

Seminar on Emergency Response and Rescue in Earthquakes for Developing Countries

Project Description

Full Name	Seminar on Emergency Response and Rescue in Earthquakes for Developing Countries		
Organizer	Chinese Red Cross National Training Center		
Holding Time	December 3 – December 23, 2019	Language	English
Invited Participants	Developing Countries Red Cross Society officials and government officials.		
Planned Number of Participants	20		
About the Participants	Age	Under 50 years old for participants at director-general's level; under 45 years old for participants at or under division director's level.	
	Physical Health	In good health with health certificates or medical examination forms issued by local public hospitals; without diseases prohibited from entry by China's laws and regulations; without severe chronic diseases such as serious high blood pressure, cardiovascular and cerebrovascular diseases and diabetes; without mental illnesses or infectious diseases that may pose serious threats to public health; not during the postoperative recovery period after a major operation or during the outbreak period of acute diseases; without severe physical disability; non-pregnant.	
	Language Ability	Fluency in listening, speaking, reading and writing in English	
	Others	Participants who come to China for training are not allowed to bring spouses or relatives.	
Host City	Beijing	Local Temperature	Summer: -6°C-3°C
Cities to Visit	Guangzhou City; Shenzhen City; Zhongshan City, Guangdong Province	Local Temperature	Guangzhou City: 12°C-20°C Shenzhen City: 14°C-21°C Zhongshan City: 13°C-20°C
Notes	<p>1. Please prepare valid passport and visa in advance;2. The Seminar will organize participants to make country reports and communicate on the theme of the Seminar. Please make preparations in advance;3. Please inform the contact person of the latest flight time if your flight cannot depart on time or is delayed during transfer, so as to arrange reception;4. In principle, an individual is not allowed to change his/her international flight ticket. If necessary, please communicate with the Economic and Commercial Counselor to reissue a ticket according to the related procedures. If you change your ticket without consent, the costs and responsibilities shall be borne by yourself;5. Please confirm whether you need to recheck baggage when transferring. The contact person will pick you up with a pick-up plate (the organization name will be on it) at the international arrival exit (or domestic arrival exit). Please claim your baggage and wait for pickup. If you wait for more than 15 minutes, please call the contact person immediately;6. In case of lost baggage to be registered with the airline, please first communicate with the contact person to confirm baggage delivery address before filling the registration form;7. Please pay attention to the local weather conditions and carry appropriate clothing. For visiting activities, casual shoes are necessary. Please dress formally or wear your national costumes for formal events of the Seminar;8. Please bring necessary common medicines.</p>		

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About the Organizer	<p>The Training Center of Red Cross Society of China (the “Training Center”) established on June 14, 1983, For more than 20 years, the training center abides by the basic principles of the International Red Cross Movement, and upholds the spirit of the Red Cross Society—“humanitarian, fraternity and dedication”. It has experienced three development stages, namely “hotel management”, “hotel management and first-aid training” and “hotel management, first-aid training and major public welfare program implementation”. The training center has given full play to its unique role and influence in terms of first-aid training, Red Cross staff training, health and safety education training, foreign aid etc. as a nationwide training institution of the Red Cross system. Also, it has formed a development pattern led by program management, while based on first-aid training and hotel management.</p> <p>Main business: In terms of training development: first, the Red Cross first-aid training, with an aim to promote to people’s capacity related knowledge and skills in disaster prevention and reduction, emergency shelter, self and mutual medical aid; second, Red Cross staff training, intended to organize knowledge and skills training targeting at grassroots staff; third, international training, inviting Red Cross personnel of the developing countries to China and enable them to have a comprehensive understanding of our current works, sharing our success experience, and meanwhile organizing RC staff to study abroad, so as to learn management mode and developing experience of public organizations in developed countries. In terms of program management: core programs funded by the Red Cross Society of China, IFRC, ICRC, and NSs (including Integrated Community Resilience, First-aid, Emergency Rescue programs); Red Cross life, health and safety education programs funded by the Ministry of Finance; reproductive health projects and other humane management and public welfare program implementation works supported by the United Nations Population Fund. In terms of hotel management: primarily based on the hotels of Red Cross society of China, providing conference reception and activity organization services for the Red Cross System, while at the same time providing accommodation, conference and other services.</p>	
Seminar Content	<p>The seminar, by means of special topic lecture, communication discussion, field trips and inspection, cultural experience, etc., centering on the theme of “earthquake emergency rescue”, will introduce Chinese government’s management mechanism in this field and RCSC’s, as humanitarian assistance, operation of humanitarian rescue, aiming to enhance trainees’ understanding of Chinese government and RCSC and to promote exchange and cooperation.</p> <p>To guarantee the seminar have a fruitful result, we will invite experts from the Emergency Management of Chinese government, Red Cross Society of China, China Seismological Bureau, China Earthquake Networks Center, Chinese Fire Rescue Bureau, National Disaster Protection Center and etc. to give presentation in relevant topics. Besides, all participants will visit Guangzhou, Zhongshan and Shenzhen in Guangdong province for a field trip, during which the local Red Cross Community will organize the trainees to visit life safety experience hall, rescue base, fire brigade, aiming to enhance trainees’ understanding of local Red Cross branch’s humanitarian rescue operation, and to systematically introduce the basic rescue theories, disaster and protection, rescue operation, post-earthquake reconstruction project, self and mutual medical aid, earthquake rescue equipment etc.</p>	

