DEVELOPING DIGITAL ECONOMY READINESS

12 TO 16 DECEMBER 2022

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Singapore has provided technical assistance to other developing countries since the 1960s. As a country whose only resource is its people, Singapore believes that human resource development is vital for economic and social progress. Singapore itself has benefited from training provided by other countries and international organisations.

In 1992, the Singapore Cooperation Programme (SCP) was established to bring together under one framework the various technical assistance programmes offered by Singapore. Through the SCP, the range and number of training programmes were increased to share Singapore's development experience with other developing countries.

To date, close to 150,000 officials from more than 180 countries, territories and intergovernmental organisations have participated in our courses and study visits. The SCP is managed by the Technical Cooperation Directorate of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore.

Course Objectives

This course will examine Singapore's Digital Economy framework, from strategy to action and how it is enabled by Big Data and Analytics. Participants will learn how to design, innovate and deliver programmes that provide digitally enabled citizen services, promote businesses and enhance the quality of citizens' lives.

Synopsis

Topics to be covered include:

- Singapore's approach to the regulation and promotion of the digital economy and ecosystem
- Data sovereignty and residency in the digital economy
- International issues and cooperation in the development of the digital economy
- Future trends and emerging technologies in the digital economy and currency

Methodology

This course will be delivered for up to 30 participants through synchronous e-Learning ('live' e-learning sessions) on Zoom, and could include asynchronous e-Learning (independent and self-study e.g. reading materials). There will be Q&A sessions and facilitated group discussions during the 'live' sessions.

Regulations

Participants are required to comply with the following:

- Strictly observe course schedules and not miss training sessions, and;
- Carry out instructions and abide by conditions as may be stipulated by the nominating Authority or Government and the Government of Singapore and its appointed trainer, with respect to the course.

Duration

The course will be held over 5 days from 12 to 16 December 2022**.**

Application Information

Applicants should be:

Mid- to senior- level government officials involved in developing the digital economy in their country.

Terms of Award

The Government of Singapore will be responsible for training fees.

Application Procedure

(Closing date for nomination: **11 November 2022)**

The Government of Singapore is pleased to invite the respective National Focal Point for Technical Assistance (NFP) to nominate **one (1)** suitable applicant. Selection of candidates will be based on merit. Should there be more applicants than training places, the Government of Singapore seeks the understanding of the respective NFP in the event that its nominee(s) is not selected.

All nominees are to submit their applications online **at https://go.gov.sg/dder2022** by **11 November 2022**. NFPs are also required to endorse nominees via email links. Instructions and FAQs for Applicants and NFPs can be found at the links below:

- Applicants: https://go.gov.sg/start-guide
- NFPs: https://go.gov.sg/start-nfp

- Participants will receive a certificate of completion from the SCP upon completion of the course.

- Please refrain from making telephone and email inquiries on the status of your application while your application is being processed.

- The **Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore** will inform all applicants of the outcome of their applications. The NFP will also be informed directly.

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