threats to security due to increasing transnational crime have also become important issues for customs administration. This course aims to deepen the knowledge of customs administration field officers on such issues.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
26	202411500	Economic Policy	International Taxation	This seminar supports the capacity development of tax administration. Improving domestic capacity for tax and other revenue collection is important for achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The capacity development of tax administration is essential for that purpose, and will not only strengthen the national financial base, but also contribute to the improvement of the business environment through appropriate tax administration. This seminar was established in 2007 and is designed for middle-class officers who are engaged in the work related to international taxation at national tax authorities. Through the seminar participants are expected to master the knowledge of international taxation and to promote their proper implementation in participating countries. This seminar provides participants with lectures, discussions and tasks like preparing reports in order to foster the common view throughout each country about the international taxation rule.	Beginning May-2025	End May-2025	
27	202411501	Economic Policy	International Seminar on Taxation (General)	This seminar supports the capacity development of tax administration, improving domestic capacity for tax and other revenue collection. It is important for achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The capacity development of tax administration is essential for that purpose, and will not only strengthen the national financial base, but also contribute to the improvement of the business environment through appropriate tax administration. The seminar was established in 1968 and is designed for mid-level officials on tax administration in developing countries. It covers a wide range of Japanese tax administration, tax law, and others. Lectures invited include those of the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) for an intensive program.	Beginning Sep-2025	Beginning Oct-2025	
28	202411502	Economic Policy	International Seminar on Taxation (Advanced)	This seminar supports the capacity development of tax administration, improving domestic capacity for tax and other revenue collection. It is important for achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The capacity development of tax administration is essential for that purpose, and will not only strengthen the national financial base, but also contribute to the improvement of the business environment through appropriate tax administration. This seminar was established in 1974 and is designed for senior officials on tax administration in the developing countries.	Beginning Nov-2025	End Nov-2025	
29	202411503	Economic Policy	Debt Management Based on Medium Term Strategy (Including MTD5) -Collaborative Program between WB and JICA-	The program aims to strengthen the debt management capacity of debt management authorities of central government in developing countries by providing them with the knowledge and practical exercises on debt management strategic frameworks including Medium Term Debt Management Strategy (MTD5) and the concepts necessary to promote debt management from a medium-term perspective, in cooperation with the World Bank's Macroeconomic, Trade, and Investment (MTI) Global Practice.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
30	202411504	Gender and Dev	Gender and Diversity in Disaster Risk Reduction and Climate Change	This program aims to enhance capability of the National Machinery, other ministries or administrative bodies to disseminate the perspective of gender mainstreaming and gender equality in the design, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of policies and plans in various field.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
31	202411505	Gender and Dev	Promotion of Global Networking on Advancing in Finance	Yofukake in Person (YIP) is a serious human rights violation, and it requires prompt and effective responses in the light of humanity and human security. For effective YIP efforts by one country will not be sufficient to manage the issue completely. It is crucial that each country and region cooperate with each other so that they can share good practices and build strong networks. This course aims to promote a global network on anti-YIP through expanding mutual understanding on practical responses, including the fields of prevention, protection, investigation, and law enforcement.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
32	202411506	Gender and Dev	Gender and Diversity in Disaster Risk Reduction and Climate Change	Each participant is expected to understand how to strengthen DRR and climate change adaptation through women's participation by learning problems and good practices from Japan's efforts of related organizations and disaster experience and by sharing examples by participant countries on DRR and climate change adaptation from perspectives of high risk groups of the society (women, children, the elderly, persons with disabilities, etc.)	Under Planning	Under Planning	
33	202411507	Gender and Dev	Promotion of Women's Business and Entrepreneurship in Africa	In promoting sustainable and high-quality economic growth, it is important to create an environment in which women can demonstrate their abilities and promote equal participation in economic activities. However, in African countries, women are still limited in their access to a variety of resources and opportunities (including markets and financial services), and are unable to fully demonstrate their capabilities. Under these measures, this course will support strengthening of the administrative capabilities of African countries to promote women's entrepreneurship and business, recognizing the power and role of women as economic drivers. This course also promotes understanding of the importance of formulating business and management strategies from the perspective of gender equality, and women's engagement, setting into account international trends, JICA Global Agenda (Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment) and a cluster strategy, "Promotion of Gender-Smart Business".	Under Planning	Under Planning	
34	202411508	Gender and Dev	Facilitating Sexual and Gender-Based Violence (SGBV)	This program is to discuss and understand the effective approach to eradicate Sexual and Gender-Based Violence (SGBV) through prevention, protection of victims, autonomy and social reintegration of SGBV survivors, and punishment and rehabilitation of perpetrators. It undertakes to learn the know-how and experiences by public sector and private sector against SGBV in Japan based on the UN Global Agenda "No.34 Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment", especially Approach 3-Elimination of Sexual and Gender-Based Violence(SGBV). The participants will develop action plans to enhance the interventions to eradicate SGBV in each country.	Under Planning	Under Planning	

35	202413150	Information and Communication Technology/Utilization of ICT	Capacity Building for ICT Project Formulation (e-Government, e-Education, e-Health, e-Culture, etc.)	This course helps participants to acquire the practical skill to plan effective ICT projects to solve their countries' social issues (agriculture, education, health, e-commerce, etc.) in the public sector. ICT can be a powerful tool to create innovation, although careful planning is necessary for success. The program includes lecture/workshops on project solving methods (including problem/needs/feasibility analysis), discussions and site visits to check the latest ICT technology and good practices in Japan. This is a hands-on program where participants are expected to make an ICT project plan (see Action Plan).	Jun-25	Jul-25	
35	202413151	Information and Communication Technology/Utilization of ICT	ICT Core Personnel Development (Improvement of ICT Solution Planning and Development Capabilities)	"Development of human resource for digitalization" is defined as one of the important components in the JICA Global Agency "Digital for Development", and this program contributes to this effort in building a base for digitalization. Utilization of ICT is an effective approach for socio-economic development. This program offers practical ICT skills to improve operational efficiency in the organization. Provision of high-quality knowledge including digital literacy and policy making to promote DX will create status of participants. Focus will be given to the following programs in particular: (A) IT Architect: Human resources who plan and design entire information systems based on business strategies, business processes, user needs, etc. (B) CIO Assistant: Human resources who are capable of planning and implementing digitalization strategies and business process reform.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
37	202413155	Information and Communication Technology/Utilization of ICT	Digital Terrestrial TV Broadcasting (DTTB) Policy and Engineering	This program aims to provide useful knowledge, techniques and hints for effective digitalization of TV broadcasting by learning digital broadcasting technology and theories. It also shows examples of actions and solutions taken in Japan to enable smooth switchovers. This program is sponsored by JICA Global Agency "Digital for Development" and addresses Cluster "Solving Problems and Improving Development Effectiveness of digital terrestrial TV broadcasting in each Asia and field of development" through the first and smooth introduction of digital terrestrial TV broadcasting in this program, via Indonesia. Specialized to provide knowledge/capability among participants.	01-Apr-25	31-Mar-26	
38	202413158	Information and Communication Technology/Utilization of ICT	Enhancement of Postal Infrastructure System Using Digital Technologies	The program aims to deepen the understanding of the Japanese postal infrastructure system and to improve the ability of formulating and promoting policies to solve issues related to the postal infrastructure system in the participants' countries. The Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications, Japan Post, and manufacturers will provide a well-balanced training program on the use of digital technologies to improve the efficiency of postal operations facing the increase in the number of parcels due to the progress of e-commerce. The program will also include a visit to the International Exchange Office, as the International Logistics Hub, to observe its facilities and operations.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
39	202413157	Information and Communication Technology/Utilization of ICT	Digital Policy for Data Enabled Socio-Economic Development	This program aims to improve the capacity on formulating and implementing digital policies with emphasis on socio-economic development through safe and secure data management and utilization. The program will provide participants with the examples and lessons learned of developing strategies, policies, laws, systems and mechanisms to maintain the use of secure and safe data flow for development. The program is offered through a lecture for the subject experts which will be combined with in-house discussions both among the participants and between the subject experts. The program will also provide current global and Japanese examples of challenges and opportunities related to cross-border data transfer/Data Free Flow with "Trust" learning such issues as personal information protection, online transaction, innovation ecosystem, data infrastructure development, AI governance, digital public infrastructure, and others.	01-Apr-25	31-Mar-26	
40	202413158	Evaluation	Capacity Building for Evaluation Design, Implementation and System Institutionalization	Evaluation is highly important to conduct better policy, measure project formulation and project implementation by utilizing lessons learned from the past, and to ensure accountability to their stakeholders. Through this KCD, participants are expected to enhance their capacity of evaluation design and to build evaluation system by learning JICA's project evaluation, policy evaluation, design, implementation methodologies and system of the evaluation.	Middle Aug-2025	Middle Sep-2025	
41	202413159	Others	Sport Administration/Sport Promotion	UNESCO clearly states in The International Charter on Physical Education, Physical Activity and Sport, adopted in 1978 and revised in 2015, that "The practice of physical education, physical activity and sports is a fundamental right for all and this sport can yield a wide range of benefits to individuals, communities and society, as large in scope as education, health, social inclusion, peace building, etc. Furthermore, the 2020 Agenda for Sustainable Development, adopted in 2015, states that "Sport is an important enabler of sustainable development". Based on these contents, to realize a special world where more people can benefit from sports through improving access to sports in developing region, this training program aims to improve the planning and implementation skills of relevant organizations in charge of sport promotion while reinforcing the value of sport and knowledge of sport promotion in Japan.	End Sep-2025	Middle Oct-2025	
42	202413150	Health	Innovations in Infectious Disease Control: Pandemic Prevention, Preparedness and Response (PPPR)	Future pandemics caused by new respiratory infectious diseases are predicted. It is required to strengthen infectious disease control in terms of detection, notification, analysis/interpretation and response/evaluation as well as health system as a basis for rapid response. This requires the use of new technologies for early diagnosis such as contact person screening, patient support using IT even during a pandemic. Integrated approaches to health services are also necessary for efficient and effective implementation of infectious disease control which can diagnosis and respond to multiple respiratory infectious diseases and can be collaborated with NCDs, which are risk factors for infectious diseases. In this course, participants will obtain knowledge and skills of such innovations, integrated approaches, and discuss the application and challenges of such innovations in their respective countries.	Nov-25	Dec-25	
43	202413152	Health	Frontline Defense: Managing Outbreaks and Laboratory Network	As the global outbreak of COVID-19 had a major socioeconomic impact, infectious diseases have become an international threat. Based on the lesson learned from COVID-19, the multi-instances and management in laboratories are urgent need. In this program, participants will learn how to introduce new WHO technologies and the latest rapid testing techniques for multiplexed and respiratory infectious disease, including technologies such as screening for multiple pathogens of respiratory tract infection and new-generation sequencing (NGS). We will collaborate with prefecture and city Public Health Research Institute in Japan and with WHO Western Pacific Region (WPRO) and share not only Japanese and global experiences but also lessons learned from each country. The goal is to develop a resilience laboratory with a functioning surveillance system.	End Jun-2025	End Jul-2025	

44	20241352	Health	Evidence-Based Public Health Planning	This program is designed to help participants and their organizations introduce and use evidence-based approaches with quantitative and qualitative analysis in health planning and health policy development. The program will be conducted for administrative officials with at least 5 years' experience in health planning. The program will include dialogues with the lecturers and participants. This program is consistent with "Cluster for Strengthening the Health Financing System" in the Global Agenda.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
45	20241353	Health	Quality Improvement of Health Services through KAZEN Approach	Promotion of Universal Health Coverage (UHC) has been identified as a priority issue in Japan's health diplomacy strategy, and JICA's initiative for Global Health and Medicine aims to strengthen health systems to achieve UHC in strengthening infectious disease prevention and maintaining health crisis response. KAZEN is an effective means of ensuring the quality of health systems and strengthening specific delivery necessary to achieve UHC. This program aims at strengthening the leadership and leadership of the officials responsible for improvement of quality of health services with special focus on KAZEN. This course offers lecturers and staff visits of leading hospitals in Japan and also provides an opportunity to share the progress and challenges that participants face in each country.	Middle Aug-2025	Middle Sep-2025	
46	20241354	Health	Health Policy Development and System Management for SDGs and beyond -An Introduction to Japan's Achievements and Challenges	This training course is designed for mid-career government officials who are expected to play a central role in the health sector policies in the central government. The training includes lectures on developments and challenges in the health policy of Japan, visits to relevant organizations and healthcare facilities, comprehensive discussions, and capacity building on evidence-based decision-making and management. To achieve the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and "more resilient, equitable, and sustainable Universal Health Coverage (UHC)", participants will also analyze the current situation and identify priority actions in their country's health policy by the SDGs target year 2030 and post-SDGs. Participants will then develop their action plans while clarifying their own roles in the process.	beginning Feb-2025	End Feb-2026	
47	20241355	Health	Strengthening Health System Management (for African Regional and District Health Management Officers)	This program aims to provide a sustainable local health system that meets the needs of local residents by understanding the basic philosophy, history, and system of health administration in Japan, as well as understanding efforts to improve local health administration from multiple angles. The aim is to support the formulation of appropriate health administration plans to provide health care. Hokkaido has a track record of working to improve health systems and services in a situation where medical institutions are unevenly distributed, and by using these as concrete examples, we will be able to provide knowledge that will be useful for solving problems in African countries that have common issues.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
48	20241356	Health	Improvement of Women's and Children's Health for French Speaking African Countries (for Government Officials)	Quality and quantity of both public health and clinical care need to be improved regarding maternal and child health in Africa towards better care of life-course to attain Sustainable Development Goal (SDG). This program introduces Japanese public health interventions and practices to health facilities so that the participants are able to consider practical countermeasures to improve health and well-being of every woman and every child at their administrative areas.	Oct-25	Dec-25	
49	20241357	Health	Clinical Laboratory Technology: Clinical Microbiology for the Diagnosis of Infectious Diseases including Emerging and Re-Emerging Infections	This program is designed for laboratory technologists engaged in clinical examination in national/local tertiary hospitals or laboratories collaborating with the diagnosis department, aiming at proper diagnosis and strengthening laboratory network in each country. Its contents include the latest knowledge and skills on antimicrobial resistance as referred to in G7 (Hasegawa Health Ministers' Communiqué in 2023) and the latest knowledge on emerging infections such as COVID-19.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
50	20241358	Health	Boosting Laboratory Techniques, Laboratory/Biosafety Management and Surveillance System for Infectious Disease Emergency Preparedness	There are concerns that pandemics such as respiratory infections, viral hemorrhagic fevers, and severe encephalitis infections will continue to occur in the future. In order to prevent the spread of the epidemic, it is indispensable to improve testing and diagnostic techniques, strengthen laboratory functions, and strengthen information collection, analysis, and risk assessment systems. This program aims at improving infectious disease epidemic response capacity in Asia, Africa, and Latin America by acquiring the latest expertise and techniques related to infectious diseases testing/diagnostic, including HIV/AIDS and SARS-CoV2/COVID-19, laboratory/biosafety management, and surveillance systems and by disseminating the acquired expertise and techniques to the affiliation. This program will be conducted at the National Institute of Infectious Diseases, the top reference laboratory in Japan.	End May-2025	beginning Jul-2025	
51	20241359	Health	Infection Prevention and Control: Antimicrobial Resistance and Healthcare-Associated Infections	To prevent and control Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR) and Healthcare-associated Infections (HAI), it is essential to comply with standard procedures and other preventive measures and to establish an appropriate HAI management system centered on an infection control team (ICT). In addition, reform of mindset is required for behavioral modifications of staff. In this training course, participants will acquire knowledge and skills related to the prevention and control of AMR, and HAI through experiences in Japan. They will also acquire the skills necessary for educating staff, building hospital function and strengthening health systems for infection prevention and control.	Oct-25	Dec-25	
52	20241360	Health	Strengthening of Community Health System for Infectious Diseases Control	This program is designed for prevention of infectious diseases through enhancement of public health, and focuses on following contents: 1. Roles of public health and prevention, 2. Surveillance system, 3. Health program with community participation, 4. Communication mechanism of related organizations, 5. Measures for remote area by utilizing local resources, and 6. Experience of TB and malaria control in Okinawa after World War II	Under Planning	Under Planning	
53	20241361	Health	Improvement of Mental Health and Psychosocial Support System (Koboro-no-Care) in Disaster Situation	This training aims to develop human resources with expertise in infectious disease control and to collaborate service provision with advice on policies and systems. This is consistent with "Cluster for Strengthening the Institutions for Infectious Disease Control and Testing" in the Global Agenda. The program targets to establish a mental health and psychosocial support system (MHPS) or Koboro-no-care system in Japan, which is suitable for each country, by learning psychosocial support approaches for people with psychological stress and trauma by disaster.	beginning Sep-2025	End Sep-2025	
54	20241362	Health	Policies and Practices in an Aging Society: Creating Age-Inclusive Communities	This training aims to provide a comprehensive understanding of the promotion of inclusion of the old persons in the community. To strengthen policy-making and practical skills related to the old persons through learning from the actual practice of community-based comprehensive care including Japan's recent policies and systems, public-private partnership, and initiatives by residents, utilizing the knowledge and experience of Japan, which has experienced rapid population aging since other countries.	beginning Nov-2025	Middle Nov-2025	1

55	202411539	Health	Urgent-related Diseases Prevention	Identify-related Diseases (ISID) by dietary changes and iodination, can be prevented by changing individual lifestyles, which would lead to improved quality of lives and curtail health burden. This program focuses on the most effective measures: "Medical and Health Policy," "Health Education," "Exercises."	Under Planning	Under Planning	
56	202411535	Health	Medical Equipment Management and Maintenance	Human resource development for management and maintenance of medical equipment is the key to sustain quality medical service in developing countries. Targeting countries with challenges in basic management of medical equipment, this course will provide basic knowledge and techniques of medical equipment management and maintenance to raise the quality of healthcare. The course will be held in English, French, Spanish, Portuguese and Russian.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
57	202411536	Health	Hospital Management	This program aims for regional referral hospitals to be managed efficiently and effectively through understanding of hospital management. This corresponds to "Strengthening Diagnosis and Treatment Capacity of Core Hospital" in the JICA Global Agenda for "Health".	Under Planning	Under Planning	
58	202411537	Health	Strengthening Human Resource for Improvement of Community Health	This training aims to strengthen policy development and planning capacity on human resources for health (HRH) for the improvement of community health. The participants will learn about policies and systems regarding HRH, and implementation system and coordination mechanism of community health in Japan.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
59	202411538	Health	Maternal and Neonatal Health and Child Care	This program is designed for clinical workers (nurses, midwives, etc.) who are working at central and regional core hospitals, focusing on maternal (prenatal, prenatal) health care. The training aims to enhance the professional level of clinical care staffs in collaboration with the local community. During the training, participants will be asked to lecture on health care services in Japan, the status of hospitals and research hospital, and to prepare discussion to foster practical action plans for service improvement in their home countries/regions of healthcare facilities.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
60	202411539	Health	Improvement of Maternal Health	Improving maternal health is a key development challenge underpinning the achievement of Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) 3: "Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages", which includes as a target indicator "reduce the global maternal mortality ratio to less than 70 per 100,000 live births by 2030". This program aims to increase capacity to implement Action Plans that contribute to reinforce "Continuum of Care" with special focus on "Maternal (women) health" at the community level so as to contribute to improve the maternal, newborn, and child health (MNCH), through learning Japan's related policies, initiatives and relevant good practices of participating countries.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
61	202411540	Health	Public Health Activities for Strengthening Maternal and Child Health	By gaining the knowledge about public health activities in Okinawa in post-war period such as maternal and child health (MCH) handbook, maternal and child consultation care, humanized delivery, the participants make the action plan to be applied to in each country and target community.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
62	202411543	Health	Improvements of Community Health and Medical Systems With Telemedicine Services Through Case Study of Advanced Telemedicine Region in Japan	This program aims to address one of the duties of JICA's Global Agenda on Health, "Strengthening Quality Consultation Care for Mothers and Children, including the Use of the MCH Handbook".	Under Planning	Under Planning	
63	202411544	Health	Food Safety Administration	Although Kagawa prefecture is the smallest prefecture in Japan, it has remote areas such as 24 small scattered islands and mountainous area and has developed the most advanced telemedicine service in Japan. Improvement of health and medical system in such remote areas in Kagawa prefecture was the most important issue for years. Therefore Kagawa prefectural government, basic autonomous bodies, Kagawa university and private companies organized partnership for development of Telemedicine Service (Electronic Health Record System among public/private clinics and hospital). Improvement of access for medical service by ICT service etc. combined with improved community health service. This course consists of various types of lectures, site visit and discussions in order to understand telemedicine service with local community health through practical knowledge and examples of Kagawa prefecture.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
64	202411545	Health	Improvement of Maternal and Child Nutrition	This program is designed to provide lectures and field visit on Japan's law, food sanitation policies, and roles and cooperative structures of national/food government and food inspection organizations. Participants are to understand the overall process of food safety administration from inspection to management, and develop their plans to implement appropriate food safety measures in their own countries.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
65	202411546	Health	School Health and Nutrition	This course aims to strengthen the knowledge and abilities necessary for planning, implementing, and managing maternal and child nutrition programs among the staff. Scaling Up Nutrition member countries' Participants will learn about global nutrition trends and effective strategy/ measures from Japan and participating countries for maternal and child nutrition (MCH) improvement, including multi-sector/multi-stakeholder collaborations. They will also learn about effective approach and good practices that contribute to the prevention and management of Noncommunicable Diseases (NCDs). The participants will then formulate an action plan and strengthen the MCH program/strategies in their organizations.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
66	202411547	Education	Holistic Educational Partners On Approach	The program is a comprehensive learning of school health/ school nutrition in Japan for mid-level administrative officials responsible for school health/ school nutrition at the central or local governments. A life-course approach is important for lifelong health maintenance, and school age is considered a particularly critical period. This program aims to promote the maturation of student health, improvement of their lifestyles, and improvement of the school environment through effective implementation of school health/ school nutrition activities.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
				In the 2017 OECD Education Policy Review, providing holistic education that fosters a balance of knowledge, values, and body/health was identified as one of the success factors for education in Japan. Socio-emotional or non-cognitive skills, such as self-esteem, grit, collaboration, resiliency, and so on play an important role in enabling children to develop their talents and abilities in the future to their full potential. This course aims to provide hands-on learning of the framework, rationale, skills, activities, and practice of the Japanese/Chinese model of holistic education including "tokubetsu hanwaku", "tokubetsu", (for short) in kindergartens, elementary school, and junior high school, efforts to integrate cognitive and non-cognitive activities to enable participants to compare and analyze non-cognitive activities in respective countries, and develop feasible action plans to introduce non-cognitive education that is appropriate for each country's school settings.	Under Planning	Under Planning	

67	202411548	Education	Quality Physical Education in School Education		Under Planning	Under Planning	
68	202411550	Education	Leadership Training on Improvement of Teaching Method for Science Education for Francophone Countries in Africa		Jan-26	Feb-26	
69	202411552	Education	Teaching Methods for Mathematics in Primary Education for Learning Improvement		Beginning Nov-2025	End Nov-2025	
70	202411554	Education	Quality Improvement of Primary Science Education: Teaching and Learning at On-Site Education		Middle Oct-2025	Beginning Dec-2025	
71	202411556	Education	Early Childhood Development		Beginning Nov-2025	Beginning Dec-2025	
72	202411557	Education	Capacity Development for the Education Policy Formulation and Analysis for Learning Improvement		Under Planning	Under Planning	
73	202411558	Education	Strengthening Education Administration for Reducing Disparities in Basic Education		Middle Jun-2025	Middle Jul-2025	
74	202411559	Education	Improvement of Education in Remote Areas (for the Achievement of SDG4)		Beginning Oct-2025	Beginning Nov-2025	
75	202411560	Education	Non-formal Education Beyond the Confines of Formal Schooling		Under Planning	Under Planning	
76	202411561	Education	Strengthening Inclusive Education System for Children with Disabilities (for Learning and Living Together)		Aug-25	Sep-25	
77	202411562	Education	Upgrading the Pre-service Primary Teacher Education and Training (Change the Teacher, Change the Future)		Under Planning	Under Planning	
78	202411563	Education	Enhancement of Training Management in Vocational Training Institutions		Aug-25	Feb-26	
79	202411564	Education	Human Resources Development Administration (Through the Promotion of Technical and Vocational Education and Training)		Nov-25	Dec-25	

As stated in "International Charter of Physical Education and Sport" (UNESCO, 1978), access to physical education and sports is regarded as one of the basic human rights and secured in 2025. In the period of physical education, physical activity and sport is a fundamental right for all and that sport can yield a wide range of benefits to individuals, communities and society at large in terms of education, health, social inclusion, peace building, etc. While physical education is a compulsory subject in more than 50% of countries, developing countries are facing various difficulties. For example, there is a lack of awareness of the importance of physical education. A lack of instructors and facilities. Based on these contexts, this training program aims to improve the planning and implementation skills of relevant organizations in charge of PE through providing an opportunity for developing concrete action plans while transferring the value and knowledge of PE in Japan.

This program is designed for inspectors and trainers who are expected to take leadership to manage teacher training and instruct teachers' lesson improvement in order to improve teachers' teaching method for science education to respond high demand on improvement of teachers' pedagogy performance in Francophone Africa.

This course focuses on lesson plan preparation and teaching material development to implement problem-solving lessons with child-centered approach and aims to understand country/region/school level capabilities to improve quality of mathematics in school. Through practice at primary school, participants will learn a flow of study/lesson.

This course gives opportunities to develop simple experiments using accessible materials in one's own country, and learn how to make lesson plans for student-centered problem-solving science lessons. Participants are expected to be able to plan/prepare lessons that promote understanding of scientific concepts through scientific activities such as simple experiments, observation, and manufacturing in this course. In addition, this course aims to improve the ability for practical in primary science education by observing education sites in Japan and conduct lessons based on created lesson plan.

This program recognizes early childhood education and ECD as an effective way of poverty reduction, and emphasizes not only educational but also nutritional and health aspects of ECD. The program aims to contribute to quality improvement of early childhood education and ECD in participating countries by sharing the experience and knowledge of early childhood care and education in Japan as well as by co-creating knowledge with participants.

To strengthen the capacity for education policy formulation and analysis in the priority countries for basic education so that the education policy framework become evidence-based and is produced by involving various stakeholders, which will lead to an improvement of the PDCA cycle in education policymaking.

Many developing countries are still facing difficulties in providing equal level of basic education within its country for many reasons such as lacking of human resource, budget, equipment and facilities. Especially, regional disparities between urban and rural/remote areas are serious because of low accessibility to schools and inadequate demographic facilities. Obtaining proficiency is also remote in rural area from main land of Japan. The local government is expected to take measures for improvement on education problem in its remote area. In addition, Okinawa has an experience of reconstruction after the World War II, which used to be suffering from poor conditions with insufficient number of teachers, teaching materials and facilities.

This course aims to introduce successful experiences in Japan and Okinawa Prefecture and provide participants key to solve issues and problems of disparities in basic education.

In most of the developing countries approaching close to achieve universal primary education, there still remains a challenge to provide education to children living in remote areas. Japanese policies and experiences to reduce the disparities between remote areas and other areas with collaborative efforts of public sectors and local communities could be applicable to improve these situations.

Recently, around the world, efforts are underway to ensure that a variety of learning opportunities equivalent to regular schooling provided outside the regular school, targeting school-aged and adults with difficulties in schooling such as poverty, school refusal, disability, etc. Likewise, a place for lifelong learning has been set up for all generations, and civil organizations proactively provide a variety of courses and events in various regions. Besides the government, private firms and civil societies provide learning support services outside the regular school. Some are supporting children, youth, and adults to obtain graduation and professional certificates. This program aims to facilitate understanding of the participant regarding how public, private and civil society are collaborating in the provision of learning opportunities outside the regular school, toward "zero learning exclusion", and to design a plan to improve non-formal education of respective countries.

SDGs target "ensure inclusive and quality education for all" but the education gap is still huge challenge for many countries. To aim "education improvement to leave no one left behind", this course work on ensure the education opportunities for everyone, including people with disabilities. Japan has been aiming to set an educational system which makes it possible to provide an environment for all children to learn together in the same classroom, while flexibly adjusting the system so as to provide a variety of places in order to meet the individual educational needs. In this program, participants who are engaged in policy planning will learn about Japan's education system for children with disabilities, especially focusing on the process of creating Inclusive Education System utilizing experience of Special Needs Education, thus considering ways to utilize the knowledge gained during the course into their own Inclusive Education System.

Inspired for university teachers and researchers with over 3 years of experiences in pre-service teacher training to improve lesson/learning, curriculum, course, practice on teacher training.

Participants are required to obtain abilities of to hold those abilities after training course.

Human Resources Development (HRD) which meets industry's needs is one of the most important factors in developing countries for socio-economic development. It contributes toward increase of income and reduction of poverty. This program aims to introduce how to manage vocational training institutions, and provide opportunities to learn how to develop training courses to the participants.

Vocational Training is one of the most important issues for socio-economic development in many developing countries. This program aims to introduce the current situation of occupational skill development administration in Japan, and to provide opportunities to analyze the current issues and improve occupational skills administration.

80	202411565	Education	Development of Human Resources Adaptable to Industry Needs in Electrical and Electronic Engineering for Instructors/Teachers in University, Polytech College and Diploma Course of VET Institutions	To develop human resources who can integrate the gap between education and actual technology in industry by enhancing practical teaching capacity in vocational school, polytechnic school, technical college and high school. The purpose is to solve problem of "missing middle" in the developing countries by means of HBO in electrical and electronic engineering which is a main social infrastructure.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
81	202411566	Education	Improvement of "Learner-Centered Lesson" Based on Assessment	This program is to support children's learning improvement through feedback to teaching and learning from day-formative assessment by teachers. It aims at strengthening professional skills of teachers as learning supporters to help learners appropriately based on learning assessment.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
82	202411568	Education	The University Network Program of Engineering Education Development	Developing countries struggle with low enrollment ratio and a lack of quality education and research in higher education, leaving universities in these countries are unable to take the entire level of higher education due to dropouts. Therefore, these challenges need to be urgently addressed. The training aims to deepen understanding of building international networks through human and academic collaboration, participants acquire planning and implementation methods to strengthen education and research systems, promote highly skilled human resources development, knowledge co-creation by research, and social implementation from the international partnership activities of Japanese universities. It also focuses on building networks with Japanese universities and institutions supported by JICA for promoting international brain circulation.	Middle-Sep-2025	End-Sep-2025	1
83	202411569	Social Security	Promotion of Social Participation of Persons with Disabilities through Sports	Sports contribute to alleviate the bias and discrimination against persons with disabilities, leaders, sports promote the independence of persons with disabilities by enhancing their self-confidence, self-esteem, self-utilities and self-efficacy through sports. This training aims to develop the participant's knowledge and skills on how to write sports for persons with disabilities and inclusive sports, including how to adjust facilities and devices to cater to different types of impairments with an attention to the function of sports that empowers them and promote their social participation through the interaction between persons with and without disabilities.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
84	202411570	Social Security	Social Participation of Persons with Disabilities through a Community-Based Inclusive Approach	This program is designed to promote social participation and livelihood of persons with disabilities in participating countries. Learning from collaborative support among local governments, NGOs and DPOT-11 in Okinawa prefecture, with the use of community resources, will assist participants to apply community-based inclusive approach including employment support, empowerment and mainstreaming of person with disabilities in their home countries.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
85	202411571	Social Security	Capacity Development of Leaders with Disabilities for UNCIPD (UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities) Implementation	The Convention on the Rights of Person with Disabilities, which entered into force in May 2008, has been ratified by 181 countries and regional organizations as of May 2024. However, in many developing countries, various governments in accordance with the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities are lagging behind, and persons with disabilities themselves are required to be involved in the development of domestic laws, projects, and systems. This program aims to strengthen the abilities of people with disabilities as leaders. Participants will learn practical examples of the Convention from various angles such as independent living, inclusive education, and the right of movement, and through dialogue with leaders of persons with disabilities in Japan, aim to improve their quality as leaders so that they can put the Convention into practice in their own countries.	Middle-Oct-2025	Middle-Nov-2025	
86	202411572	Social Security	Promotion of Employment of Persons with Disabilities	This program promotes employment of persons with disabilities in participating countries. The Article 27 of UNCIPD affirms the rights to work and employment of persons with disabilities. The goal 8 of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) target the decent work for all, including persons with disabilities. However, 80 to 90 per cent of persons with disabilities at working age is estimated as unemployed. Multi-layered approach is required such as realizing accessible working environment, practical skills and knowledge, and innovative solutions from private sectors. Therefore, this program aims to develop a feasible action plan with the participating organizations through the analysis of public policies, programs, practices, and innovative ideas in Japan.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
87	202411573	Social Security	Occupational Safety and Health (Learning OSH) Techniques on How to Promote OSH Activities and Foster Safety Culture in Industry Along with Developing Policy and Measure	With the increasing number of industrial accidents, it is urgently required to formulate and implement appropriate policies of Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) in many countries. Industrial accidents have been emerging. The main purpose of this program is to improve the history and policy of OSH in Japan, especially to those facing rapid industrialization and contributes to the improvement of policies of OSH of participating countries. This program includes site visit, workshop, and occupational accident prevention modules such as Zero accident activities, mental health, measures, etc. as well as comprehensive contents to promote understanding of the legal system and management system related to occupational safety and health in Japan.	Beginning Sep-2025	Beginning Oct-2025	
88	202411574	Social Security	Promoting Community-Based Social Welfare "Linkage between Community-based Initiatives and the People who Support Community-based Initiatives"	This training aims to further promote "social welfare" in the community and improve the quality of social workers, etc. through the drafting of activity plans in each country, referring to the background of promoting "CBSW planning" Japanese policies and measures, experiences, and lessons learned.	08-Sep-25	15-Sep-25	
89	202411575	Rural Development	Multisectoral Nutrition Improvement through Food-based Approach	Targeting central and local government officials in the agriculture, health, water and sanitation, and education sectors who are in charge of nutrition improvement, this program aims to strengthen their knowledge and skills needed to plan, implement, and manage multisectoral nutrition improvement programs. The main contents are world trends in nutrition improvement, nutrient-focused approach (NFA), water supply, sanitation and hygiene (WASH), Japan's experience in nutrition improvement (the improvement approach, Shoboku, School Lunch, School Grading, Home Gardening) and Behavioral Change etc. In this program, we use the "Action Learning" method to share good practices and research strong participants and co-participants through interactive group work and discussion. The participants are expected to make an action plan and put it into practice after returning to their respective countries.	Under Planning	Under Planning	

90	202411376	Private Sector De	Tourism Marketing and Promotion						
91	202411377	Private Sector De	Human Capital Development for Creating Sustainable Regional Tourism						
92	202411378	Private Sector De	Sustainable Tourism Resource Management and Development (Natural Resources)						
93	202411379	Private Sector De	Sustainable Tourism Development with Cultural Heritage and Local Community						
94	202411380	Private Sector De	Small and Medium Enterprise Development Policies						
95	202411381	Private Sector De	Labor Policy of Migrant Workers and Career Development Support for Returnees (IO Advice Economic Growth and Decent Work)						
96	202411382	Private Sector De	Local Industry Promotion by Curator Approach						
97	202411383	Private Sector De	Business Development Services for Enterprise Competitiveness (Advanced Skills) for Business Development Service Providers						
98	202411384	Private Sector De	Quality and Productivity Improvement for Enterprise Competitiveness (Basic Skills) for Returnees (Consultant/Trainer)						

The training aims at providing government staff with knowledge and skills to effectively plan and implement tourism marketing and promotion. For its basis, the trainees also learn the methods to utilize tourism resources in a sustainable manner; improve the institutional arrangement for reaching tourists, and understand the trends and conditions of target countries. To familiarize participants with the importance of the strategic marketing and promotion of tourism destinations, the training highlights two main topics: (1) marketing and promotion under the industry-academia-government collaboration in regional destinations, and (2) marketing and promotion considering tourism crisis management. The topics cover cases of tours across tourism destinations, effective use of local tourism resources (cultural and natural), marketing and promotion in the New Normal and risk management against crises such as infectious diseases, economic downturn, natural disasters and climate change.

With the establishment of UNWTO in 2003, variety of activities in the tourism sector that can make an important contribution to economic growth in developing countries have been conducted. However, the benefits are not always given back to the local community due to the heterogeneity of tourism. In which big business firms could have taken the leading role in tourism development and obtained the lion's share. In order to realize inclusive Socio-Economic Development, the government, local authorities, local businesses, and communities in the area need to collaborate in playing their respective roles in tourism development. The program will provide participants with an opportunity to learn practical approaches to promoting sustainable tourism by utilizing regional characteristics and local resources in Japan. Through this program core competencies and skills to create and manage innovative programs to promote regional development through sustainable tourism will be developed.

This program reveals the challenges and the significance of sustainable tourism development which adheres to local society and culture by learning practical examples (success/failure cases) in Japan, for managers and utilize various tourism resources especially natural resources. In order to unlock the potentials of resources in each country and accelerate tourism's contribution to SDGs, the participants shall explore the ways to (1) conserve and utilize resources, (2) promote strategic marketing and promotion, and (3) strengthen brand value and competitiveness. In addition, the program offers the opportunity to consider the new style of tourism in the "New Normal".

The tourism industry is a highly anticipated industry in many countries in terms of earning foreign currency and absorbing employment through the utilization of regional resources. The Kansai region is home to many cultural heritage sites, and has diverse knowledge on tourism region development that enables sustainable utilization of cultural heritage sites to generate tourism income. The objective of this training course is to acquire core competencies to develop action plans for promoting sustainable tourism development through appropriate conservation and utilization of cultural heritage. To achieve this goal, the program will be conducted for officials for general and local government and other public organizations based on cultural heritage and landscape preservation, focusing on community-based cultural heritage preservation, universal tourism, and disaster prevention from the perspective of sustainable tourism utilizing the characteristics of the Kansai region.

For achieving stable growth of Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs), it is important for the government to improve the business environment, such as formulating systems and policies for fair and free business activities, planning concrete measures for enterprise promotion, and establishing executive agencies. One of the distinctive features of Japan's SME support is its active promotion for managerial guidance and human resource development. This program is designed for managers of government or public organizations to gain knowledge on systems and policies. Participants learn the essence of effective development policies for Japan's experiences through lectures on policy formulation and visits to relevant offices and local SMEs. It analyzes issues and clarifies the objective in this program, policy-forming capacity of participants is further strengthened. This program is consistent with SDG 8, promoting sustainable economic growth, full employment, and work for all.

The number of migrant workers is increasing. They will contribute to the economic growth of their home countries by applying the skills, techniques, and knowledge which learned overseas after returning. By the middle of the 20th century, Japan was an origin country for migrant workers and is currently a destination country based on agreements with origin countries. Japan has varied knowledge of experiences in improving labor and employment policies, such as public employment security, in response to social conditions changes. By enhancing the origin country's working environment and opportunities, migrant workers will play an active role after returning. The purpose of this course is to improve various systems and operations related to support for the employment and human resource/career development of migrant workers in origin countries after their return from Japan. The program aims to enable the country of origin and Japan, as the country of destination, to learn from each other.

Cluster-based development has become an increasingly widespread tool for economic development around the world to accelerate development of new products, technologies, and businesses by creating linkages among enterprises/businesses and related organizations (public sector organizations, universities, research institutes, business associations, and financial institutions) and strategically creating synergies, contribute to local economic development and national economic growth. The program offers opportunities to learn about various cases of cluster development in Japan and other countries as a reference to develop tailored policies, strategies, and activities to promote cluster development.

This program aims to strengthen business development services (BDS) for SMEs' competitiveness, especially services related to sales. The participants from public-private stakeholders support organizations are expected to learn Japanese approaches and methodology of business management support for SMEs including sales, human resource development and capacity building, and apply the acquired knowledge to SMEs support services in their own countries.

This program is designed for officials and professionals in public as well as private sector institutions/organizations who provide support to Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs). The objective of this program is to acquire comprehensive knowledge of sales by learning the theories and methods of quality and productivity improvement, also known as sales, and the know-how of human resource development.

99	202411583	Private Sector De-Marketing	Export Promotion/Marketing Strategies Targeting Global Markets	This course offers participants an opportunity to acquire knowledge and skills on the practical marketing strategy, such as marketing analysis, product development and promotion. While exploring the global market, the role and importance of local industries, participants will examine ways to take the unique and high-quality products to the needs of the global market with the idea of "marketing".	Under Planning	Under Planning	
100	202411584	Private Sector De-Marketing	Investment Promotion and Business Environment Reform (Baker)	This course aims to improve a capacity of participants to conduct practical actions for promoting investments and improving the business environment of participants' countries. The course is designed for those who are daily engaged in practical duties at public organizations that are responsible for investment promotion and business environment reform. Participants will have a chance to accumulate basic knowledge, to deepen their understanding of what to analyze for investment promotion and business environment reform, and to learn from good practices. The program of the course includes basic principles and good practices of the theme as well as the visits of private companies and discussions with those companies which have much experience of foreign investments. This design enables participants to identify specific actions to take and to work on them after they return to their home countries.	End Sep-2025	Beginning Oct-2025	
101	202411587	Private Sector De-Marketing	Investment Promotion and Business Environment Reform (Advanced)	This program targets high-level government officials at investment promotion agencies or related ministries and provides them with opportunities to strengthen understanding on policy/systems to promote inward FDI (foreign direct investment), business environment reform and practical investment promotion approaches.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
102	202411588	Private Sector De-Marketing	Industrial Promotion and Business Innovation by DX	The purpose of this training are, 1 to learn about digital technology and various measures to utilize and disseminate business to Japan, 2 to promote DX through comparative study with other countries and dialogue with the Japanese government and private companies, and 3 to contribute to industrial promotion of the participating countries and government innovation in their own industries. This training aims at facilitating consideration of mutual complementarity and comparative advantage of application to their country and cooperation with Japan, by incorporating specific examples and their support measures, such as small and medium-sized enterprises manufacturing industry implementation cases (production/cost management, inspection automation, inventory management, predictive maintenance, service industries demand forecast, etc.), as well as new industry creation (new business development such as utilizing digital and IoT/AI technologies/services, business, startups).	Under Planning	Under Planning	1
103	202411589	Private Sector De-Marketing	Enhancement of Startup Ecosystem in Regional Cities	This training program is to enhance enhance entrepreneurship and capacity to promote entrepreneurs and startup ecosystems in provincial cities. The training program targets administrative officers or staffs from business academies or educational institutions in charge of supervising entrepreneurs or promotion of startup ecosystem in provincial cities.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
104	202411590	Private Sector De-Marketing	Development and Promotion of New Industries Through Accelerating Innovation	This training program is for mid-career/officer from public organizations responsible for creation and promotion of new industries and the development of business environment in the above targeted countries; to deepen understanding of hard knowledge, institutions/systems, environment, human resource development and case studies, necessary to promote the business and creation of new industries, and to improve the ability to identify specific initiatives in their countries and to implement practical activities based on what is learned. The promotion of innovation will be more important for new industry, the life science, healthcare, and high-tech manufacturing. In addition to basic theories, the program tries to lead participants to foster initiatives after they return to their countries by seeing concrete examples and company site visits and discussion with companies and business organizations pursuing the creation and development of new industries through innovation promotion.	Middle Aug-2025	Middle Sep-2025	
105	202411592	Private Sector De-Marketing	Digital Sales (Quality and Productivity Improvement by Utilizing Digital Technologies in Small and Medium Enterprises)	This course is designed for personnel who support SMEs and IT-related personnel to learn about methods and examples of quality and productivity improvement utilizing digital technology & manufacturing, etc., as well as the system for promotion. The objective is to foster awareness of the further significance and challenges of introducing digital technology by utilizing bottom-up business improvement methods cultivated through labor activities, and to develop core personnel who will incorporate the technology into support activities at their organizations.	New project to be prepared	Under Planning	1
106	202411593	Private Sector De-Marketing	Enhancement of Startup Ecosystem in Metropolitan Area	Officers of startup-related central and local ministries and agencies, public/private incubation/accelerator/innovation hubs, etc. in countries and cities of which the startup ecosystem is relatively in the middle to late growth stage, will understand the policies and measures for building and development of startup ecosystem in Japan especially in Startup Ecosystem Tokyo Consortium of Tokyo metropolitan area, and will formulate and implement measures in their own countries. They will visit and receive lectures from public and private startup ecosystem actors (central/local ministers and agencies, investors such as VCs, incubation and accelerator facilities), research and educational institutions such as universities, large companies which invest in or have business collaboration with start-ups, Japanese start-ups, etc.), and formulate an action plan while exchanging information between participants. They will also consider future collaboration with Japanese actors.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
107	202411594	Agricultural Development	Food Safety, Hygiene and Quality Control in Supply Chain Management of Milk, Meat and Eggs	In many developing countries, while efforts are being made to increase production in response to rising demand for livestock foods, hygiene and quality control in the supply chain is inadequate. It causes human health problems such as food poisoning and food-borne infectious diseases and hinders the enhancement of export competitiveness. Aiming at ensuring food safety through One Health approach, this course provides the opportunity to learn techniques and mechanisms on hygiene and quality control across the supply chain, production, processing, and distribution of milk, beef, pork, chicken, dairy products, and eggs.	End Feb-2025	End Apr-2026	
108	202411599	Agricultural Development	Comprehensive Approach for Promotion of Livestock Production Considering SDGs	The improvement of the resilience of livestock farmers against unreasonable weather and rising international grain prices is an urgent issue as the importance of safety and stable supply of livestock products is increasing. There is also a need to promote sustainable livestock production that contributes to achieving the SDGs, addressing the changes in the relationship between livestock and natural resources. This course is designed for those involved in livestock administration and promotion to learn the comprehensive government-led approach necessary for livestock farmers' conversion to more profitable production while considering sustainable livestock farming. Participants will not only learn about animal husbandry technologies but understand the institutional framework and infrastructure necessary to effectively introduce the technologies in their home country by learning the steps Japan has followed to develop and disseminate the technologies.	Under Planning	Under Planning	

109	202411600	Agricultural Dev	Strengthening Basic Skills for Diagnostic Tests and Surveillance of Livestock Diseases	Various disease control in developing countries is important for stable livestock production. In this course, participants will extract and analyze the situation and issues surrounding livestock diseases (including zoonosis and production diseases) in their own countries, understand the basic concepts of disease control, and learn basic techniques for early detection of infected animals, proper identification of pathogens, and data collection and analysis.	End Jun-2025	End Oct-2025	
110	202411601	Agricultural Dev	Promoting One Health through Strengthening Animal Health Laboratory Testing and Research	Various emerging infectious diseases are caused by animals, and there is a growing need for countermeasures. One Health approach in collaboration between the health and veterinary sectors. This course aims to strengthen measures against zoonosis and provides lectures and practical training for those who are engaged in diagnosis and research of infectious diseases at research institutes and universities on testing, diagnosis, treatment, and prevention methods necessary for the control of zoonosis. In order to develop researchers contributing to One Health, the course covers a wide range of viral, bacterial, fungal, and parasitic zoonoses, but those who work on zoonosis and anthropod-borne infectious diseases, which is one of the strengths of the implementing partners, may apply for JICA's long-term training programs and short-term specially appointed researchers at the National Research Center for Protozoan Diseases by using the knowledge and skills acquired in this course.	Beginning Feb-2026	End Apr-2026	
111	202411602	Agricultural Dev and Unregulated (UJ) Fishing	Policy and Countermeasures against Illegal Unregulated and Unregulated (IUU) Fishing	Fishing is often an important socio-economic sector for the coastal developing countries. However, according to The State of World Fisheries and Aquaculture 2016 of the FAO, more than 15% of the world's fish catch is possibly related to the IUU fishing. This training course provides capacity development to improve the quality of legal framework and the enforcement ability of IUU fishing countermeasures. The goal of this training is to promote and establish the rule of law, peace, and stability to realize "Free and Open Indo-Pacific (FOIP)" with the countries in Atlantic and Indian Ocean. This course shares background information about Japanese fisheries and IUU fishing countermeasures in Japan and offers the possible roles and projects of the fishing cooperation.	Beginning Sep-2025	End Sep-2025	
112	202411603	Agricultural Dev	Enhancing Capacity for Sustainable Fisheries Development	This training program offers participants to learn how to enhance capacity of the fisheries organizations by introducing fundamental requirements of the organization as well as basic knowledge for the fisheries resource management. The program aims participants to gain knowledge to support fisheries organizations in conducting resource management and collective business activity proactively by themselves.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
113	202411604	Agricultural Dev	Small-Scale Inland Aquaculture	As the volume of natural fish has decreased, small-scale inland aquaculture, which can be promoted by low technology and low cost, is expected to be a new supplier of sustainable animal protein and other important nutrients. Japan has advanced the aquaculture technology and R&D has been arriving at the hand aquaculture extension projects by farmer-to-farmer extension approach in ASEAN and African regions. This course is designed not only to enhance the knowledge of aquaculture and the capability for field operation, but also to develop human resources who contribute to their countries' policy planning in the near future.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
114	202411605	Agricultural Dev	Sustainable Small-Scale Fisheries for Fisheries-Centered Blue Economy (Academic Program)	Promotion of blue economy is attracting attention as a key policy direction in the fisheries development plans, which is meant to facilitate the effective use of coastal resources and ecosystem services for economic development. In developing countries, the fisheries sector often constitutes an essential segment of blue economy development. (hence "fisheries-centered blue economy") and small-scale fisheries are expected to play a major role in sustainable and effective promotion of blue economy. The small-scale fisheries in Japan, which are multi-species and mid-gear fisheries operating with smaller fishing vessels, have significant similarities with those of developing countries. The experiences can be applicable to implement the research on the promotion of fisheries-centered blue economy in the participant countries. This course is designed for fisheries researchers who seek for post-graduate studies in Japan, working on the promotion of fisheries-centered blue economy.	Beginning Sep-2025	Middle Oct-2025	
115	202411606	Agricultural Dev	Value-Chain Development for Sustainable Use of Fisheries Resources	This course aims to enable participants to master knowledge and skills that contribute to problem solving in participant countries towards realization of the SDG14. Concrete and sustainably use the ocean, seas and marine resources for sustainable development" that is one of 17 goals. Participants will learn knowledge of value-chain development through endeavor by parties engaged in fisheries in Hokkaido area to add value to fishery products contributing sustainable development.	15-Aug-25	27-Sep-25	
116	202411607	Agricultural Dev	Sustainable Use of Fisheries Resources through Diversification of Fisheries-Based Livelihoods in Small Island States	With special attention on the context of small island states, this course offers practical training on various measures/approaches for sustainable use of fisheries resources and diversification of fisheries-based livelihoods. The course encompasses such topics as reef resource management, FAO fisheries, fishers cooperatives, aquaculture, value addition to fishery products and marketing.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
117	202411608	Agricultural Dev	Fisheries Cold Chain Development for Improving the Quality of Fishery Products (Through Effective Use and Maintenance of Refrigeration System)	For the promotion of fish marketing, the establishment of the cold chain is essential to keep the quality of fish as high as possible. This program is designed to enhance the capacity of managers and technicians of refrigeration facilities with the practical training on effective operation and maintenance of refrigeration systems in the fisheries facilities. In response to the requirements of the Montreal Protocol on substances that deplete the ozone layer, this program provides specialized technical training on operation and maintenance of refrigeration systems that use alternative CFCs or natural refrigerant such as ammonia. Moreover, it provides the practical know-how of mid- to long-term planning of operation and maintenance of refrigeration systems (including procurement of spare parts, regular maintenance, and human resource development). New types of refrigeration systems including solar-powered ice making machines and NH3-CO2 two-stage refrigeration are also introduced.	Middle Jul-2025	Beginning Aug-2025	
118	202411611	Agricultural Dev for Agricultural and Rural DW/Smart Food Chain Co-Creation	Human Resource Development on Private-Public-Academia	In rural areas of developing countries, it is required to increase farmers' income through improving agricultural productivity and added value of agricultural products. For that purpose, it is necessary to disseminate correct farming knowledge and technology to farmers and access to financial services necessary for purchasing agricultural input materials. Currently, due to the rapid development of information and communication technology, and also impact of COVID-19, introduction of smart technology is also rapidly progressing in each food value chain process such as breeding, cultivation, processing/distribution and consumption. This training course is aimed at "smart food chain (SFC) co-creation" between Japan and developing countries, and intended to contribute for agricultural and rural development in developing countries by Overseas diffusion of Private-Public-Academia technologies and experience of SFC creation utilizing local resources in Japan.	Under Planning	Under Planning	

119	202411613	Agricultural Dev	Promotion of Food Value Chain for Community-based Agriculture	The challenge of agriculture in the developing countries is to strengthen food value chain (FVC) that encompasses from production to processing, distribution, sales and consumption. The course aims to widen existing overseas agents, formulate an action plan for the promotion of FVC in their home countries by learning the know-how related to the construction of FVC utilizing local resources in agriculture and livestock through industry-government-academic collaboration and visiting local companies.	Oct-25	Feb-26	
120	202411614	Agricultural Dev	Sustainable Food System Strategy for Local Industry Development	The training course will take place in Hokkaido Prefecture, Japan, where the largest agricultural area in Japan in transition to sustainable food value chains. The purpose of this training is to formulate strategic and sustainable local industry development programs by creating economic, social and environmental values through the comprehensive approach to all processes of a food value chain. This training course refers to the strategy for the sustainable food system, the Measure for the achievement of Decarbonization and Resilience with Innohemp(enh31). Formulated by the ministry of agriculture, forestry, and dairy/japan, and try to achieve SDGs by applying the way of thinking and analytical tools of management and marketing. Participants are expected to obtain practical skills to formulate support programs for sustainable local industry development and social entrepreneurs.	Middle Sep-2025	Middle Oct-2025	
121	202411615	Agricultural Dev	Sustainable Animal Agriculture Value-Chains	Use of production plays essential role in poverty reduction and economic development in rural areas of developing countries. Since small-scale farmers produce the majority of the livestock products in developing countries, increasing their productivity is important to meet the growing demand from a food security perspective. Therefore, the access to the market with following the strict standards through promoting the market-oriented joint activities and services of the producer and infrastructure helped the small-scale farmers to participate in the livestock support services. This course will help participants to identify the market opportunities through the analysis of the value-chain, from production to processing, distribution, sales, and the participants will learn the steps to develop the mechanisms for improving the production techniques with causing the inter-linkage of the value-chain. Main case study of Milk Chain provides highly applicable knowledge.	End May-2025	End Jul-2025	
122	202411618	Agricultural Dev	Practical Plant Quarantine Techniques of Agricultural Product (Test Method for Disinfection of Fruit Flies)	Japan has leading knowledge and skill on disinfection of fruit flies through experiences on establishment of vapor heat treatment, eradication of fruit flies, and implementation of measures against re-invasion. This program contains lectures on basic knowledge and practice of disinfection skills.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
123	202411620	Rural Development	Agriculture and Rural Development through the Participation of Local Farmers	In the process of agricultural development in Japan, while the government has implemented agricultural infrastructure projects, efforts for developing rural areas through farmers' participation also have been enhanced. This course provides the opportunities to learn about the knowledge, techniques and areas of participatory agricultural and rural development in Japan.	Beginning Aug-2025	Middle Sep-2025	
124	202411621	Rural Development	Capacity Development for Empowerment of Rural Women	This program is designed to provide innovative knowledge and practical skills on empowerment of rural women reflecting good practices of Japan such as the Improvement Approach etc.	Beginning Jun-2025	End Jun-2025	
125	202411623	Agricultural Dev	Prospective Agricultural Technologies as Solution of Climate Change	The Strategy for Sustainable Food Systems, MIPDRI, has formulated in 2021 by Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries of Japan, and sets out a greening of policy approaches with a view to contribute to the Paris Agreement and the Kunming Montreal Framework, as well as initiatives for a new sustainable food system in the Asian region. A sustainable food system model in the Asian region through the implementation of the ASEAN-Japan MIPDRI Cooperation Plan, which was adopted in October 2023. The objective of this program is to develop capacity in the use of promising agricultural technologies for promoting climate change mitigation and adaptation measures in developing countries, by providing knowledge on the environmental impact reduction effect in the Japanese agricultural sector, particularly with regard to climate change measures.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
126	202411624	Agricultural Dev	Introduction of Plant Variety Protection (PVP) System and Utilization of New Improved Varieties and High Quality Seeds	This program aims to support the countries who have not established yet but will prepare Plant Variety Protection (PVP) system in agriculture with the the International Union for the Protection of New Varieties of Plants (UPOV) Convention and UPOV achieve the examination method compiled with the International standard for registration of new plant varieties.	Middle Jul-2025	Beginning Sep-2025	
127	202411625	Agricultural Dev	Improvement of Rice Cultivation Techniques (for Extension Officers)	The course is mainly designed for extension officers who work in the field of extension of rice cultivation techniques to learn fundamental rice cultivation techniques mostly in toward the introduction of extension and experience in a 9 days practical course with more than 60 % of training time allocated to experiments and practices at the field and facilities of JICA Tadokoro.	Middle Mar-2025	Middle Nov-2025	
128	202411628	Agricultural Dev	Enhanced Rice Cultivation, Seed Production and Variety Selection Techniques	This program aims at capacity development for better cultivation, seed production, and variety selection focusing on the experts. Participants shall have opportunities to acquire knowledge and practical experience through lectures, practices, and study tours. Participants will also implement individual/group experiments, and formulate a report for utilization of the knowledge and techniques.	Middle Mar-2026	Middle Nov-2026	
129	202411629	Agricultural Dev	Land, Water, and Energy Management for Sustainable and Resilient Agriculture in Dry Areas	Participants for this training course are engineers and/or researchers engaging in the area of appropriate management of land and water resources for sustainable agriculture at central and/or local government level. It aims that participants will gain necessary knowledge and techniques, and then going back to their countries, they will disseminate what they gain in Japan among their own organizations.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
130	202411630	Agricultural Dev	Effective Participatory Irrigation Management and Capacity Building of Water Users Organization	Stable irrigation water supply is crucial for maximizing the benefit of irrigation facilities. Without effective water management, the agricultural structure will hardly bring expected outcome to the farmer. However, it is often observed that irrigation water is not supplied in an effective and sustainable manner due to lack of collaboration among stakeholders of irrigation farming. This absence of appropriate system required for irrigated agriculture can be attributed to the organizational, technical and financial factors of both government and beneficiaries. This program aims to provide opportunities for the participants who are in charge of the irrigation farming to learn from Japanese experience in irrigated rice culture through a series of lectures, field visits and discussion. The contents of the program cover variety of topics from legislative or organizational framework on water resource utilization to the functions of water users organization of Japan.	May-25	Mar-26	

131	202411631	Agricultural Dev	Operation, Management and Maintenance of Irrigation Facilities and Agricultural Land Infrastructure Development	In developing countries, agricultural infrastructure and irrigation facilities have been constructed but many facilities are not used properly due to aging, inappropriate operation, and lack of maintenance. From the perspective of food security, it is important to improve the capabilities of operation, management and maintenance of the irrigation facilities and development of the agricultural infrastructure. This program aims to improve the participants' capacities of utilizing irrigation facilities through the acquisition of knowledge and necessary skills regarding the legal framework of irrigation systems, agricultural infrastructure development, simple irrigation field development, and improvement of irrigation facilities operation, management and maintenance.	Middle Jun-2025	End Jul-2025	
132	202411634	Agricultural Dev	Branding and Marketing of Produce Utilizing Local Resources	This program aims to provide those engaged in promoting local economies and industries with applicable and practical knowledge of effective branding and marketing of local products derived from market needs. Participants are expected to analyze and consider appropriate measures compatible with conditions of their own country/region. In this process, the importance of customer-oriented and continuous approach is emphasized.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
133	202411636	Agricultural Dev	Greenhouse and Related Technologies for Market-Oriented Agriculture	The aim of this program is to disseminate market-oriented farming methods and facility cultivation techniques to small-scale farmers and agricultural product distributors in the participant's working area. For this purpose, this course focus on the collection of market information, improvement of farming plans based on the analysis of market information, and facility cultivation techniques to realize such improvement through lectures and practical programs at ICA Tsubuku, as well as study tours to domestic regions in Japan that can be used as reference. In this program, "greenhouse and related technologies" refers to a wider range of facilities and technologies, such as greenhouses, tunnels, mulching, etc. that utilize materials and/or equipment to modify environmental conditions, and operate cultivation that would otherwise be difficult in open fields.	Middle Oct-2025	Middle Dec-2025	
134	202411639	Agricultural Dev	Development of Fisheries-based Local Industry and Sustainable Use of Resources	Pelagic fish is an important resource for many countries, however, its management and utilization may not be easy because of its migratory and perishable nature. In Japan, skipjack tuna has been utilized for centuries and constitutes an integral part of local economy. In this program, Japanese experiences of sustainable management of pelagic fish resources, their utilization, development of local specialty products, and increasing their contributions to the local economy, are introduced and ways of applying such knowledges in the context of developing countries are discussed. The program will be conducted in Kochi prefecture, one of major production areas of skipjack tuna in Japan, focusing on such topics as the industry-academia-government partnership for local economy development, information-based resource management, and creation of "4th-5th" for co-existence of people and nature.	Jun-25	Jul-25	
135	202411639	Agricultural Dev	Upgrading Practical Skills for Veterinary Officers in Livestock Health Services	Livestock disease cause about 30% of production losses and generate \$3 trillion in economic losses each year. This is a major threat to the livelihoods of rural populations and to international food safety and nutrition security. However, livestock health administrations in developing countries often face challenges in the "surveillance loop" that is essential for combating these livestock diseases: detection of diseases in the field, reporting outbreaks to local and central livestock intelligence disease laboratories, analysis, and response. In this course, with the aid of strengthening veterinary services for "detection," "reporting," "response," and "prevention" of infectious diseases in livestock field, livestock hygiene administrators and local veterinary officers will learn techniques and mechanisms for clinical diagnosis, farm hygiene management, community, provincial, and district-level quarantine measures, and collaboration with testing laboratories.	Beginning Sep-2025	Beginning Nov-2025	
136	202411640	Agricultural Dev	Post-harvest Blue Processing for African Countries	The program provides skills and knowledges on Harvesting and Post-harvest processing to the government officers such as agricultural technical officers who are engaged in agricultural guidance to farmers. Yamagata University manages this program in cooperation with local government and private sector including Japan Agricultural Cooperative (JA).	Under Planning	Under Planning	
137	202411641	Agricultural Dev	Development of Small Scale Irrigation Technology and Agricultural Promotion Measures	In developing countries, irrigation development is not progressing due to lack of funds, and even if there are existing irrigation facilities, they are malfunctioning due to lack of proper maintenance. To help solve these issues, in Malawi and Zambia, JICA is implementing COSS (Community-based Smallholder Irrigation) approach, which utilizes small-scale irrigation by constructing simple weirs using locally available materials, with urban participation incorporated. COSS approach also incorporates SIFP (Smallholder Irrigation Empowerment and Promotion) and nutritional improvement, and contributed to increasing farmer' incomes and improving nutrition through systemic approach from production to sales and consumption.	Middle Mar-2026	Beginning Apr-2026	
138	202411642	Urban/Regional	Management and Utilization of National Control Points for Efficiency of Survey	This program is developed for human resource development for developing an appropriate operation and maintenance and utilization of National Control Points (e.g. COSS), which are necessary for the preparation and utilization of ECOSAT Urban Observation Network System (UONETS) in Japan, and are required to improve the operational method of the appropriate operation and maintenance and utilization of National Control Points (e.g. COSS) for its country. In addition, participants are required to acquire the method of operation of satellite positioning through practical trainings and to acquire the knowledge of geodesic system conversion and semi-dynamic correction.	Beginning Jul-2025	Middle Aug-2025	
139	202411643	Urban/Regional	Planning and Management of National Mapping and Surveying	Geospatial information is necessary infrastructure information for national development and disaster prevention. For achieving this, this program provides a training of core human resources in charge of planning and management of geospatial information, so that the target of education can manage reliable geospatial information properly and improve their future mapping policies.	Middle Sep-2025	Middle Dec-2025	
140	202411644	Urban/Regional	Comprehensive City Planning	Urban population is growing, and it is projected to increase into nearly two-thirds of the world population by 2050. Due to the rapid urbanization in many developing countries, more than 80% of the world urban population will be living in the developing countries. Although the role of urban city is to be an engine of economic growth, rapid urbanization is causing various problems such as lack of infrastructure, heavy traffic and environmental pollution. Thus, a comprehensive city planning is an essential approach to solve multiple issues. This program aims to provide knowledges and practices in the efficient city planning system, effective comprehensive urban planning and development approach based on Japan's experiences and discussions. Through this program, participants will learn comprehensive framework and specific approach to improve urban planning as well as urban development in their home country.	Under Planning	Under Planning	

141	202411645	Urban/Regional	Urban solutions (Urban Development Methods) including TOD and Land Readjustment for Rapidly-Growing Cities	<p>This program aims to find out the direction of solutions to problems and issues of urban problems caused by rapid growth of cities in the participating countries through Japanese experiences and practices regarding urban development. The program focuses on two themes of urban development, which are TOD (Transit Oriented Development) and readjustment of densely populated areas in city centers and centers around city centers of local government in Japan. With the objective of newly developing urban areas or redeveloping existing inefficient urban areas, this program will introduce a comprehensive approach to urban development, including method such as land readjustment and urban redevelopment. This program is implemented as part of JICA's "Urban Management" cluster in JICA's Global Agenda "Urban and Regional Development". The course aims to strengthen the capacity of public officials to introduce and implement effective urban development systems and methods.</p>	Nov-25	Dec-25
142	202411646	Urban/Regional	Comprehensive City Planning for Francophone Countries in Africa	<p>More than half of the world population live in urban areas, and it is estimated to increase to nearly two-third of the world population by 2050. About 83% of the urban population in 2050 will be living in developing countries, although the role of urban cities is an engine of economic growth, rapid urbanization is causing infrastructure, traffic and environmental problems. To solve these issues, it is essential to use comprehensive approach and city planning. This program aims to provide knowledge and practices for the effective and efficient city planning system, comprehensive urban planning and development approach through case studies and experience of Japan. It also provides hints or suggestions for participants to solve issues in their countries.</p>	Beginning Nov-2025	Beginning Dec-2025
143	202411647	Urban/Regional	Museums and Community Development	<p>A museum is a hub for compiling and disseminating cultural and natural heritage and knowledge. This course provides a comprehensive training program in practical skills and knowledge that are indispensable for community-based museum operation and activities, thereby fostering human resources who can contribute to the economic, cultural, and societal development of local communities in their countries.</p>	03-Dec-25	18-Dec-25
144	202411648	Urban/Regional	Urban Management for Sustainable Urban Development	<p>With the view to implement urban plans, this program aims at developing participants' urban management capacity for sustainable urban development, such as PPP and PFI, with the use of experiences and know-how of Japanese municipalities as examples. The program also aims at improving participants' capacities for sustainable urban planning by leveraging Japanese policies and initiatives.</p>	Under Planning	Under Planning
145	202411649	Urban/Regional	Planning and Management for Comprehensive Regional Development - Approaches to Resilient Area-based Communities	<p>The purpose of this course is to contribute to the realization of issues related to regional development in the participating countries/regions through the proposal and dissemination of regional development (resilient) wide-area administrative/territorial mechanism that meet the actual conditions of each country and region by the participants, based on their understanding of the following points:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Approaches of holistic comprehensive development from a mid-and long-term perspective under the leadership of the national government. 2. Cases of area-based potential realization through the utilization of regional resources. 3. Practical relationship of stakeholder (national government, local governments, enterprises, citizen groups, etc.) to promote comprehensive regional development planning. 4. Significance of "community development" with residents' participation and how to promote it. 	01-Apr-25	31-Mar-26
146	202411650	Urban/Regional	National and Regional Development Policy	<p>Participants are supported to be government officers engaged in national/regional development project/policy. They learn policies, strategies systems, and best practices in national & regional development plans as well as effective management of local & regional development. As the course output, they make a study report for the improvement of national/regional development system in relation to their on-going activities. Through these activities, this course aims to enhance their capacity of proposing concrete measures and solutions for improving their national/regional development policy project by applying experiences and lessons in Japan.</p>	Beginning Oct-2025	Beginning Nov-2025
147	202411651	Urban/Regional	Disaster Risk Reduction of Buildings	<p>Large clusters of earthquake have caused a lot of damages. Safe buildings are key to protect people's lives. This Japanese government has made efforts to improve its building codes and the regulatory system to protect their people.</p> <p>Based on such experiences, this program is based on Japan's experience to acquire knowledge on building codes, building/regulation systems, and building disaster prevention policies and technologies, and to analyze and understand the issues faced by participant countries using the POKI method and acquire ideas that will be useful in solving them.</p>	Under Planning	Under Planning
148	202411652	Urban/Regional	Comprehensive Urban Transportation Planning	<p>Recently traffic congestion caused by rapid urbanization is one of the most serious issues in cities in developing countries and sustainable urban development based on public transport network to promote middle size cities has become important topics in terms of climate change mitigation. Urban transport plan not only plays a vital role to tackle above issues, but also greatly affects the determination of urban structure, thus it needs to be aligned with urban development plans. This course aims to acquire knowledge and skills on analysis of urban transport issues based on demand forecast, traffic survey and formulation of transport plans (including road and public transport network, traffic management plans) through lectures, site visits, workshops, and discussions. This course, the most basic course on urban transport, focuses on knowledge necessary for urban transport master plan formulation, "Urban public transport" and "Urban Railways Management" are advanced courses on urban transport.</p>	Oct-25	Nov-25
149	202411653	Urban/Regional	Smart City Approach to Solve Urban Issues	<p>To realize Smart City, it is necessary to consider how to solve urban issues by various perspectives such as policies, economics, and technologies. Urban issues consist of multi sectors such as mobility, energy, health care, and social welfare and require management among many stakeholders. This program will offer network and case studies based on Japanese Smart City experiences.</p>	Under Planning	Under Planning
150	202411654	Urban/Regional	Sustainable Housing and Building Policy (Decarbonization Building, Green Housing Finance, Affordable Housing)	<p>The supply of quality housing is a major policy issue for the rapid growth of urban populations in emerging economies. There is also a growing need to improve the energy efficiency of housing and buildings to meet the increasing energy consumption. Furthermore, realizing a large supply of low-cost housing through public-private partnerships is needed. This training course will cover topics related to the promotion of decarbonization building, green housing finance, and affordable housing, as well as housing and building policies necessary for sustainable economic growth in emerging economies. This aims to acquire knowledge on how to improve energy efficiency in housing and buildings, and to achieve a supply of high-quality, affordable housing.</p>	Under Planning	Under Planning

131	202411656	Urban/Regional Urban Public Transport (Railway, Bus, etc.)							
132	202411657	Transportation	Bridge Asset Management						
133	202411658	Transportation	Sustainable Port Development and Planning (for Port Engineer)						
134	202411659	Transportation	Policy and Engineering on Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS)						
135	202411660	Transportation	Traffic Safety						
136	202411661	Transportation	Project Management in Infrastructure Development for Civil Engineers						
137	202411662	Transportation	Road Asset Management						
138	202411663	Transportation	Road Policy						
139	202411664	Transportation	Comprehensive Bridge Engineering (for Bridge Engineer)						
140	202411665	Transportation	Strengthening Surveys and Inspections for Ship Safety						
141	202411666	Transportation	Maritime Law Enforcement						

This program introduces planning, construction, O&M of urban transport systems based on Japan's experiences in order to realize sustainable public transport systems. These themes will be covered in terms of coordination with urban development, selection of transportation modes, financing and public transportation policies. The program is divided into more advanced steps of JICA's another KCCP "Comprehensive Urban Transportation Planning", which involved traffic analysis and demand forecast methods for urban public transport systems, furthermore, JICA offers more specialized KCCP "Urban Railways Management" which focuses on urban rail-based transportation. The program is implemented as part of JICA's "Urban Management" cluster in JICA's Global Agenda "Urban and Regional Development". The program aims to strengthen the capacity of public officials to create general urban master plan from a point of view of urban public transport.

The program aims to contribute to building a sustainable, safe, and reliable road transportation network by considering road infrastructure facilities in developing countries as assets, conducting preventive maintenance and management through a series of cycles of planning, implementation, and evaluation, and extending the service life of infrastructure facilities and enhancing their sustainability. This training course is especially designed for government officials involved in the bridge sector. In the training course, participants will learn about asset management, finance, and the acquisition and utilization of data necessary for bridge maintenance and management through lecture, inspection tours, and discussions.

This course provides lectures on development and planning of ports and the waterfront area including industrial location, ranging from the basics of civil engineering to the outcomes of leading-edge research. Through sessions of case studies on ports and the waterfront areas provided through lectures and site visits, participants will make action plans, and will make presentations on them to discuss their respective challenges.

Traffic demand in the developing countries is rapidly increasing, and it is necessary to expand public transportation system and road capacity. Traffic safety (ITS) assists to enhance the efficiency and safety of existing road network using real-time information. This program is aimed to formulate the action plan and enhance the practical capacity to introduce ITS in each country.

Participants shall learn the overview of the opportunities, knowledge and countermeasures for traffic safety, accumulated in Japan through security/accident data. The subjects are (1) Traffic engineering including traffic police system, collection and analysis of accident data, and driving license system, (2) Traffic safety education and campaign, (3) Traffic safety facilities, (4) Emergency rescue system, (5) Traffic safety policy, (6) Operation management of passenger and cargo transport company, etc.

In later years, the procedures for public works in developing countries become more complicated due to the intermingling of ODA projects and their own national systems. This course is offered for executive officer/included the candidates to be executive officer/in charge of project management in central government and so on. The purpose of this course is to strengthen the capabilities of formulating project management system and measures by reviewing the own situation and problems and summarizes Action Plan utilizing the knowledge and technology learned.

"Road Asset Management" is to implement a maintenance plan, which is to plan the life cycle cost of road assets, such as pavement, bridge, tunnel and other road structures. The purpose of this program is to enhance skills for implementing Road Asset Management by acquiring necessary knowledge and techniques for appropriate maintenance works and maintenance plan.

This program is set as the one of five clusters in JICA Global Agenda "Transportation", and is contributor to the contribution of sustainable, safe, and reliable road traffic networks.

In developing countries that lack social infrastructure, road improvement has an significant effect on improving people's lives and economic activities. This course belongs to the "Road Asset Management" cluster, which views road infrastructure as an asset and conducts Preventive Maintenance Management through a series of planning, implementation, and evaluation cycles, and aims to build highly sustainable, safe, and reliable road transportation network by extending the lifespan and strengthening the sustainability of road infrastructure. This course is implemented with the aim of improving the road planning, development, operation, and maintenance skills of mid-level officials.

This program will provide comprehensive bridge engineering such as design of bridges, construction/construction supervision and maintenance/repair of various types of bridges through case study and site visit in Japan.

In this course, the international maritime convention on ship safety established by the International Maritime Organization is introduced to ship inspectors, PSC inspectors, and maritime administrative officers of the target countries. The course aims to strengthen the appropriate enforcement of inspections of ships subject to the convention and of inspections by visiting countries.

In recent years, there has been a strong demand to improve the safety of non-convention ships (coastal ships). Therefore, the course participants will learn appropriate safety standards and the rationalization of inspections for coastal ships, promote the improvement of coastal ship safety (regulation), and obtain skills to contribute to ensuring the safety of ships and preventing marine pollution.

This course aims that participants learn comprehensive knowledge and techniques for maritime law enforcement through lectures, visits, and practical experiences based on cooperation from Japan Coast Guard (JCG). Target group is the officers at operational level and the period of the course is one month. The course includes lectures on international law/flag state, an overview of the law enforcement, investigations of suspicious vessels, and practical exercises of scientific criminal investigation, which are necessary for strengthening maritime law enforcement in addition, this course is positioned in the Global Agenda "Transport" and a part of the Cluster "Enhancement of Maritime Safety and Security", which contributes to securing maritime safety, rescue operations, strengthening the ability to control illegal activities, as well as environmental pollution.

162	20241167	Transportation	Maritime Search and Rescue, Maritime Disaster Prevention, and Marine Environment Protection for Coast Guard Officials	Participants shall have opportunities to acquire skills and knowledge regarding maritime search and rescue, disaster prevention and environment protection from Japan Coast Guard and other organizations as they operate actual responses. Participants will also learn methods that solve issues they face and formulate an action plan or an alternative plan for capacity development of participants and their own organizations. In addition, this course is positioned in the Global Agenda "Transport" and is part of the Cluster "Enhancement of Maritime Safety and Security", which contributes to securing maritime safety, rescue operations, strengthening the ability to control illegal activities, as well as environmental pollution.	01-Sep-25	01-Nov-25	
163	20241169	Transportation	The Total Planning of Airport Construction, Management and Maintenance	ICAO predicts the increase of aviation demands especially in Asia and Africa, and airport development projects are scheduled in these regions. After the completion and expansion of the airport, efficient and effective management and maintenance are essential. In this regard, this program offers the basic knowledge on construction, management and maintenance of the airport development.	Beginning Nov-2025	Beginning Dec-2025	
164	20241170	Transportation	Hydrography for Charting and Disaster Management (Internationally Accredited Category B)	Nautical charts is an important infrastructure to secure the marine traffic for economic prosperity and to formulate the ocean policy, including disaster management. This course aims to enhance the capacity of hydrographic survey technique and utilization of hydrographic data. In addition, this course is positioned in the Global Agenda "Transport" and is part of the Cluster "Enhancement of Maritime Safety and Security", which contributes to securing maritime safety, rescue operations, strengthening the ability to control illegal activities, as well as environmental pollution. After completing this course, all participants are certified Internationally Accredited Category B duplicated by IHO/HC/DC.	Middle Jul-2025	End Dec-2025	
165	20241171	Transportation	Strategic Port Administration and Management	This course aims to improve one's capabilities in the areas of strategic port administration, port management and port operation. Participants are asked to formulate an Action Plan for port related issues in their respective countries.	Middle Jan-2026	Beginning Mar-2026	1
166	20241172	Transportation	Capacity Development for Port Facility Security	In this course, participants shall develop their knowledge through lectures and site visits on how to improve the efficiency of port maintenance/operation management, which is an interface for maritime logistics, essential for economic development. By analyzing various problems in their countries, and formulating an action plan through consultations with the external consultants on some comprehensive solutions, the capabilities of the relevant organizations to improve strategic port administration and operational management shall be further developed. Since 9/11 in 2001, security measures on international maritime transport have become more important around the world. This program provides the practical knowledge and skills on port facility security measures. Although this program had been offered to participants of ASEAN countries until 2015, it will cover the other areas as well from 2016.	Middle Nov-2025	Middle Dec-2025	
167	20241173	Transportation	Port Maintenance Planning	Many developing countries are developing their port facilities to meet the increasing demands on maritime transport, to support their rapid economic growth. The government of Japan has been implementing cooperation projects in their port sectors through grants, soft loans and technical cooperation. Maintenance on the port facilities are essential to avoid negative impact on their social and economic growth. In addition, the capacity development on port facility maintenance has become important more than ever, particularly in Southeast Asian countries. Since many are in operation for more than thirty years, fading deterioration risks. In this regard, this course aims to enhance one's capabilities on port maintenance planning, inspection methods, maintenance strategies and prioritization, as well as other related issues, based on the concept of life cycle management.	Middle Jan-2026	Middle Nov-2025	
168	20241174	Transportation	Aviation Security	With diversifying of terrorist attacks to aircrafts, the threat of terrorism to civil aviation sector remains seriously. ICAO has been taking measures on improvement of aviation security, such as enhancement of operation capacity for Standards and Recommended Practices, while there still exists in developing countries to enhance such capacity due to lack of knowledge and experience in aviation security sector. This program aims to enhance capacity on aviation security in each country by providing practical knowledge on ICAO Standards and Recommended Practices as well as aviation security regulations, systems, programs, and measures in Japan.	Beginning Jan-2026	Beginning Feb-2026	
169	20241175	Transportation	Road Maintenance	This course targets engineers who are engaged in road maintenance. It contributes to improve their knowledge, experience and techniques for appropriate road maintenance, especially planning skills (including asset management) through lecture, site visit, and discussion etc. They are expected to identify the issues and formulate feasible action plan for the solution.	Beginning Oct-2025	Middle Nov-2025	
170	20241177	Transportation	Development and Maintenance of Resilient Roads in Mountainous Regions with Disaster Risk	This course aims to strengthen the overall capacity of technical official in charge of Mountain Road Development and Maintenance by combining knowledge from various organizations in Japan, including municipalities, local governments, private companies, and universities, and by providing lectures and exercises on risk assessment and stability calculation of mountain road slopes, planning and design (design, bridge, and tunnel), and observation of countermeasure works. Following themes are also to be covered: road hazard risk assessment, geological and surveying survey/route planning at the road design stage, and monitoring and maintenance management for risk slopes.	Beginning Nov-2025	End Nov-2025	
171	20241178	Transportation	Introduction and Management of Air Navigation Services (ANS) Technology	In order to operate seamless, safe and efficient air traffic, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) has implemented CNS (Global Navigation Satellite System) with Air Traffic Management (ATM) (Pilotage/Navigation), etc. In the long-term vision of the Future GAN (Global Air Navigation) Plan in each country, but developing countries have not been able to adequately raise actions due to lack of knowledge and experience, therefore the introduction is in need of support. Therefore, it is given significance from the viewpoint of contributing to solving future problems in the field of air traffic control by having air traffic control engineers from developing countries understand the outline of these systems, the methods when they are introduced in Japan, and the operation and maintenance methods, as well as formulating plans for the renewal of these control systems in their own countries.	Under Planning	Under Planning	

172	202411679	Transportation	Maritime Traffic Safety (Internationally Accredited Vessel Traffic Service (VTS) Operator Course)	Participants will acquire the knowledge and skills necessary for VTS operators through practical training based on the curriculum established by International Association of Lighthouse Authorities (IALA). It will take place in Japan and Malaysia. They will deepen their knowledge of VTS center operation and human resource development systems under different marine traffic environments through lectures, facility tours, and exercises. In Japan, participants can learn advanced and specialized operation of Japan Coast Guard (JCG) to ensure the safety of maritime traffic. Participants can acquire international qualifications as VTS operators at a training facility in Malaysia. In addition, this course is positioned in the Global Agenda "Transport" and is part of the Cluster Enhancement of Maritime Safety and Security, which contributes to securing maritime safety, rescue operations, and strengthening the ability to control illegal activities.	Jul-25	Oct-25	
173	202411681	Natural Resource	Energy Policy	Participants will deepen their understanding of global energy situation, history and current situation in Japan's energy policy with focusing on the action towards low carbon or carbon neutral society, and the latest technology trends in Japan through on-site visits and interactions with Japanese companies, and learn how to plan policies based on demand forecast and optimization of energy balance, with appropriately managed energy related data. Also they will have a discussion which supports aimed at creating staff action plans for each participant's country. This course is expected to contribute the officials of developing countries, which is under the growing energy demand, to formulate and implement policy and plan for "Energy Transition", with utilizing Japanese technologies for Carbon Neutrality, such as hydrogen, ammonia, etc.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
174	202411682	Natural Resource	Power Grid Planning and Operation	The development of a highly reliable transmission network and the ability to operate the system are essential for a stable supply of electricity. Japan has developed and has long operated power supply systems with optimum efficiency and stability. This course aims to impart knowledge and skills in planning, design, and operation based on Japanese knowledge to engineers and managers in charge of system planning and design. It also aims to strengthen the participants' practical skills in system planning and operation by deepening their understanding of related equipment, manufacturers and facilities that contribute to high reliability.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
175	202411683	Natural Resource	Modernization of Power Distribution Grid Development	In this course, participants will be able to learn power distribution planning, designing, operation, and maintenance, through Japan's experience in power grid distribution, which is regarded as one of the most stable and efficient systems in the world. The course provides lecture, practical training, and site visits. It is also expected that participants will be able to build a network between them. This training program is positioned in the "Energy & Mining" which is one of the Global Agendas, and aligned to the cluster of "Strengthening of the distribution and transmission network."	Under Planning	Under Planning	
176	202411684	Natural Resource	Promotion of Hydropower Development	This program is prepared in order that participants could obtain basic knowledge and experience on hydropower development achieved by Japan for steady implementation of hydropower development. In addition, this training program is positioned in the "Energy & Mining" which is one of JICA Global Agendas, and aligned to the cluster of "Promotion of New/Renewable energy".	Under Planning	Under Planning	
177	202411685	Natural Resource	Management of Power Utilities	Power utilities need to cope with deregulation, private investment, upgrading system, and taking countermeasures to accommodate increasing variable renewable energy. They also face globalization and structural unbundling between generation, transmission and distribution. Therefore, an appropriate management is important for them to provide sustainable services in more competitive environment and rapidly changing power supply system.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
178	202411687	Natural Resource	Promotion of Renewable Energy Introduction and Power Demand Supply Optimization under Renewable Power Supply	Renewable energies such as solar and wind power is expanding worldwide. In Japan, since the introduction of the feed-in tariff in July 2012, the amount of solar power in particular has significantly increased. While many developing countries are being called upon to promote the introduction of renewable energy towards the realization of a decarbonized society, various issues related to power systems due to the fluctuation of renewable energy are becoming apparent, and it is required to conduct urgent responses. In this training, JICA provides opportunities to learn 1) promotion policy of renewable energy and 2) issues and countermeasures/new technologies related to power systems that arise with the expansion of renewable energy, aiming to achieve the specified training objectives for personnel who are at the core of power policy and grid development in developing countries.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
179	202411690	Natural Resource	Renewable Energy and Diesel Power Operation in Small Islands	Micro-grid (especially remote island of island capability) which is composed by diesel power generator and renewable energy should be operated well and safely and economically.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
180	202411691	Natural Resource	Stabilizing Power Systems to Introduce Various Kinds of Renewable Energy	Recently, as a result of dramatic decline of variable renewable energy (VRE) and against the backdrop of global initiatives to limit carbon emissions, many countries are starting to accelerate VRE development. However, in many countries, the electric power system is not ready to accommodate large amounts of VRE. This program will introduce the impact of VRE on the stability of the power system, and the specific measures to stabilize the power system.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
181	202411692	Natural Resource	Mining (Remote Sensing Application and Mineral Exploration)	This program is for junior to mid-career officials with more than 3 years of work experience in mineral application. The purposes are to enhance capability of 1) effective utilization of remote sensing and geographic information system (GIS) for mineral exploration and development and 2) environmental management (remote sensing, etc.) 2) efficient planning and implementation of mineral exploration. This will be held in collaboration with mineral resource related ministries and agencies and universities in Japan. Participants are also expected to build networks with those organizations and to serve as a bridge between Japan and their respective countries.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
182	202411694	Natural Resource	Promotion of Energy Efficiency and Conservation	This training course is designed for contacts engaged in energy efficiency and conservation policies promotion, and audits, and introduces the recognition of issues based on IEA energy data, the overall picture of energy efficiency and conservation policies, energy efficiency and conservation promotion measures in the industrial, commercial and residential, transport sectors, energy efficiency and conservation in lighting and air conditioning equipment, energy management and audits, and other initiatives to promote the government and private sectors role in energy efficiency and conservation.	14-Sep-25	15-Oct-25	1
183	202411695	Natural Resource	Biomass Utilization Technology	This program aims to enhance the capacity in formulating effective and efficient utilization plan of biomass resources with the forefront technology such as biomass co-firing. The program offers lectures and practice on biomass resource/technology/system and data visits to learn biomass utilization in Japan. The content of the program will be practical, utilizing the resources of the Chugoku region, which has a wealth of examples of advanced biomass initiatives.	Jan-26	Feb-26	

184	2024111696	Natural Resource	Practicing the Ways of Energy Transition for Forest Fuel Nations		Under Planning	Under Planning	
185	2024111699	Nature Conserva	Ecosystems for Offsets on Nature Conservation		Under Planning	Under Planning	
186	202411700	Nature Conserva	Developing Policy-Making Abilities for Sustainable Forest Management		Nov-25	Dec-25	
187	202411701	Nature Conserva	Sustainable Forest Management with Community Participation		Sep-25	Nov-25	
188	202411702	Nature Conserva	Sustainable Use of Forest/Natural Resources and Local Strengthening of Value Chain		Oct-25	Dec-25	
189	202411703	Nature Conserva	Removal of Storing of Forest Resources		Jun-25	Aug-25	
190	202411704	Nature Conserva	Promotion of SATOYAMA Initiative: Biodiversity Conservation and Rural Development through the Sustainable Management of Natural Resources		End Dec-2025	End Nov-2025	
191	202411705	Nature Conserva	Integrated Lake, River and Coastal Basin Management for Sustainable Use and Preservation of Water Resources		Under Planning	Under Planning	
192	202411706	Nature Conserva	Coastal and Marine Ecosystem Conservation Management for Global Biodiversity Goals		Under Planning	Under Planning	
193	202411708	Nature Conserva	Ecosystem-Based Solutions for Disaster Risk Reduction (Eco-DRR)		Middle Sep-2025	Middle Oct-2025	1
194	202411709	Environmental M	Capacity Development for Progression of Nationally Determined Contributions under the Paris Agreement		Beginning Jul-2025	End Jul-2025	
195	202411710	Environmental M	Adaptation to Climate Change		End Aug-2025	End Sep-2025	

The world has turned toward decarbonization. Many developed countries have declared carbon neutrality by 2050, and developing countries are aiming to achieve carbon neutrality by 2060 or 2070. It is impossible to realize a carbon-neutral society with only existing technologies such as solar power and wind power. The key is the development and introduction of next-generation decarbonization technologies. Also, no developing country will accept an energy transition that would impede their economic growth. In addition, the invasion of climate has made energy supply unstable and expensive. Carbon neutrality and a stable supply of cheap energy must be achieved at the same time. And also regional approach such as the Asian Zero Emissions Community (AZEC) would be more rational to realize the goal. In this course, trainees will learn from Japanese energy policy organizations, universities, and companies about energy policies, technological innovation, and the promotion of regional approach.

Ecosystems can be a valuable measure towards using the natural environment which, and measures against the over-burden, contributing towards finding ways for biodiversity conservation as well as the improvement of livelihoods and livelihoods for the local people. This training aims to strengthen the capacity of administrators in charge of promoting/developing nature conservation plans/projects including contribution in and local nature reserves.

Despite increase of international society's awareness of the importance of forest (e.g. SDG 15), many developing countries are suffering deforestation and forest degradation. Thus, it is one of the pressing issues for developing countries to enhance the capacity of policy-makers to achieve sustainable forest management (SFM). This program provides relevant skills and knowledge, and support policy-makers to prepare an action plan to promote SFM in respective countries.

In this program, we introduce "Active Learning" approach to promote knowledge co-creation among participants. This program is conducted under the approach "Protecting the Richness of Nature on Land" in order to contribute to the conservation and recovery of the natural environment in the Global Agenda "Natural environment conservation" which is JICA's strategy for global development issues.

Various institutions which support the sustainable development including a local people in Japan, it is in cooperation in industry, administrative and academic sectors. The result is reflected in local people-oriented various projects. It is the purpose that the management system by participation of the local people of its own country is promoted through the various cases.

Hokkaido has outstanding regional brands, and various efforts of community and local company for value and quality hold by certification system. JICA's project in Ethiopia contributed to improve livelihood in local communities through requiring international certification for coffee products. This course aims to enhance the capacity for regional development utilizing certification systems and regional branding of natural resources.

Withing deforestation and forest degradation is known as an urgent issue in global society, but in many developing countries, there are not sufficient systems for personnel for forest monitoring so that they can't investigate forest resources which is basic info for REDD+. In this training, participants can acquire basic remote sensing skills and make a database using GIS tool in order to understand forest resources in their own countries.

Participants will learn the cases of natural resources management of Satoyama in Japan and other parts of the world to make the goal for the rural development in their own countries from the viewpoint of the reconnection between nature conservation and economic development.

Participants will understand the importance of proper management of genetic and local systems focusing on natural lake basin management (GLBM), which aims for the integrated pursuit of 3R issues (Institution, Politics, Participation, Technology, Knowledge and Information, and Finance)

It is important to promote the conservation of marine and coastal ecosystem that have rich biodiversity, and is also emphasized in the post-Aichi Targets of the Convention on Biological Diversity. When establishing protected areas for the conservation of biodiversity, coordination on resource usage is essential with the people living within/around them. This training focus on marine/coastal ecosystem and aims to understand the Satoyama/Satoumi concept for societies in harmony with nature; Japan's zoning-based management system; and the sustainable use of natural resources with the participation of local people and the private sector.

Ecosystem-based solutions for disaster risk reduction (Eco-DRR) is one of the disaster risk reduction measures. In recent years, natural disasters have become more frequent and devastating due to climate change, etc. and Eco-DRR initiatives have been attracting the attention as measures that can achieve multiple benefits, such as disaster risk reduction, climate change adaptation/mitigation and biodiversity. This program aims to prevent/reduce the damage of natural disasters, and to conserve and strengthen natural ecosystem in a developing country through understanding practical examples of Eco-DRR including disaster prevention functions possessed by forests (cultivation of water resources, sediment disaster prevention, climate change adaptation / mitigation, etc.).

The "Paris Agreement" was adopted at the COP21 in 2015 to deal with climate change that poses a threat to the entire world, and will start operation in January 2020. All Contracting Parties will implement climate change commitments based on the "Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC)" that they have created, and monitor the progress and result.

However many developing countries have difficulties in formulating NDC plans, ensuring transparency, and developing capacity for implementing activities in their own countries, and require support from other countries. This training aims at national organizations in charge of planning and implementing NDC in climate change context (source mitigation measures) in developing countries, and is capable of formulating and implementing NDC under the Paris Agreement, based on Japan's experience.

It focuses on policy making and elaboration of an Action Plan based on lessons about international framework and Japan's policy on adaptation to climate change (CC) in the 3rd half of the program, and sectoral adaptation approaches such as forest of CC impact assessment on CC and sectoral vulnerability assessment (e.g. earthquake disaster prevention) in the latter half.

196	202411211	Environmental M	Expanding Access to Climate Finance: Theory and Application for Practitioners	A large amount of finance is needed to tackle with climate change in developing countries. Among several climate finance, i.e. Adaptation Fund (AF), Global Environment Facility (GEF), Green Climate Fund (GCF), which now became a biggest climate financial mechanism, was set in 2010 within the framework of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC), as an operating entity of the financial mechanism. Only Accredited Entities (AEs) have an access to GCF funding, and 97 AEs have been approved by GCF, including JICA (as of May 2020). GCF has approved 120 projects (as of May 2020), of which 17 projects were formulated and submitted by Direct Access Entity (DAE), and GCF encourages DAEs to formulate projects. This course, targeting at officials from National Designated Authorities (NDAs) and line ministries, aims to improve access to climate finance by enhancing their skills to formulate climate change projects and develop concept notes.	Beginning Dec-2025	Beginning Feb-2026	
197	202411212	Environmental M (Long-Term Low Greenhouse Gas Emission Development Strategy)	Climate Change for Park: Agreement Implementation (Long-Term Low Greenhouse Gas Emission Development Strategy)	Under the Paris Agreement Parties should strive to provide and communicate long-term low greenhouse gas emission development strategies (LT-EDS) and are invited to communicate theirs by 2020. At this point, however, only 23 countries and regions have submitted their LT-EDS. In order to achieve the purpose of the Paris Agreement, not only the effort for the National Determined Contribution (NDC), but also the formulation of strategies for climate change communication, i.e. medium- to long-term, are indispensable. This course focuses on capacity building necessary for formulating and implementing a LT-EDS. This program is in line with the cluster "Promoting the implementation of the Paris Agreement" of JICA's the Global Agenda in climate change.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
198	202411213	Environmental M	Capacity Development of Local Governments for Sustainable and Carbon-Neutral Urban Development	Climate change threatens the sustainable development and the human security across the world, especially in developing countries: the food security, infrastructure, water resources and agriculture would be particularly affected. The Paris Agreement adopted at the COP21 of UNFCCC aims at pushing efforts to limit the increase of global average temperature to 1.5C. Today, most of the countries are engaged in developing/validating national policies and required reports under the agreement. Local governments and others play a critical role in operationalizing these policies as they feel the impacts of climate change at front line. It is urgently need to strengthen the local capacity. This course targets those involved in urban development, climate change and environmental management and provides a knowledge co-creation opportunity for sustainable and carbon-neutral urban development. It also aims to enhance city-to-city cooperation with Japanese cities through experience sharing.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
199	202411214	Environmental M (Prevention / Wastewater Treatment / Water Resources Conservation)	Water Environment Administration (Water Pollution Prevention / Wastewater Treatment / Water Resources Conservation)	Participants learn experience of pollution related to water environment, and sustainable preservation and utilization of water environment in Japan. Especially learn history and outline about preparation of legal structure, based on (1)exam roles of administration, private sector and citizen. Finally aim to enhance the ability for making and implementation of policy in participant's organization.	Beginning Feb-2025	End Feb-2025	
200	202411216	Environmental M (Sewerage Management (Basic))	Sewerage Management (Basic)	In order to improve the hygienic environment and reduce flood damages, it is essential to draft a plan and implement a project for appropriate sewerage management. In this program, through lectures, site visits, and practices, participants will obtain basic knowledge and examine appropriate countermeasures against the issues they are facing and create Action Plans contributing to developing a sewerage management plan. This program mainly focuses on sewerage management. The secondary focus is on urban storm water countermeasures. In this program, we introduce "Active Learning" approach to promote knowledge co-creation among participants. This program is in line with the cluster "Promotion of healthy environment through appropriate environmental regulations and pollution control" of "JICA Clean City Initiative", which is the JICA Global Agenda in environmental management sector.	Sep-25	Oct-25	
201	202411217	Environmental M (Decentralized Wastewater Treatment System)	Decentralized Wastewater Treatment System	Untreated night soil and wastewater discharge caused water pollution. The sanitary treatment of night soil and wastewater on-site (Ihokasagi) is cost-effective countermeasures against water pollution. This program offers comprehensive wastewater treatment (pre-treatment, live and regulation) to control water pollution, methodology of night soil and wastewater treatment, and operation and maintenance of Iohokasagi. This program is in line with the cluster "Promotion of healthy environment through appropriate environmental regulations and pollution control measures" of "JICA Clean City Initiative", which is the Global Agenda in environmental management sector.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
202	202411218	Environmental M (Capacity Development towards Air Quality Management)	Capacity Development towards Air Quality Management	To reduce potential adverse impacts of air pollutants on human health and ecosystems in developing countries, proper air quality management is required at all levels. This project aims to develop capacity for designing and implementing policies and measures for air quality management based on evidence-based policy tools, making use of the knowledge, experiences and technologies that Japan possesses. These tools include atmospheric monitoring, emission inventory, model simulation and regulations on stationary and mobile sources. This program is in line with the cluster "Promotion of healthy environment through appropriate environmental regulations and pollution control" of "JICA Clean City Initiative", which is the Global Agenda in environmental management sector.	Oct-25	Feb-26	
203	202411219	Environmental M (Sustainable Solid Waste Management for African Countries)	Sustainable Solid Waste Management for African Countries	Many African cities face the problem of limited solid waste collection service and inappropriate disposal, due to the rapid urbanization and increasing its population. For African countries to sustain appropriate solid waste management (SWM) on their own, the improvement of financial sustainability is the key. On the other hand, the SDCG set targets to promote appropriate SWM to improve the sanitary environment in cities. Based on this, each country needs to set a national target and conduct own indicators. This course is considered as a part of "African Clean Cities Platform", which promotes appropriate SWM, as a follow-up of TICAD stand in line with "JICA Clean City Initiative", which is the Global Agenda in environmental management sector. This course aims to carry out issues and enhance capacity of SWM and financial sustainability. Through the above, participants will formulate action plans towards sustainable SWM. Also good practices and experiences will be shared.	Middle Jul-2025	Middle Dec-2025	
204	202411220	Environmental M (Development of Recycling Policy)	Development of Recycling Policy	To achieve sustainable economic growth in developing countries, there is a growing necessity for establishing a society with environmentally-sound material cycle by effective utilization of resources. For this purpose, industrial policy approach which promotes development of recycling industries is essential. This course fosters talent to plan recycling policy through learning Japanese experience such as EPA. This program is in line with the cluster "Improvement of waste management and promotion of a sound material-cycle society" of "JICA Clean City Initiative", which is the Global Agenda in environmental management sector.	Jan-26	Jan-26	

205	202411721	Environmental M	Design and Maintenance of Semi Aerobic Landfill Site (Fukuoka Method)	This training program intends to promote introduction and effective management of semi aerobic landfill (Fukuoka Method), one of techniques for final disposal site. Participants are able to enhance practical knowledge and techniques, as the curriculum covers design, maintenance, and conservation of surrounding environment, focusing on practical. This program is in line with the cluster "Improvement of waste management and promotion of a sound material-cycle society" of "JICA Clean City Initiative", which is the Global Agenda in environmental management sector.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
206	202411722	Environmental M	Sustainable Solid Waste Management in Island Areas	In many island countries, solid waste management is urgent and serious issue. Furthermore, reducing the volume of waste is very important. This course has contents based on experiences of Okinawa Prefecture which overcome various problems on the solid waste management. Okinawa has similarities with other island countries across Okinawa is a group of coral islands, cut off far from the mainland of Japan, and has isolated environment and subtropical climate. Okinawa is the leading prefecture in promoting 3R(Reduce, Reuse, Recycle) activities such as trash separation and public awareness raising activities. This program is in line with the cluster "Improvement of waste management and promotion of a sound material-cycle society" of "JICA Clean City Initiative", which is the Global Agenda in environmental management sector.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
207	202411723	Environmental M	Technology for Solid Waste Management with Recycling Promotion for Sound Material-Cycle Society	This program is designed to improve solid waste management (SWM) process comprehensively under the concept of Sound Material Cycle Society (SMCS) for participating countries and regions. It includes not only simple work of SWM, such as separate collection, transportation, intermediate processing and landfilling out, but recycle based technology and practical example of SMCS carried out in Sakai-shi. This program is in line with the cluster "Improvement of waste management and promotion of a sound material-cycle society" of "JICA Clean City Initiative", which is the Global Agenda in environmental management sector.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
208	202411724	Environmental M	Basics of Solid Waste Management	From practical examples of Japan, participants will learn appropriate preventive technology of solid wastes (e.g., reduction of discharge, collection, transportation, disposal, citizen participation and 3R etc.) and find an applicable techniques which fit the individual issues of the participating countries. Based on this learning, an action plan will be formulated. Good practice in the solid waste management will be shared among each participants to find an effective solutions to their issues. This program is in line with the cluster "Improvement of waste management and promotion of a sound material-cycle society" of "JICA Clean City Initiative", which is the Global Agenda in environmental management sector.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
209	202411725	Environmental M	Solid Waste Management in Partnership with Private Sector and Civil Society	Through lecture/field visits on the Japanese practices and activities by private sector and local organizations and communities, this course aims to identify the issues and address the capacity of solid waste management, including on resource utilization, 3R, social awareness and citizen participation. Participants will formulate action plans towards a sustainable recycle-oriented society. This program is in line with the cluster "Improvement of waste management and promotion of a sound material-cycle society" of "JICA Clean City Initiative", which is the Global Agenda in environmental management sector.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
210	202411726	Environmental M	Municipal Solid Waste Management Practice	This course aims to provide integrated and technical knowledge for solid waste management (SWM), for planning and collection to intermediate treatment and final disposal, as well as recycling by learning mainly from major cities in the Kansai region.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
211	202411727	Environmental M	Waste Management towards Control of Marine Litter	Marine litter is mainly generated inland and has negative impacts on marine environment and industries. To promote countries' responsibility, it is needed to supplement developing countries' experience in environmental management. The aim of this training is to enhance the understanding of local Japanese and global efforts and measures to mitigate impacts by marine litter and create action plans for their own countries. This program is in line with the cluster "Improvement of waste management and promotion of a sound material-cycle society" of "JICA Clean City Initiative", which is the Global Agenda in environmental management sector.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
212	202411728	Environmental M	High Level Seminar on JICA Clean City Initiative (JCCI)	"JICA Clean City Initiative" is the JICA's Global Agenda in environmental management, under which JICA aims to contribute to building a sustainable society that realises healthy environment to protect the health and living circumstances of people in developing countries through appropriate environmental regulations and pollution control on waste management as well as water and air quality. This one week high level seminar is for senior management of central ministries or local governments in major cities in charge of environmental management. The program consists of sessions on "environmental pollution/health damage risk", "multi-stakeholder collaboration", "sustainable financial base" and the other, including introduction of technology of nature companies, issues such as "plastic waste treatment", "material-cycle society", and "climate change" are also discussed. Participants will share their experiences and build networks among participants.	Aug-25	Dec-25	
213	202411729	Water Resources	Participatory Management of Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH) for Rural Areas in African Countries	Ensuring safe water is an urgent challenge in developing countries as "Access to Clean Water and Sanitation" is shown in the 17 SDG Goals adopted in 2015, which aim to secure an universal access to safe drinking water (SDG 6.1) and equitable and sustainable access to sanitation and hygiene (SDG 6.2). By 2030, for sustainable operation and maintenance (O&M) of WASH facilities such as deep wells and handwashing facility in small rural communities, active participation and cooperation with the community residents will be essential. This course focuses on African countries where accessible rate to safe water is low in developing countries and securing water resources remains as a tough challenge. This program aims to confirm basic techniques for the piped water supply, QASA system of facilities and improvement of WASH services, and to advance necessary knowledge for ensuring availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation considering participatory and gender-sensitive manner.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
214	202411730	Water Resources	Comprehensive Engineering on Water Supply Systems	This program is designed for core engineers of medium or large waterworks to learn overall skill and knowledge related to planning, designing, and operation and maintenance to supply safe and stable drinking water. Participants are requested to clarify the issues of their organizations and formulate an action plan for future activities by utilizing knowledge obtained through this program. It is part of the Urban Water Supply Cluster, which aims to increase the number of "growing water utilities" that can independently finance and expand and improve their water services, as part of the Sustainable Water Supply Global Agenda, which aims to achieve universal access to safe water as set out in Target 6 of the SDGs.	Under Planning	Under Planning	

215	202411731	Water Resources	Administration and Management of Water Supply Services	This course is designed for executive officers of water supply administration or waterworks bureau teams to share experience in Japan on administration for safe and stable water supply such as regulation, O&M, water quality control, customer services for non-revenue water, and PFI performance indicators. This course focuses on sound management of waterworks through lecture and discussion with specialists/experts related to waterworks in Japan. This course is implemented as a part of JICA's "Supporting the growth of water utilities" Cluster in JICA's Global Agenda. Sustainable Water Resources Management and Water Supply, which aims to create "growing water utilities" capable of self-sustaining expansion and improvement with a virtuous cycle of improving services, increasing operational efficiency, expanding tariff revenue, and securing investment.	Beginning Sep-2025	Middle Sep-2025	
216	202411732	Water Resources	Operation and Maintenance of Urban Water Supply System (Water Distribution and Service)	This course is positioned as a part of JICA's "Supporting the growth of water utilities" Cluster in JICA's Global Agenda. Sustainable Water Resources Management and Water Supply, which aims to contribute to achieve universal access to safe water as stated in Target 6 of the SDGs, by creating "growing water utilities" capable of self-sustaining expansion and improvement with a virtuous cycle of improving services, increasing operational efficiency, expanding tariff revenue, and securing investment. This course and practical training aims technical transfer and dissemination, especially targeting at field engineers who are engaged in "Water Distribution and Service" in Urban Water Supply organizations in developing countries.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
217	202411733	Water Resources	Operation and Maintenance of Urban Water Supply System (Water Quality and Purification)	This course is positioned as a part of JICA's "Supporting the growth of water utilities" Cluster in JICA's Global Agenda. Sustainable Water Resources Management and Water Supply, which aims to contribute to achieve universal access to safe water as stated in Target 6 of the SDGs, by creating "growing water utilities" capable of self-sustaining expansion and improvement with a virtuous cycle of improving services, increasing operational efficiency, expanding tariff revenue, and securing investment. This course and practical training aims technical transfer and dissemination, especially targeting at field engineers who are engaged in "Water Quality and Purification" in Urban Water Supply organizations in developing countries.	Under Planning	Under Planning	
218	202411734	Water Resources	African Region/Engineering and Management of Urban Waterworks	This program will provide senior technical and/or senior management officers with the knowledge, technology, and management of the waterworks field in Japan through discussions with Japanese lecturers, site visits and a forum for sharing knowledge among participants, contributing to the improvement of waterworks in Africa. Moreover, with the knowledge gained, the program will provide know-how based on Yokohama's experience that enable each participant will try to make an appropriate plan to realize the sustainable provision of water supply services to urban residents in their countries. This program is part of JICA's Global Agenda for Sustainable Water Resources Management and Water Supply, which aims to contribute to achieving universal access to safe water as stated in SDGs Goal 6. Also it contributes to "promoting Africa based on inclusive growth and sustainable development" in Africa agenda 2063.	Oct-25	Nov-25	
219	202411735	Water Resources	Non-revenue Water Management (Leakage Control)	Capacity development in non-revenue water management including detection and prevention of leakage, analysis of leakage volume, and planning of leakage prevention is done, through practical training contents such as practical exercises, field visits, practical lecture, and a knowledge sharing session with participants. In order to realize "Knowledge Co-creation" through the program, we will conduct information with the participants even before they arrive in Japan, as well as to strengthen the network on participants to maximize the effect of the program in the future. This course is implemented as a part of JICA's "Supporting the growth of water utilities" Cluster in JICA's Global Agenda. Sustainable Water Resources Management and Water Supply, which aims to create "growing water utilities" capable of self-sustaining expansion and improvement with a virtuous cycle of improving services, increasing operational efficiency, expanding tariff revenue, and securing investment.	Beginning Oct-2025	Middle Nov-2025	1
220	202411736	Water Resources	Practical IWM (Integrated Water Resources Management) to Resolve Water-related Issue in the Regions	This program is part of "The Global Agenda for Sustainable Water Security and Water Supply", which aims to achieve a society where water resources are properly managed and available for drinking water and services for all people, and to contribute to implement integrated water resources management as stated in Target 6 of the SDGs, by developing entities responsible for water resources management in the region and establishing multi-stakeholder partnerships to work which forms part of "The practical integrated water resources management cluster".	Under Planning	Under Planning	
221	202411738	Disaster Risk Red	Reinforcement of Meteorological Services	The program aims to provide participants from National Meteorological and Hydrological Services (NHHS) of its frequent organization with the key knowledge and techniques (e.g. meteorological observation, numerical weather prediction, satellite meteorology and climate information for advanced meteorological services) to improve their operational abilities with the support from the Japan Meteorological Agency, one of the world's leading providers of meteorological forecasting technology. This course is implemented as part of JICA's "Pre-disaster Investment and Build Back Better" Cluster in JICA's Global Agenda. Strengthen overall government for understanding and comprehension of disaster risks and disaster risk reduction.	Under Planning	Under Planning	1
222	202411739	Disaster Risk Red	Disaster Risk Reduction for Sustainability and Resilience (African Region)	This program is designed for officials in central and local governments in the African Region who are responsible for mitigation in the disaster management sector. This program provides opportunities to learn the accumulated experiences gained through past disasters in Japan and focuses on helping participants gain basic knowledge and improve their understanding of practical skills in disaster risk reduction (DRR) to minimize the damages by natural disasters through workshops, lectures, and the visits regarding development of local DRR plans. By participating in this program, participants are expected to contribute to implementing SDG 11-5, especially accomplishing and promoting global targets (cld), and (d) in their own countries.	Jan-26	Feb-26	
223	202411740	Disaster Risk Red	Community-Based Disaster Risk Reduction	This program aims for central or local government officers to understand the significance of Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) and public help against natural hazards, in addition, for areas, periods, and disaster risks that are beyond the reach of public help, to consider the necessity to reduce disaster damage through self-help and mutual-ship by individuals and communities and the needs and to consider how to promote community-based disaster risk reduction in each country.	Beginning Oct-2025	End Nov-2025	

224	202411741	Disaster Risk Red	Rescue Techniques		This program is designed for the future rescue instructors in fire academies or training facilities. Participating in the program helps the trainees develop their capacity to enhance and spread rescue knowledge and skills in their countries, and formulate a human resource development plan relating to emergency rescue technique improvement in their organization. The instructing fire department as a program partner has top level knowledge, technique and equipment in search and rescue in Japan with much experience in providing rescue training to emergency responders from overseas.		Beginning Aug-2025	Middle Oct-2025	
225	202411742	Disaster Risk Red	Disaster Risk Reduction for Sustainability and Resilience		This program is designed for officials in central and local governments who are responsible for mitigation in the disaster-prone regions, sectors. The program provides opportunities to learn the accumulated experiences gained through past disasters in Japan and focus on building resilient green basic knowledge and improve their understanding of practical skills in disaster risk reduction (DRR) to minimize the impact of natural disasters through workshops, lectures and site visits regarding development of local DRR plans. By participating in this program, participants are expected to contribute to implementing SDGHS 2015-2030, especially accomplishing and promoting Global Target (d), and (e) in their own countries.		Middle Dec-2025	Middle Feb-2026	
226	202411746	Disaster Risk Red	Disaster Risk Reduction and Management on Infrastructure (River, Road and Port)		Economic loss and physical loss in developing countries become more intensive and severe due to insufficient investment into Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR). In order to minimize disaster damage, it is important to focus not only on responding to the disaster after it occurs, but also on disaster prevention or preparedness of disaster before it happens. Japan, which has been suffered from the past disasters, is expected to contribute to make awareness of disaster risk reduction and to provide expertise and local development in developing countries. This course aims to develop and strengthen participant's capabilities to solve the basic or problem in the parent organization or country through lectures, site visits and practices on policies of disaster management in national and local level, technical measures and non-structural measures on infrastructures (river, road and port) and build back better.		Beginning Sep-2025	Middle Dec-2025	1
227	202411747	Disaster Risk Red	Fire Management and Disaster Risk Reduction		As part of "Understanding disaster risk" and "Enhancing disaster preparedness for effective emergency response" in Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction 2015-2030, participants are able to enhance practical knowledge and techniques of fire fighting and rescue techniques in various fire site, and improve techniques of disaster risk reduction towards community.		Beginning Sep-2025	Middle Nov-2025	
228	202411749	Disaster Risk Red	Disaster Risk Reduction for Sustainability and Resilience (Small Island)		This program is designed for officials in central and local governments in the Pacific region and South and Latin America region who are responsible for management and mitigation in the disaster management sector. This program provides opportunities to learn the accumulated experiences gained through past disasters in Japan and focus on helping participants gain basic knowledge and improve their understanding of practical skills in disaster risk reduction (DRR) to minimize the damage by disaster through workshops, lectures, and site visits regarding development of local DRR plans. By participating in this program, participants are expected to contribute to implementing SDGHS 2015-2030, especially accomplishing and promoting Global Target (d), and (e) in their own countries.		Middle Jan-2026	End Feb-2026	
229	202411748	Disaster Risk Red	Global Technological Observation, Researching and Earthquake Disaster Mitigation		Towards the early entry into force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty (CTBT), the Government of Japan has been conducting a training program on Global Seismological Observation Date 1995, which introduces up-to-date technologies and knowledge of seismological observation and its application to nuclear test monitoring to the participants who are expected to play an important role in those fields. This program mainly target participants from countries that have not yet signed or ratified the CTBT, which is a part of the Japanese government's efforts to bring the CTBT into force as soon as possible. Furthermore, by introducing the advanced technologies for earthquake early warning system and low-cost seismic observation, this program is expected to contribute to the earthquake disaster mitigation, as well as international peacekeeping.		Beginning Jan-2026	Beginning Mar-2026	
230	202411750	Disaster Risk Red	Seismology, Earthquake Engineering, and Tsunami Disaster Mitigation (Master's Program)		Developing countries are vulnerable to threats of earthquakes and tsunami. This course aims to increase capacities of officials, engineers or researchers who are conductor to earthquake and tsunami disaster management. In this course, participants will acquire Japan's leading knowledge and technologies on seismology, earthquake engineering and tsunami disaster mitigation.		End Sep-2025	Middle Sep-2026	
231	202411751	Disaster Risk Red	Sediment Disaster Risk Reduction		ICA emphasizes the importance of strengthening the capacity of organizations in charge of disaster risk reduction infrastructure (DRR infrastructure) and critical infrastructures to having pre-disaster investment for DRR and to maintain and operate such infrastructure on a self-sustaining and development basis from their own budgets. The goal is to reduce risk and human and economic losses by improving landslide DRR infrastructure. In order to promote the implementation of landslide DRR project, this training course is designed for technical administrative officers and researchers in charge of structural measures for sediment DRR in each country to acquire basic skills through lectures, exercises, workshops, and site visits, focusing on risk assessment and the study of effective structural measures such as S&B dam, Formable concrete project pit for sediment risk reduction after returning to their home countries.		Under Planning	Under Planning	
232	202411753	Disaster Risk Red	Flood Disaster Risk Reduction		JICA emphasizes the importance of strengthening the capacity of organizations in charge of disaster risk reduction infrastructure (DRR infrastructure) and critical infrastructure to increase pre-disaster investment for DRR and to maintain and operate such infrastructure on a self-sustaining and development basis from their own budgets. The goal is to reduce risk and human and economic losses by improving flood DRR infrastructure. This program aims to develop the participant's capacity to practically manage and reduce risk of flood disasters and to contribute for socio-economic and environmental improvements at regional and national level in developing countries which suffer from them consistently.		End Sep-2025	Middle Sep-2026	
233	202411754	Disaster Risk Red	Water Related Disaster Risk Reduction		Intently and frequently of floods are expected to increase due to the effect of climate change. This course, which targets administrative officials responsible for water related disaster risk reduction, offers lectures, site visits and seminars on disaster risk reduction and food control systems and measures in Japan to improve participants' capability to policy planning and its implementation.		Middle May-2025	Middle Jun-2025	
234	202411755	Disaster Risk Red	Strategic Utilization of Hydrological Data Observation Technology		This program is designed for managerial officials to obtain and undertake meetings, basic knowledge of technology and knowhow of the hydrological data observation as well as analytical technique and applied technology. In Japan, technology of flood drought control and management for disaster risk reduction have been developed based on the long-term observation and accumulated hydrological data in order to reduce disaster risk and take appropriate measure to respond to droughts. It is essential to continuously acquire, accumulate, and analyze hydrological data, and to formulate flood control and water utilization plans based on this data.		Under Planning	Under Planning	

235	202411756 Disaster Risk Red	Dam Safety Management	<p>JICA emphasizes the importance of strengthening the capacity of organizations in charge of disaster risk reduction infrastructure and critical infrastructure to increase pre-disaster investment for DRR and to maintain and operate such infrastructure on a self-sustaining and developmental basis from their own budgets. A dam is one of DRR infrastructure, but dam-related disasters and accidents occurred in many countries. Japan has various knowledge on inspection to maintain the functions of dams and ensure their safety as well as on upgrading to improve the functions of existing dams. The training aims to strengthen the practical ability and judgment skills related to improving the safety and functions of dams by learning Japanese technologies. The participants are expected to apply the knowledge gained in the training to their work back home, and to acquire abilities equivalent to field officer managers (director level at the dam management office of MLLT) in the future.</p>	Under Planning	Under Planning	Under Planning	
236	202411759 Disaster Risk Red	Strengthening Seismic Disaster Risk Reduction Countermeasures for Critical Buildings	<p>Earthquake disaster countermeasures include seismic strengthening, development of evacuation centers, designation and maintenance of emergency transportation roads, formulation of earthquake disaster plan, etc. In particular, seismic strengthening is important to reduce damage from earthquakes and governments must strengthen facilities such as government buildings, hospitals, fire and police departments, and make efforts to ensure that emergency response and administrative services are not delayed in the event of a disaster. This course aims to learn (1) basic concepts necessary to ensure functional continuity of critical buildings, through understanding design methods and technologies, (2) pre-disaster investment measures (seismic diagnosis methods and seismic reinforcement for existing buildings), and (3) response measures (emergency risk level assessment, recovery technical guidelines, etc.), thereby contributing to strengthen earthquake risk countermeasures for critical buildings.</p>	Under Planning	Under Planning	Under Planning	