CATALOGUE OF TRAINING ACTIVITIES 2024

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INTRODUCTION

The Charter of the GlobE Network identifies peer learning between anti-corruption law enforcement authorities as one of the aims of the Network. Since initiating its first virtual Knowledge Session in 2022, the GlobE Network expanded its service offerings to better support the needs of its members and enhance the capacity of anti-corruption law enforcement practitioners worldwide.

The purpose of this catalogue is to provide an overview of the training opportunities currently available to practitioners from anti-corruption authorities which are members of the GlobE Network. The catalogue contains the Network’s digital and residential, specialist training activities, including Knowledge and Storytelling Sessions.

The development of this set of training activities is a collaborative effort, informed by analyses of the training needs of the Network’s members. The substantive focus of the training activities is on developing knowledge and skills to investigate and prosecute corruption offenses, and to engage effectively in international cooperation through stronger bilateral and multilateral communication, and through improved use of existing tools.

This catalogue holds special significance in view of the substantial expansion of digital training offerings. UNODC’s GlobE Network wholeheartedly embraces the potential offered by new technologies through innovative online resources, webinars, and the popular Storytelling and Knowledge Sessions.

Furthermore, the training activities contribute to advancing the objectives of the GlobE Network by promoting informal cooperation among anti-corruption law enforcement authorities. These activities equip members with the essential knowledge and skills needed to detect, investigate and prosecute corruption more effectively. They also enhance the capacity of law enforcement authorities, fostering innovation, and facilitating the exchange of best practices. With a commitment to accessibility, the goal is to develop an online digital hub for knowledge products, ensuring that the Network’s resources are readily available to support the global fight against corruption.

While technological advancements are embraced, the Network’s secretariat is also committed to improving effectiveness of peer-to-peer training and in-person training. The secretariat is therefore pleased to introduce the first residential training programme for GlobE Network members in partnership with the Independent Commission against Corruption (ICAC) of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of China.

The activities featured in the UNODC’s GlobE Network Training Catalogue for 2024 are the result of collaborative endeavors, and the GlobE secretariat extends its gratitude to all parties involved in developing and delivering these trainings, with a special thanks to guest speakers.
APPROACH

The GlobE Network is committed to providing a training, which is focused and does not duplicate other activities provided by the Network’s partners. Expert group meetings and surveys inform the GlobE secretariat understanding regarding the needs of practitioners.

The GlobE secretariat specifically align training activities with the needs of anti-corruption law enforcement authorities, with special attention to career profiles of members, as well as to the subject area they are working on. Tailoring trainings to individual career profiles is done so that individuals can be empowered with the skills they require to excel in their specialization of choice. Furthermore, the Network offers cross-cutting training on areas that are likely to impact all GlobE Network practitioners, such as investigations (including open-source), international cooperation and asset recovery.

WHO CAN ATTEND

The trainings offered by the GlobE Network are designed for a diverse range of anti-corruption practitioners worldwide. Most activities are open to all GlobE members and require a pre-registration. Some activities involve an application process, such as the residential Development Programme on Financial Investigation and Asset Recovery.

OVERVIEW OF TRAINING ACTIVITIES PLANNED FOR 2024

A variety of training formats, including online, and in-person training is available to GlobE Network practitioners. Availability and participation in specific training activities may be subject to some additional requirements. Below is an overview of all the relevant trainings offered, categorized by delivery type.

Online training activities

Knowledge Sessions

The Knowledge Sessions are a series of webinars and workshops offered by the GlobE Network to its members. These sessions feature guest speakers, including leading experts in the field, academics, and policymakers who discuss key issues of interest to the GlobE community.

Prerequisites: None, participation is free of charge.

Application: Participants can join after registering for the session.
Language: English with AI interpretation into all UN languages.

More information: The session recording is available for sharing with the participants.

**Storytelling Sessions**

The Storytelling Sessions offer an opportunity to hear first-hand from experienced professionals and anti-corruption practitioners from the GlobE Network members, who offer insight by drawing on their day-to-day experience dealing with corruption cases.

**Prerequisites:** None, participation is free of charge.

**Application:** Participants can join after registering for the session.

**Language:** English with AI interpretation into all UN languages.

**More information:** The session recording is available for sharing with the participants.

**Induction Sessions**

The Induction Sessions are designed for contact points of the authorities that recently joined the GlobE Network, for newly appointed contact points and for any practitioners from GlobE authorities who would like to gain insights into the Network’s vision, goals, and operations. The Induction Sessions cover essential topics such as the Network’s governance, services, ongoing and upcoming projects. It is also an opportunity to ask questions to the GlobE secretariat.

**Target audience:** Contact points from recently joined members of the Network, newly appointed contact points and interested practitioners from the GlobE Network’s members.

**Prerequisites:** None, participation is free of charge.

**Application:** Participants can join after registering for the session.

**Language:** English.

**Secure Communication Platform How-To Training**

Designed for the users of the GlobE Secure Communication Platform (SCP), this is a series aimed at bringing SCP users up to speed with the functionality of the platform as well as any new developments.

**Target audience:** Contact points from recently joined members of the Network, newly appointed contact points and interested practitioners from the GlobE Network’s members. Additionally, trainings can be arranged upon demand for SCP users from specific countries or regions.

**Prerequisites:** None, participation is free of charge.

**Application:** Participants can join after registering for the session.

**Language:** English, Spanish.
In-person training activities

Professional Development Programme on Financial Investigations and Asset Recovery in Hong Kong S.A.R.

This program is co-organized by the GlobE Network and the Independent Commission Against Corruption (ICAC) of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of China. It will take place in February 2024 in Hong Kong, with a study tour in mainland China.

Prerequisites: Prior approval from the applicant's authority.

Application: Applications will be assessed by the organizers due to the limited number of seats.

Language: English.

Practitioner workshops

Workshops will be organized on the margins of the fifth plenary meeting to discuss relevant topics. These will enable peers to turn to each other for guidance on key issues.

Prerequisites: Open to participants in the fifth plenary meeting.

Application: None.

Language: English