

Directory of Information and Communication Technology for Development Training Institutions in the Asia-Pacific

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Introduction

Information and Communication Technology (ICT) has become an essential aspect of our professional lives. This is especially true for public service officers as governments are among the biggest users of ICTs in many countries.

The necessary ICT awareness of a government officer depends both on his/her level of authority and duties. The training needs of a Disaster Risk Reduction Professional would be entirely different from those of a Systems Administrator. Still, it is possible that both may need some sort of ICT training from time to time. The challenge then is to find the right kind of courses and education institutions to address the specific needs of government officers.

This is not a directory of technical IT training courses, like Cisco or Microsoft certifications. Institutions providing such courses are beyond the scope of this directory. Those interested in such technical training can easily find appropriate courses online. Instead, the focus of this directory is on institutions that provide training specifically on information and communication technology for development (ICTD).

This collection lists 71 ICTD training institutions in over 30 countries, including: Afghanistan, Armenia, Australia, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, China, Fiji, Hong Kong (China), India, Indonesia, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Laos PDR, Malaysia, Macao (China), Maldives, Mongolia, Nepal, New Zealand, Philippines, Singapore, South Korea, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Turkey, Uzbekistan, Viet Nam and Vanuatu. The vast majority of the institutions offer courses in English and for international students. The lengths of courses and levels of difficulty vary. Some offer crash courses that span for a few days while the others offer postgraduate degree courses that last for years in duration.

Although all efforts have been made to ensure the accuracy of the information contained in this Directory, it is strongly recommended that the users contact the listed institutions directly.

The primary target users of the Directory are government ministries and organizations trying to enhance their capacity. Non-governmental organizations and academia may also find it useful.

In addition to its key function as an easy reference to the ICTD courses in the Asia Pacific Region, the Directory will also assist those who plan to establish ICTD networks and partnerships with such training institutions, perhaps with the intention of collaborating on some of the courses.

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AFGHANISTAN

1. Afghanistan Information Management Services

Type of Organization: Non-governmental organization (funded by UN agencies)

Brief Background:

The Afghanistan Information Management Services (AIMS) project is building information management capacity in government and delivers information management services to organizations across Afghanistan. AIMS seeks to build appropriate skills in government to handle information management systems.

AIMS first works to develop capacity in government to manage information systems, then to handle operational line activities to the relevant departments, and finally to develop and maintain advanced technological expertise in Afghan staff. Through this approach AIMS seeks to develop a model for establishing different information management systems within appropriate government bodies. In doing so specialized expertise in these information management systems will be retained in Afghanistan to provide future services and advice to government and facilitate ministries to move up the experience curve. Using this approach AIMS works to develop the capability for Afghanistan to: improve efficiency, accountability and transparency in the civil service; increase alignment of external resources with national plans and priorities and improve the effectiveness and efficiency of reconstruction and development.

Training Areas:

The project conducts training in multiple areas depending upon needs. The following are some examples, but the courses are not limited to them only.

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Digital Map Reading	Certificate	9 days	GIS professionals and students
Information Management (GIS, Database Management, Disaster Management, Global Positioning Systems and Information System and Technology Awareness)	Certificate	Courses of varying lengths	Government officers
Technology Awareness	Certificate	Courses of varying lengths	Government officers

Languages: English, Urdu

Address: Not provided in the web site

Telephone Number: +93 07 5662 2286

Fax Number: Not provided in the web site

E-Mail: zohra.Sulaiman@aims.org.af or info@aims.org.af

Web URL: <http://www.aims.org.af>

2. Information and Communication Technology Institute

Type of Organization: Government (with UN support)

Brief Background:

The Information and Communication Technology Institute (ICTI) is the educational branch of the Ministry of Communications and Information Technology (MCIT) of Afghanistan, and is responsible for the development of professional human resource in the areas of ICT at the bachelor level. The institute offers training in the area of communications, IT and Electronics.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Technology	Technician Certificate	2 years full time	Those who want to be IT professionals
Information Technology	Engineer Certificate	2 additional years full time after technician certificate	Those who want to be IT professionals

Languages: English

Address: 6th Floor, ICT Directorate, Ministry of Communications and Information Technology, Mohammad Jan Khan Watt, Kabul, Afghanistan

Telephone Numbers: +93 20 210 1113, +93 20 210 1104

Fax Number: +93 20 210 1708

E-Mail: Not provided in the web site

Web URL: <http://www.mcit.gov.af/capacitybuilding.asp>

ARMENIA

3. 'Harmony' Information Technologies and Education Development Foundation

Type of Organization: Non-governmental organization

Brief Background:

The key objective of the 'Harmony' Information Technologies and Education Development Foundation is to advance the current educational and technological reform efforts in Armenia and to sustain the development of the unique interschool network in Armenia created within the framework of the Armenia School Connectivity Programme (ASCP).

"Harmony" Foundation has rich human resources specialized in ICT both in its Yerevan office and throughout Armenia. "Harmony" Foundation is subcontracted by Project Harmony-Armenia to implement the technical components of the ASCP, which is funded by the US Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs and administered by Project Harmony.

The Foundation is committed to maintaining the technical infrastructure created within the framework of ASCP, enhancing the application of ICT resources in the educational process, providing support to Armenian educators in the development and application of resources that complement the Armenian curriculum through ICT, as well as providing access for professional development, networking, and collaboration opportunities.

The 'Harmony' Foundation reaches out to support schools, educators, pupils, and communities in the application of ICT as an educational tool.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Web Design	Certificate	12 classes	Not specified
Network Administration	Certificate	15 classes	Not specified
Basic Computer Skills	Certificate	10 classes	Not specified

Languages: Not specified

Address: 'Harmony' Information Technologies and Education Development Foundation, Paronyan Street 8/8, Yerevan 0015, Armenia

Telephone Number: + 374 10 500 140

Fax Number: +374 10 538 257

E-Mail: info@hf.am

Web URL: www.hf.am

4. Enterprise Incubator Foundation

Type of Organization: Government (funded by World Bank)

Brief Background:

The Enterprise Incubator Foundation is a joint effort of the Government of Armenia and the World Bank to assist the local Information Technology sector by providing a comprehensive package of business, training, and facility services.

The Foundation's objectives include:

- Promoting Armenian enterprises and increasing their competitiveness in the global market place
- Improving access of local firms to knowledge and information on best practices and experience
- Building linkages with business and research communities in key technology markets
- Improving managerial and professional capabilities of Armenian companies fostering the formation of start-ups and their further development
- Creating new channels for attracting foreign direct investment to Armenia

The foundation works closely with many technology companies in Armenia and serves as a major channel of creating successful partnerships with Armenian enterprises.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Managerial and Professional training in IT	Certificate	Varies	For government and corporate workforce

Languages: Not specified

Address: 123 Hovsep Emin Street, Yerevan 0051, Republic of Armenia

Telephone Number: +374 10 219797

Fax Number: +374 10 219777

E-Mail: info@eif.am

Web URL: <http://www.eif-it.com>

AUSTRALIA

5. Curtin University of Technology

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

Curtin University is Western Australia's largest university with over 44,000 students. It is a highly regarded research intensive institution and a member of Australian Technology Network (ATN Network).

Curtin has a growing reputation for research success in a number of areas including (but not limited to) Resources and Energy (e.g. petroleum gas), Information and Communication, Health, Ageing and Well-being (Public Health), Communities and Changing Environments, and Growth and Prosperity.

Curtin University's Spatial Sciences Department within the Faculty of Science and Engineering, collaborates with and hosts the Fisheries and Aquaculture Department of the UN Food and Agriculture organization.

Using state-of-the-art facilities, the Department provides quality, internationally recognized teaching and research in the areas of surveying, geographic information science, mapping and mine and engineering surveying.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Geographical Information Systems	Not specified	Not specified	GIS professionals working in the areas of fisheries and aquaculture
Health Information Management (Core units: Human Biology, Medical Terminology, Disease Classification Systems, Epidemiology and Biostatistics, Management Theory, Computing and Health Information Systems)	Bachelor of Science - Health Sciences	3 years	Students anticipating to follow their careers in the field of health informatics

Languages: English

Address: Department of Spatial Sciences (Building 207), Curtin University of Technology, GPO Box U1987, Perth WA 6845, Australia

Telephone Number: +618 9266 7566

Fax Number: +618 9266 2703

E-Mail: spatial@curtin.edu.au futurestudents@health.curtin.edu.au

Web URL: <http://spatial.curtin.edu.au>

http://publichealth.curtin.edu.au/programs/health_info_management.cfm

6. National ICT Australia

Type of Organization: Private Institute

Brief Background:

NICTA (National ICT Australia) is Australia's Information and Communications Technology (ICT) Centre of Excellence. It is an independent company in the business of research, commercialization and research training. With over 700 people, NICTA is the largest organization in Australia dedicated to ICT research.

NICTA is helping to build a sustainable Australian ICT sector by:

- Making fundamental advances in ICT that can underpin the development of globally competitive products, processes and services.
- Building innovative ICT companies.
- Contributing skills and outcomes that are changing the profile of Australian ICT industry.

While NICTA's educational activities are focused primarily on PhD-level students, opportunities also exist for various levels of engagement with a wide variety of students. These include:

- Short-term research projects for undergraduate students, for example, the NICTA Summer Scholars Programme, which offers summer scholarships
- Undergraduate thesis supervision, including honours scholarships
- Intensive short courses for graduates in industry to provide an introduction to NICTA's research agenda.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Varied topics in Information and Communication Technology	Doctoral Degree	Not specified	Any students who wish to do advanced learning in ICT

Languages: English

Address: ATP Research Laboratory & Corporate Head Office, Australian Technology Park, Locked Bag 9013, Alexandria NSW 1435, Australia

Telephone Number: +61 293 762 000

Fax Number: + 61 293 762 300

E-Mail: website@nicta.com.au

Web URL: <http://www.nicta.com.au>

7. The University of Queensland

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The University of Queensland (UQ) is one of Australia's premier learning and research institutions. It is also one of the three Australian members of the global Universitas 21 alliance. This group aims to enhance the quality of university outcomes through international benchmarking and a joint venture e-learning project with The Thomson Corporation.

UQ is a founding member of the national Group of Eight (Go8) - a coalition of leading Australian universities, intensive in research and comprehensive in general and professional education. UQ is noted for supporting early- and mid-career researchers, as seen in its commitment to research training

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Technology Management	Master's Degree	2 Years full-time (or part-time equivalent) – Australian 2 Years full-time -International	Graduates with bachelor's degree in a field other than Information Technology or Graduate Diploma in Information Technology

Languages: English

Address: Brisbane, QLD 4072, Australia

Telephone Numbers: +61 7 3365 1111, +61 7 3381 1111 (UQ Ipswich Campus), +61 7 5460 1111 (UQ Gatton Campus)

Fax Number: Not provided in the web site

E-Mail: Not provided in the web site

Web URL: <http://www.uq.edu.au>

8. Murdoch University

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

Murdoch University is a public university based in Perth, Australia. It is a highly regarded research intensive institution and a member of Innovative Research Universities Australia (IRU Australia). Its Asia Research Centre, founded in 1991 as a Special Research Centre of the Australia Research Council, is regarded as an international leader in the study of social, political and economic dynamics in East and Southeast Asia.

Murdoch University is now home to over 18,000 students including 2,000 international students from over 90 different countries.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Technology Management	Bachelor's degree	3 years full-time study or equivalent	Students of Information Technology

Languages: English

Addresses:

1. South Street campus, Murdoch University, 90 South Street, Murdoch, Western Australia 6150
2. Rockingham Campus, Murdoch University, Dixon Road, Rockingham, Western Australia 6168
3. Peel Campus (Mandurah), Murdoch University, Peel Education & TAFE Campus, Education Drive, Mandurah, Western Australia 6210

Telephone Number: +61 396 274 809

Fax Number: +61 893 606 491

E-Mail: internat@murdoch.edu.au

Web URL: <http://www.murdoch.edu.au>

9. La Trobe University

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

La Trobe University is a multi-campus university based in Victoria, Australia. It has a network of campuses with 21,000 students at its Melbourne campus and over 5,900 at its campuses in Albury-Wodonga, Beechworth, Bendigo, Mildura, Melbourne City and Shepparton.

La Trobe is a leading member of the International Network of Universities and is dedicated to serving the global community through internationalization, innovative teaching and learning methods, and research.

La Trobe University offers Diplomas, Bachelor, Masters and PhD courses taught offshore through its Associate Institutions in China, Malaysia, Singapore and Vietnam.

Some of these programmes enable students to transfer to La Trobe University in Australia with advance standing; to study and complete the remainder of their course, or use their offshore qualifications for entry into further studies in Australia.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Health Sciences and Health Information Management	Bachelor's and Master's combined	4 years	Any students who want to pursue careers in the field of Health Information Management

Languages: English

Address: La Trobe University, Melbourne Victoria 3086, Australia

Telephone Number: +613 9627 4805

Fax Number: +613 9479 3660

E-Mail: international@latrobe.edu.au

Web URL: <http://www.latrobe.edu.au/international>

10. University of Ballarat

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The University of Ballarat is a dual-sector university in Ballarat, Victoria, Australia.

In 2008, there were 25,810 students consisting of 13,820 higher education students and 11,990 Technical and Further Education students.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Technology Management	Graduate Diploma	1 year	Graduate students who want to expand their knowledge in Information Technology Management
Information Technology Management	Master's Degree	2 years	Graduate students who want to be future IT Managers
Information Technology Management Studies	Master's Degree	1.5 years	Graduate students who want to be future IT Managers

Languages: English

Address: University of Ballarat, P.O. Box 663, Ballarat Victoria 3353, Australia

Telephone Number: +613 5327 9770

Fax Number: +613 5327 9289

E-Mail: l.aliyeva@ballarat.edu.au

Web URL: <http://www.ballarat.edu.au>

11. The Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Sydney

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The University of Sydney (is a university located in Sydney, Australia. It is the oldest university in Australia, having been established in 1850. As of 2009, the university had 47,775 students, making it the one of the largest in Australia.

The Faculty of Health Sciences is the largest health sciences faculty in Australia consisting of nine disciplines, five research groups and two research centres. It provides professional preparation programmes for a comprehensive range of health science professionals, as well as broader degrees in health science.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Health Informatics	Master's Degree	2 years (full time) and 4 years (part time)	Information Technology or medical professionals who want to pursue their careers in health informatics

Languages: English

Address: Student Central, Faculty of Health Sciences, The University of Sydney, PO Box 170, Lidcombe, New South Wales 1825, Australia

Telephone Number: +612 9351 9161

Fax Number: +61 2 9351 9412

E-Mail: Not provided in the web site

Web URL: http://sydney.edu.au/health_sciences/health_informatics/future_students/index.shtml

BANGLADESH

12. Bangladesh Computer Council, Ministry of Science and Information and Communication Technology

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

Bangladesh Computer Council (BCC) is an autonomous body under the Ministry of Science and Information and Communication Technology, of the Government of Bangladesh. BCC is charged with encouraging and providing support for ICT related activities in Bangladesh. It was established in 1990.

BCC understands computer related training as an important area in developing skilled manpower in information technology. Training is an important activity in BCC. During the first seven years of existence it has trained a total of three hundred and sixty one individuals. A large portion of trainees are officials and staff from government and autonomous bodies. Teachers from different schools, colleges and other educational institutions and private candidates also take part in BCC's training programmes.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information and Communication Technology related subjects (Office Applications, Networking, Hardware maintenance and troubleshooting)	Certificate	Not specified	Different levels of government officers – the entry criteria varies with the course
Electronic Governance: Understanding e-Governance and related ICT issues for Implementation of e-Government	Certificate	Not specified	First class Government officers

Languages: Bangla, English

Address: BCC Bhaban, Agargaon, Dhaka – 1207, Bangladesh

Telephone Number: + 88 02 814 4046

Fax Number: +88 02 912 4626

E-Mail: bcc@bcc.net.bd

Web URL: www.bcc.net.bd

13. Development Research Network

Type of Organization: Non-governmental organization

Brief Background:

D.Net (Development Research Network) is a non-profit organization, which envisages using ICT for economic development of Bangladesh. Established in January 2001, D.Net is working to build itself as a multi-disciplinary organization.

Its objectives are to:

- Work for development of the ICT network throughout Bangladesh.
- Disseminate knowledge among the poor and SMEs of Bangladesh for using ICT to actively participate in society.
- Work to implement ICT for agriculture, health, education, legal rights, awareness building and capacity building for development.
- Organize different activities to develop a resource pool which can be shared over the Internet and other ICTs.
- Conduct action and policy oriented research on ICT for development in the context of Bangladesh.
- Function as an agency for undertaking and promoting study, research and dissemination of knowledge in development economics and other related fields, as well as planning for national development and poverty alleviation through use of ICTs.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Varied subject areas in Information and Communication Technology	Certificate	Varies with the course	Government officers and any other relevant individuals

Languages: English

Address: Development Research Network, 6/8, Humayun Road, Block – B, Mohammadpur - Dhaka 1207, Bangladesh

Telephone Numbers: +88 02 913 1424, +88 02 812 4976

Fax Number: +88 02 814 2021

E-Mail: info@dnet.org.bd

Web URL: <http://www.dnet-bangladesh.org>

14. Bangladesh Friendship Education Society

Organization: Non-governmental organization

Brief Background:

The Bangladesh Friendship Education Society (BFES) is a non-government development organization based in Bangladesh. It was established by education and development practitioners to support education projects in rural areas.

BFES's is supported by Japanese-based partner, Japan Friendship Education Fund (JFEF). Other partners include the Government of Japan, AusAid, and the Royal Netherlands Government. BFES also works to support the implementation of development projects in collaboration with the Bangladesh Government.

Developing Knowledge Network is one of the prime activities of BFES initiatives. BFES is closely working with Global Knowledge Partnership (GKP), and is the first member from Bangladesh to initiate a Regional Knowledge Network (South Network).

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information and Communication Technology related subjects	Certificate	Varies depending upon the course	Individuals from marginalized sections of the society including differently abled

Languages: Bangla, English

Address: Reza Salim, Associate Director, BFES – Bangladesh, 11/8 Iqbal Road, First floor, Dhaka-1207, Bangladesh

Telephone Number: +88 02 912 4659

Fax Number: +88 02 811 4513

E-Mail: bfes@bdonline.com

Web URL: <http://www.bfes.net>

BHUTAN

15. The Royal Institute of Management

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Royal Institute of Management (RIM), established as Bhutan's apex management training institute, is mandated to promote and improve professional knowledge and skills in management and public administration in both the public and private sector. It was established in 1986 and was incorporated as an autonomous institute in 1990.

As the only Government management Institute, RIM has been engaged in human resource development, especially for the administrative service. RIM's national human resource capacity building focuses primarily on training, research and consultancy activities.

Presently, the Institute plays a crucial role in the areas of:

- Training and capacity development of the administrative service in close coordination with the Royal Civil Service Commission;
- Capacity development needs of local governance institutions and agencies aimed at facilitating the decentralization initiative of the government;
- Supporting private sector development through niche training interventions in support of their human resource development initiatives.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Systems Management	Diploma	Not Specified	Officers in both government and corporate sector
Network Application and Administration	Certificate	Not specified	Ibid
Web Design, Web Application and Desktop Publication	Certificate	Not specified	Ibid
Database Management, MIS and Hardware Technology	Certificate	Not specified	Ibid
Software Application and Programming	Certificate	Not specified	Ibid

Languages: Not specified

Address: Post Box No. 416, Simtokha, Thimphu, Bhutan

Telephone Numbers: +975 235 1013, +975 235 1014

Fax Number: +975- 235 1029

E-Mail: sonam_phuntsho@rim.edu.bt

Web URL: <http://www.rim.edu.bt>

16. The Royal Institute of Management - Department of ICT

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Department of Information and Communication Technology (DICT), of the Royal Institute of Management, focuses on the design and delivery of IT training programmes of the Institute. Besides the regular 2-Year Diploma course in Information Management Systems the department offers various IT/IS related courses at advanced levels for in-service personnel and consultancy services.

One of the major functions of the department is to plan and build IT capability of the Institute both in terms of human resources and infrastructure development. The department is involved in promoting and educating the Bhutanese in computing and information technology. The programmes of the department intervene at various levels of courses for System developers and programmers, in-service IT personnel, executives as well as for mid-level managers from both Government and the Private Sector.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Management Systems	Diploma	2 years	Students who intend to pursue their studies in Information Technology
General Information and Communication Technology	Certificate	Depends on the course but mostly short term	Government officers, mid level managers of private and public sector

Languages: Not specified

Address: Royal Institute of Management, Post Box No. 416, Simtokha, Thimphu, Bhutan

Telephone Numbers: + 975 235 1013, +975 235 1014

Fax Number: +975 235 1029

E-Mail: Not provided in the web site

Web URL: <http://www.rim.edu.bt>

BRUNEI DARUSSALAM

17. Institut Perkhidmatan Awam (or Civil Service Institute)

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Institut Perkhidmatan Awam (IPA) or Civil Service Institute is an important government training agency responsible for providing training and consultancy services, designing and delivering short-term courses, and updating and implementing training programmes as needed.

In May 1993, the earlier government training unit was re-organized and given a new designation and status, the Civil Service Institute.

Since 1999, the Institute has been operating under the Prime Minister's Office and the scope of its services and activities include Information and Communication Technology training and the needs of the private sector.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
IT Project Management	Certificate	6 days	Not specified
e-Governance	Certificate	10 days	Chief Information Officers in public sector
e-Government master plan and implementation	Certificate	5 days	Government officers
Essentials of successful e-Government implementation	Certificate	4 days	Government officers
Project Management for Information Systems	Certificate	4 days	Government and corporate sector officers
Strategic IT Planning	Certificate	3 days	Corporate sector officers
IT Outsourcing	Certificate	3 days	Corporate sector officers

Languages: Malay, English

Address: Simpang 256-24, Jalan Kampong Rimba, Gadong BE3119, Negara Brunei Darussalam

Telephone Numbers: +673 245 2223, +673 245 2228

Fax Numbers: +673 245 2209 , +673 2424081

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aminuddin.buntar@ipa.gov.bn

Web URL: <http://www.ipa.gov.bn>

18. Institut Teknologi Brunei (Brunei Institute of Technology)

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

Institut Teknologi Brunei (ITB) offers Higher National Diplomas and undergraduate degree programmes in the fields of Engineering, Business, Computing and Information Systems, Civil Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Petroleum and Chemical Engineering. Since 1986, ITB has focused on meeting the national manpower needs by enrolling a high percentage of local Bruneian students. However, a small percentage of international students have been and are currently enrolled in ITB programmes.

ITB is also one of the 19 Member Institutions (MIs) of the ASEAN University Network for the South East Asia Engineering Education Development Network (AUNSEED/Net) and is actively involved and participated in some of its programmes and activities. ITB's internationalization programmes and activities are being expanded

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Internet Computing	Bachelor's Degree	4 years	Students wishing to pursue higher studies in computer science

Languages: English

Address: Computing Information System, Faculty of Business and Computing, Institut Teknologi Brunei, Tungku Link, Gadong, BE1410, Negara, Brunei Darussalam

Telephone Numbers: Not provided in the web site

Fax Number: Not provided in the web site

E-Mail: ffranky.looi@itb.edu.bn

Web URL: <http://www.itb.edu.bn>

CAMBODIA

19. Cambodia Communication Institute

Type of Organization: Government (supported by UN)

Brief Background:

Set up in 1994 as the first media training centre in the country, the Cambodia Communication Institute (CCI), is a joint project of UNESCO, the Royal Government of Cambodia and the Government of Denmark, and assists in the development of the communication sector.

CCI has established a core group of local trainers and resource persons. Among the local resource persons are Khmer and foreign journalists working with Cambodian newspapers and international wire services such as the Cambodia Daily, the Phnom Penh Post, the Associated Press, AFP, the Radio of Free Asia and the Raskmei Kampuchea newspaper..

The Institute also collaborates on delivering programmes with the Royal University of Phnom Penh, the Women's Media Centre (a local NGO/service provider), and regional training organizations, such as the Asian Media Information and Communication Centre (AMIC) and the Asia Pacific Institute of Broadcasting Development (AIBD).

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Mass Media and Communication	Certificate	Varies	Cambodian media professionals and technicians

Languages: Not specified

Address: 38 Samdech Sothearos Blvd, P.O. Box 29, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Telephone Numbers: Not provided in the web site

Fax Number: Not provided in the web site

E-Mail: phnompenh@unesco.org

Web URL: http://portal.unesco.org/en/ev.php-URL_ID=9796&URL_DO=DO_TOPIC&URL_SECTION=201.html

20. National University of Management

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The National University of Management (NUM) is a business school in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. The university provides educational training programmes in the areas of Management, Economics, Commerce, IT, Business Law, Tourism, and Foreign Languages accompanied by research and development. Currently, more than 10,000 students attend courses at NUM's main campus in Phnom Penh. NUM also operates a full Bachelor of Business Administration degree programme in Battambang with more than 700 students attending courses at NUM's provincial campus.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Technology that covers the areas of IT Project Management, e-Commerce and GIS	Master's Degree	2 years	Graduates of any discipline who wish to acquire a professional qualification in information technology

Languages: Not specified

Address: Phnom Penh at the corner of Monivong Blvd. and street 96 (Christopher Howes Street), Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Telephone Number: +855 2342 8120

Fax Number: +855 2342 7105

E-Mail: info@num.edu.kh

Web URL: <http://www.num.edu.kh>

CHINA

21. The Academy of e-Government, Peking University

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Academy of e-Government of Peking University was established in 2003. Its objectives are to study, build capacity and provide consulting services in e-government.

The Academy focuses on governmental management, information technology and information management. It has gathered expertise in information technology, software research and development within government, IT firms and other institutes and universities.

The operations involve: basic theoretical research of e-government, consultation and planning of e-government activities, the e-government standardization, the development and application of governmental information resources, publication of e-government papers, consultation services, on-the-job graduate student education, training, along with the e-government training for party and administrative officials.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
e-Government	Diploma and Certificate	Depends on the course	Government and party officials

Languages: Chinese

Address: Given only in Chinese. Please visit <http://www.egovpku.com/introduction.asp>

Telephone Numbers: + 086 10 6276 1013, + 086 10 6276 0321, + 086 10 6276 7401

Fax Number: : +086 10 6276 0321

E-Mail: yangmg@pku.edu.cn

Web URL: <http://egov.pku.edu.cn> or www.egkc.org

22. Hong Kong Baptist University

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

Hong Kong Baptist University (HKBU) has over 50 years of experience in providing quality education. The University offers undergraduate, postgraduate and research postgraduate programmes leading to Masters or PhD degrees as well as associate degree programmes.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Technology Management	Master of Science	1 year (full time) or 2 years (part time)	Graduate students in science, engineering, business or other relevant fields from a recognized university or equivalent qualification

Languages: English

Address: Department of Computer Science, Hong Kong Baptist University, Kowloon Tong, Hong Kong

Telephone Number: + 852 3411 5127

Fax Number: +852 3411 5133

E-Mail: msc@comp.hkbu.edu.hk

Web URL: <http://www.comp.hkbu.edu.hk/msc>

FIJI (*Pacific Islands*)

23. The Secretariat of the Pacific Community

Type of Organization: International organization

Brief Background:

SPC is an international organization that provides technical and policy advice and assistance, training and research services to its Pacific Island members. SPC works in a wide range of sectors with the aim of achieving three development outcomes – sustainable economic development, sustainable natural resource management and development, and sustainable human and social development

The Economic Development Division (EDD) of SPC delivers the Pacific ICT Outreach (PICTO), and focuses on the implementation of the ‘Framework for Action on ICT for Development in the Pacific’ through human capacity building initiatives, policy and regulatory mechanisms and technical solutions. Through PICTO, SPC deliver ICT for development training to parliamentarian and government officials in Pacific Island Countries throughout the region.

The Applied Geoscience and Technology Division (SOPAC) of SPC delivers training on the use of ICT to manage water, wastewater, sanitation, energy and disaster risk in the Pacific region. SOPAC focuses its training programmes on:

- Natural Resource Economics
- GIS and Remote Sensing
- Technical Equipment and Services
- Data Management
- Publications and Library

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
ICT Applications and Meaningful Development; Policy, Process and Governance; e-Government Applications; Internet Governance; Network and Information Security and Privacy; ICT Project Management in Theory and Practice; Funding ICT for Development; ICT for Disaster Risk Management; Climate Change, Green Growth and Sustainable	Certificate		Government officials, development stakeholders

Development			
GIS, Remote Sensing and specific training in the GIS application GeoCMS	Certificate		GIS professionals in member countries namely American Samoa, Australia, Cook Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, French Polynesia, Fiji Islands, Guam, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Nauru, New Caledonia, New Zealand, Niue, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tokelau, Tonga, Tuvalu and Vanuatu.
Linux and Network Administration	Certificate		IT professionals from member countries

Languages: English and French

Economic Development Division-SPC

Address: B.P. D5, Noumea Cedex, 98848, New Caledonia

Telephone Number: +687 262000

Fax Number: +687 263818

Email: spc@spc.int

Web URL: <http://www.spc.int>

24. University of the South Pacific

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The University of the South Pacific (USP) is the premier provider of tertiary education in the Pacific region and an international centre of excellence for teaching, research consulting and training on all aspects of Pacific culture, environment and human resource development needs. USP has campuses in Samoa, Vanuatu, the Fiji Islands, the Cook Islands, Kiribati, Nauru, the Marshall Islands, Niue, Tonga, Samoa, Tuvalu and the Solomon Islands.

In 2010, USP established the Japan-Pacific ICT Centre, designed to close the gap of the 'Digital Divide' in the Pacific region and promote the use of ICT in the region to boost economic growth, improve socio-economic development, reduce poverty and preserve regional cultures. The Centre provides office space for ICT staff at USP (IT Services, Maths, Computing Sciences, Information Systems and Engineering), Pacific Computer Emergency Response Team or 'PacCERT', Pacific Regional Resource Centre (PRRC), and Pacific Islands Telecommunications Association (PITA).

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Computing, Geospatial Science, Information Systems	Certificate, Diploma, Bachelor's Degree, Postgraduate Degree	1 Semester to 3+years	Students wishing to pursue higher studies in computer science, as well as mature students and career professionals seeking to enhance existing ICT knowledge and skills

Campuses:

Alafua Campus USP Private Bag, Apia , Samoa Tel: (685) 21671 Fax: (685) 22933 Email: enquiries@samoa.usp.ac.fj Website: http://www.usp.ac.fj/alafua	Emalus Campus USP PMB 9072, Port Vila, Vanuatu Tel: (678) 22748 Fax: (678) 22633 Email: kausiama_a@vanuatu.usp.ac.fj Website: http://www.vanuatu.usp.ac.fj/	Laucala Campus USP Suva, Fiji Islands Tel: (679) 323 1444 Fax: (679) 323 1516 Email: helpdesk@student.usp.ac.fj Website: http://www.usp.ac.fj/
Cook Islands Campus USP	Labasa Campus USP	Lautoka Campus USP

<p>PO Box 130, Rarotonga, Cook Islands</p> <p>Tel: (682) 29415</p> <p>Fax: (682) 21315</p> <p>Email: dixon_r@usp.ac.fj</p>	<p>Private Mail Bag, Labasa, Fiji</p> <p>Tel: (679) 881 7707</p> <p>Fax: (679) 881 5570</p> <p>Email: bogitini_s@usp.ac.fj</p>	<p>Private Mail Bag, Lautoka, Fiji</p> <p>Tel: (679) 666 6800</p> <p>Fax: (679) 666 7133</p> <p>Email: devi_p@usp.ac.fj</p>
<p>Kiribati Campus</p> <p>USP</p> <p>PO Box 59, Bairiki, Tarawa, Kiribati.</p> <p>Tel: (686) 21085</p> <p>Fax: (686) 21419</p> <p>Email: mackenzie_u@usp.ac.fj</p>	<p>Marshall Islands Campus</p> <p>USP</p> <p>PO Box 3537, Majuro, Marshall Islands.</p> <p>Tel: (692) 625 7279</p> <p>Fax: (692) 625 7282</p> <p>Email: taafaki_i@usp.ac.fj</p>	<p>Nauru Campus</p> <p>USP</p> <p>Private Bag, Post Office. Republic of Nauru.</p> <p>Tel: (674) 444 3774</p> <p>Fax: (674) 444 3774</p> <p>Email: lauti_a@usp.ac.fj</p>
<p>Niue Campus</p> <p>USP</p> <p>PO Box 31, Alofi, Niue.</p> <p>Tel: (683) 4356</p> <p>Fax: (683) 4315</p> <p>Email: talagi_ma@usp.ac.fj</p>	<p>Solomon Islands Campus</p> <p>USP</p> <p>PO Box 460, Honiara, Solomon Islands.</p> <p>Tel: (677) 21307/21308</p> <p>Fax: (677) 24024</p> <p>Email: usuramo_j@usp.ac.fj</p>	<p>Tokelau Campus</p> <p>USP</p> <p>Samoa.</p> <p>Tel: (690) 2178</p> <p>Fax: (690) 2177</p> <p>Email: kirifi_t@usp.ac.fj</p>
<p>Tonga Campus</p> <p>USP</p> <p>PO Box 278, Nuku'alofa, Tonga</p> <p>Tel: (676) 29055/29240</p> <p>Fax: (676) 29249</p> <p>Email: koloto_a@usp.ac.fj</p>	<p>Tuvalu Campus</p> <p>USP</p> <p>PO Box 21, Funafuti, Tuvalu.</p> <p>Tel: (688) 20811</p> <p>Fax: (688) 20704</p> <p>Email: manuella_d@usp.ac.fj</p>	

INDIA

25. Advanced Computing Training School, Centre for Development of Advanced Computing

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Centre for Development of Advanced Computing (C-DAC) is a research and development organization of the Department of Information Technology (DIT), Ministry of Communications and Information Technology (MCIT) India, C-DAC carries out research and development activities in IT, Electronics and associated areas.

C-DAC's Advanced Computing Training School (ACTS) programmes aim to create high quality manpower for C-DAC in particular and the IT industry in general. The courses are offered through a network of Authorized Training Centres (ATC's) as well as C-DAC's own centers. ACTS has trained around a quarter million students since inception.

ACTS also conducts IT Training Programmes for the public sector including the Indian Army, Indian Navy and Indian Air Force.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Advanced Computing	Post graduate diploma	24 weeks full time	Engineers and IT professionals
Wireless and Mobile Computing	Post graduate diploma	24 weeks full time	Engineers who wish to do Mobile Computing
IT Infrastructure, Systems and Security	Post graduate diploma	24 weeks full time	Engineers with sound knowledge of computing fundamentals and fundamental knowledge of networking
VLSI Design	Post graduate diploma	24 weeks full time	Engineers and experienced electronic designers, developers, system integrators from electronic industry and R&D

			organizations
Computer Graphics and Arts	Post graduate diploma	24 weeks full time	Graduates or other equivalent degree or diploma holders in the field of Advertising, Commercial Arts, Painting, Sculpture, Textile, Fashion Designing, Interior Decoration
Healthcare Informatics	Post graduate diploma	24 weeks full time	Graduates in multiple relevant disciplines and professionals having minimum two years of relevant working experience in hospitals, pharmaceuticals, NGO's active in healthcare, insurance companies, healthcare organizations, medical equipment suppliers, clinical research organizations, and medical colleges
Language Computing	Post graduate diploma	6 months full time	Graduates with sound knowledge in computing fundamentals
Geoinformatics (GIS, remote sensing, photogrammetry, cartography, GPS and geodesy)	Post graduate diploma	6 months full time	Graduates
VLSI and Embedded System Design	Post graduate diploma	24 weeks full time	Engineers
Information	Diploma	12 weeks	Adult learners

Technology			
Advanced Information Technology	Advanced diploma	19 weeks classes and 5 weeks project	Returning adult students who followed the C-DACs diploma in IT
Computer Graphics and Multimedia	Diploma	16 weeks	Returning adult students

Languages: English

Address: C-DACs - Advanced Computing Training School, N.S.G. IT Park, 5th Floor, Sarja Hotel Lane, Aundh, Pune – 411 007, India

Telephone Numbers: +91-20255 03100, +91-20255 03106, +91-20255 03107

Fax Number: +91-20255 03131

E-Mail: acts@cdac.in

Web URL: <http://acts.cdac.in>

26. All India Society for Electronics and Computer Technology

Type of Organization: Private institute

Brief Background:

The All India Society for Electronics and Computer Technology (AISECT) network, is an Indian IT training and educational services network maintaining over 8,000 franchisee centres across 27 states and 3 union territories. AISECT's mission is to reach out to the remote corners of India and promote ICT based training and services to empower masses, generate employment for the youth and unfold entrepreneurship based initiatives to create an inclusive society. AISECT claims to have created over 10,000 entrepreneurs in the country.

AISECT is primarily engaged in skill development and training, as well as the development of models and teaching methodologies to strengthen the non-formal education sector. AISECT also works to enhance service dissemination across semi urban and rural India, and deliver large e-Governance projects for the central and state governments.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Computer Programming and Applications	Diploma	12 months	Returning adult students
Computer Teachers Training	Diploma	12 months	Returning adult students
Advanced Computer Programming and Applications	Post graduate diploma	12 months	Graduates
Computer Programming and Applications	Certificate	6 months	Returning adult students

Languages: English and Hindi

Address: SCOPE CAMPUS, NH-12, Bhaironpur, (Near Misrod), Hoshangabad Road, Bhopal, MP, India

Telephone Number: +91- 75524 99657

Fax Number: +91-75524 29096

E-Mail: aisect_bpl@sancharnet.in, cordi@aisect.org, aisect@aisect.org

Web URL: <https://www.aisect.org>

27. Bangalore Management Academy

Type of Organization: Private institute

Brief Background:

The Bangalore Management Academy (BMA) offers a Masters course in Information Systems Management at the 'IT capital of India'. BMA has collaborations with Bharathidasan Institute of Management (BIM), Edith Cowan University (ECU), University of Aberdeen, Retailers Association of India (RAI), Asia Pacific University College of Technology and Innovation (UCTI), Singapore Human Resources Institute (SHRI), Nanyang Institute of Management (NIM) and Pondicherry University.

BMA, with its academic facilities and IT infrastructure, provides educational programmes that enable students to get a good head start in the profession they choose. BMA meets student learning needs with Bachelor's and Master's Degree programmes.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Systems Management	Master of Business Administration	20 months	IT Managers and aspirants

Languages: English

Head Office Address: #17, Ashirwad Towers, Doddanekkundi Cross, Marathahalli, Mahadevapura Ring Road, Marathahalli Post, Bangalore - 560 037, India

Telephone Numbers: +91 – 80435 53212, +91-80285 33132, +91-80421 16524

Fax Number: +91-80285 32099

Regional Offices:

East India Office (For students from Assam, Chhattisgarh, Meghalaya, Sikkim, Tripura and West Bengal)

Address: Apeejay Business Centre, Apeejay House, Block "A", 8th Floor, 15 Park St, Kolkata 700 016, India

Telephone Number: +91- 98310 00501

Fax Number: +91-33440 26169

E-Mail: sunip.c@bma.ac.in

Tamil Nadu Office

Address: Office No.1E, Elcanso Complex, No.10, Casa Major Road, Egmore, (Landmark: Adjacent Egmore Don Bosco), Chennai 600 008, India

Telephone Numbers: +91-44329 7910, +91-98400 81129, +91-93800 69100

E-mail: tn@bma.ac.in

Bhopal Office

Address: Bangalore Management Academy, 130, 1st Floor, Near State Bank of India, M.P.Nagar, Zone-2, Bhopal (M.P.), India

Telephone Numbers: +91-98932 62809, +91- 92039 05924

Uttar Pradesh Office

Address: D-58/12-22, Gandhi Nagar, Near TVS Showroom, Sigra, Varanasi (Uttar Pradesh) 221 010, India

Telephone Number: +91- 95650 44440

Web URL: <http://www.bmaindia.com>

28. Standardization, Testing and Quality Certification Directorate, Department of Information Technology, Ministry of Communications and Information Technology

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Standardization Testing and Quality Certification (STQC) Directorate is attached to the Department of Information Technology (DIT), Government of India. It provides quality assurance services in the area of Electronics and IT through countrywide network of laboratories and centres. The services include testing, calibration, training and certification to public and private organizations. These laboratories are recognized by national/International accreditation framework.

In the area of Information Technology, STQC provides services through its six IT Centres for Software Quality testing, Information Security and IT Service Management by conducting testing, training, auditing and certifications. STQC is responsible for maintaining eGov standards. Based on this concept a Conformity Assessment Framework (CAF) for e-Governance project has also been developed and is in operation. Two IT test laboratories, at Bangalore and Kolkatta, have received accreditation from American Association for Laboratory Accreditation (A2LA).

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Quality Assurance in e-Governance (Implementing Quality Management for Public service organization (IS 15700), Web Site Quality Assurance, Interoperability in IT Systems	Certificate	Not specified	Government officers involved in e-Governance implementation
IT Service Management	Certificate	Not specified	Government officers involved in Information Technology management
Information Security	Certificate	Certified Information Security Professional - 5 days	Information Security officers in government

		Certified Internal Information Security Auditor - 3 days Lead Auditor Course as per ISO 27001 -5 days Certified Network Security Management - 3 days Information Security Management System Best Practices - 3 days	
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(NB: The center conducts other IT training courses in addition to these.)

Languages: English

Address: STQC Directorate, Dept. of Information Technology, Ministry of Communication & Information Technology, Electronics Niketan, III Floor, 6, CGO Complex, Lodi Road, New Delhi - 110 003, India

Telephone Numbers and E-Mails:

Director General	Dr. Gulshan Rai	+91-11243 63089 E-Mail: grai@mit.gov.in
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IT Services (eSecurity)	Arvind Kumar Director	+91-11243 63378 E-Mail: arvind@mit.gov.in
IT Services (IT Trainings)	Rakesh Maheshwari Director	+91-11243 60219 E-Mail: rakesh@mit.gov.in
Web Certification Services	R.P. Sondhi Director	+91-11243 66545 E-Mail: ravisondhi@mit.gov.in
CETE Services	Rakesh Maheshwari Director	+91-11243 60219 E-Mail: rakesh@mit.gov.in
Certification Services	G C Saxena Director	+91-11243 64752 E-Mail: gsaxena@mit.gov.in

STQC HR/Administration	J.S. Bhatia Director	+91-11243 64174, +91-11243 01368 E-Mail: jsbhatia@mit.gov.in
Website Administrator	Sushil Kumar Nehra, Scientist "C"	E-Mail: snehra@mit.gov.in

Fax Number: +91-11243 63083

Web URL: <http://www.stqc.nic.in>

29. Indian Institute of Information Technology and Management, Gwalior

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Indian Institute of Information Technology and Management (IIITM), Gwalior, was established by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India in 1997, as an initiative to foster information technology (IT) and management education in India. IIITM Gwalior provides technical and managerial education in the areas of IT and management in India. The primary objective of the Institute is to create facilities for education, training, research, consultancy and professional development in the areas of IT and management.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
IT enabled Services Management	Master of Business Administration	2 years	IT managers and professionals
e-Governance and Public Services Management	Master of Business Administration	2 years	IT managers and professionals

Languages: English

Address: Assistant Registrar, Indian Institute of Information Technology and Management Gwalior, Morena Link Road, Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh, 474 101, India

Telephone Number: +91- 75124 49704 ,

Fax Number: +91-75124 49813

E-Mail: Not provided in the web site

Web URL: <http://www.iiitm.ac.in>

30. Administrative Staff College of India

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Administrative Staff College of India (ASCI) is a college for practicing managers providing post-experience management education in India. Established in 1956 at the initiative of government, ASCI focuses on making management a more professional task, though a blend of management development, consultancy, research, and information technology pursuits that are structured to developing strategic thinking, reformist leadership, and state-of-the-art skills among practicing managers in India and the developing world to achieve competitive dominance by confronting existing and emerging challenges to effectively manage regulatory, government, commercial and non-commercial organizations. Over 75,000 participants from industry, government and non-government organizations in India and the developing world have participated in one of nearly 200 management development programmes offered by ASCI every year.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
IT Management (Service Delivery Assurance, Business Continuity Planning, Infrastructure Security, Business Process Management, Technology Trends, IT Procurement, Building Business Cases for IT Investments, Outsourcing Strategies, Data Management and Storage, Tools and Solutions for Managing IT, Building an IT Organization, Management of Change in Large IT Implementation, Programme and Project management)	Certificate	Not specified	Senior and middle level IT managers who are managing the IT/EDP/MIS functions in their organizations

IT Enabled Knowledge Management	Certificate	Not specified	Senior and middle level executives and officers in business and administrative functions and information technology from organizations in the manufacturing, services and institutional sectors
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Languages: English

Address: Bella Vista, Raj Bhavan Road, Khairatabad, Hyderabad - 500 082, India

Telephone Number: +91 40 6653 3000

Fax Number: +91-40-2331 2954

E-Mail: skrao@asci.org.in, rvp@asci.org.in schary@asci.org.in and tskrao@asci.org.in

Web URL: <http://www.asci.org.in>

INDONESIA

31. Association of Southeast Asian Nations Foundation (Regional)

Type of Organization: Intergovernmental organization (funded by ASEAN)

Brief Background:

The ASEAN (Association of Southeast Asian Nations) Foundation was established in 1997. The Foundation is designed to help bring about shared prosperity and a sustainable future to all ASEAN countries which comprises of Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, the Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Viet Nam. Among other mandates, the ASEAN Foundation is charged with helping to build ICT capacity within its member states.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
General Information and Communication Technology training	Certificate	Depends upon the course	ICT professionals in developing ASEAN countries

Languages: Not specified

Address: ASEAN Foundation, Jl. Sam Ratulangi No.2, Menteng, Jakarta - 10350, Indonesia

Telephone Number: +62 21 3192 4828

Fax Number: +62 21 3192 6078

E-Mail: secretariat@aseanfoundation.org

Web URL: <http://www.aseanfoundation.org>

32. Binus University

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

Binus University (also known as Bina Nusantara) is located in Jakarta. The university's primary field of study is in Information Technology.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Systems Management	Master's Degree	2 years	Graduates who wish to pursue higher studies in Information Systems Management

Languages: Not specified

Anggrek Campus:

Address: Jl. Kebon Jeruk Raya No. 27, Kebon Jeruk, Jakarta Barat 11530, Indonesia

Telephone Numbers: + 62 21 5369 6969, + 62 21 5369 6999

Fax Number: +62 21 530 0244

Kijang Campus

Address: Jl. Kemanggisan Ilir III, No. 45, Kemanggisan / Palmerah, Jakarta Barat 11480, Indonesia

Telephone Number: +62 21 532 7630

Fax Number: +62 21 533 2985

Syahdan Campus

Address: Jl. K. H. Syahdan No. 9, Kemanggisan / Palmerah, Jakarta Barat 11480, Indonesia

Telephone Numbers: +62 21 534 5830, +62 21 535 0660

Fax Number: +62 21 530 0244

E-Mail: inquiry-jwc@binus.edu

Web URL: <http://www.binus.ac.id>

JAPAN

33. Graduate School of Global Information and Telecommunication Studies, Waseda University

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

Waseda University is one of the most prestigious private universities in Japan. Its main campus is located in the northern part of Shinjuku, Tokyo. Waseda University is a member of Universitas 21, an international network of 21 universities that have a particular focus on research.

Training Areas:

Info-Telecom Socio-Economics, Network Business and Policy Area

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Studies on the Strategic Development of the Economies and Firms in the Coming Ubiquitous Society	Master's Degree	2 years	Graduate/Masters students in Information Technology who wish to continue their studies in these areas
	Doctoral Degree	3 years	
Information and Communications Law and Economic Law	Master's Degree	2 years	Ibid
	Doctoral Degree	3 years	
Media and Industrial Organization	Master's Degree	2 years	Ibid
	Doctoral Degree	3 years	
Research and Development public policy	Master's Degree	2 years	Ibid
	Doctoral Degree	3 years	

Languages: English

Address: Graduate School of Global Information and Telecommunication Studies, Waseda University, 1011 Nishi-Tomida, Honjo-shi, Saitama, Japan 367-0035

Telephone Number: +81 495 246 420

Fax Number: +81 495 246 645

E-Mail: gits@list.waseda.jp

Web URL: <http://www.gits.waseda.ac.jp/GITS>

34. The Graduate School of Policy Science, Saitama University

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The Graduate School of Policy Science (GSPS), was established at Saitama University in 1977. GSPS aims to promote interdisciplinary policy research with potential to contribute to the making of appropriate policies for the real world and to train administrative officials and policy analysts equipped with policy analysis and policy-making skills.

Training Areas¹:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Earthquake Disaster Mitigation & Tsunami Disaster Mitigation	Master's Degree	Not specified	Graduates holding key positions in disaster risk management and typically working as engineers, seismologists, meteorologists, researchers, or lecturers.
Water-related Disaster Management	Master's Degree	Not specified	Ibid

Languages: Japanese/English

Address: National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies, 7-22-1 Roppongi, Minato-ku, Tokyo 106-8677, Japan

Telephone Number: +81 364 396 000

Fax Number: +81 364 396 010

E-Mail: admissionsgrips.ac.jp

Web URL: <http://www.grips.ac.jp>

¹ These are not strictly Information and Communication Technology for Development courses. However they have been included given the significant IT component in them.

KAZAKHSTAN / KYRGYZSTAN

35. Center for Training and Consulting

Type of Organization: Private institution

Brief Background:

The Center for Training and Consulting (CTC) is a training and consulting company working in the Central Asian region for the benefit of its clients from the private, public, international, and non-governmental sectors who strive for growth and prosperity.

The mission of the company is to help managers in Central Asia obtain sustainable competitive advantages through the application of modern management techniques and the provision of high quality services that will meet requirements of modern markets.

CTC specializes in

- Organizational improvement and raising efficiency
- Profitability and sales growth
- Improving management practices
- Increasing effectiveness of human resources

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Technology and Telecommunications	Certificate	Not specified	Professionals from public and private sectors

Languages: Not specified

Address: Not provided in the web site

Telephone Numbers: + 7 -701-7485542 (Kazakhstan) and +996 312 547421 (Kyrgyzstan)

Fax Number: +996 312 541266 (Kyrgyzstan)

E-Mail: kz@strategs.com (Kazakhstan) and ctnc@strategs.com (Kyrgyzstan)

Web URL: <http://en.strategs.com>

KOREA, Republic of

36. United Nations Asian and Pacific Training Center for Information and Communication Technology for Development (UN-APCICT/ESCAP)

Type of Organization: International organization

Brief Background:

The mission of the United Nations Asian and Pacific Training Center for Information and Communication Technology for Development (UN-APCICT/ESCAP) is to strengthen the efforts of the member countries of the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) to use ICT in their socio-economic development through human and institutional capacity building. To meet this objective, APCICT's work is focused on three inter-related pillars – Training, Research and Advisory Services. Together they form an integrated approach to ICT human capacity building.

In 2008, APCICT developed and launched the “Academy of ICT Essentials for Government Leaders Programme” (the Academy), which is designed to provide government officials and development stakeholders with the necessary skills to fully leverage ICT for socio-economic development (ICTD). The Academy curriculum currently consists of 10 stand-alone, yet inter-linked training modules that cover a variety of ICTD related topics. The Academy programme has been launched in 19 countries throughout Asia and the Pacific, training over 7,000 government officials and development stakeholders.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
ICT Applications and Meaningful Development	Certificate	1-3 days	Government officials, development stakeholders
ICT for Development Policy, Process and Governance	Certificate	Ibid	Ibid
e-Government Applications	Certificate	Ibid	Ibid
ICT Trends for Government Leaders	Certificate	Ibid	Ibid
Internet Governance	Certificate	Ibid	Ibid
Network and Information Security	Certificate	Ibid	Ibid

and Privacy			
ICT Project Management in Theory and Practice	Certificate	Ibid	Ibid
Options for Funding ICT for Development	Certificate	Ibid	Ibid
ICT for Disaster Risk Management	Certificate	Ibid	Ibid
ICT for Climate Change, Green Growth and Sustainable Development	Certificate	Ibid	Ibid

Languages: English, Russian, Bahasa Indonesia, Myanmar and Viet Nam languages

Address: Bonbudong, 3rd Floor Songdo Techno Park, 7-50 Songdo-dong, Yeonsu-gu, Incheon City, Korea

Telephone Number: +823 2245 1700

Fax Number: +82 32 245 7712

E-Mail: Contact form is available on the site

Web URL: <http://www.unapcict.org>

37. International Women and Family Foundation

Type of Organization: Non-governmental organization

Brief Background:

The International Women and Family Foundation (IWFF) was established in 2010. Its objective is to develop and implement systematic programmes supporting women and families throughout the world. Part of its programme is to carry out ICT capacity building programmes to empower women in the Asia–Pacific region.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
General ICT	Certificate	2 weeks (In Korea) 1 week (Outside Korea)	Women government officers, IT managers, officials from private sector from Asia Pacific countries
e-Business	Certificate	3 weeks	Women government officers and women entrepreneurs

Languages: English

Address: 2nd Floor, Banpo KT Building, Seoul

Telephone Number: +82 2536 0060

Fax Number: +82 2536 0063

E-Mail: iwff@iwff.or.kr

Web URL: <http://www.iwff.or.kr>

38. Gyeonggi Women's Development Center

Type of Organization: Non-governmental organization

Brief Background:

Gyeonggi Women's Development Center (GWDC) for Women's Human Resources Development was established in October 1997. Its objectives are to improve the economic and social status of women and encourage social participation.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
ICT for Business	Certificate	3 weeks	Women IT professionals
Practical Web Design	Certificate	2 months	Ibid
e - Learning Content Production	Certificate	2 months	Ibid
Web Design	Certificate	varies depending upon the course	Ibid
Web Applications, Flash, Autocad and Programming	Certificate	varies depending upon the course	Ibid

Languages: Not specified

Address: 280, Yonggudaero 431, Mabook-Dong, Giheung-Gu, Yongin-Si, Gyeonggido 446-912, Korea

Telephone Number: +82 31 8999 1000

Fax Number: +82 31 8008 8110

E-Mail: womeninfo@womenpro.or.kr

Web URL: <http://www.womenpro.or.kr>

39. Central Officials Training Institute

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

Since its founding in 1949, the Central Officials Training Institute (COTI) has worked to facilitate sustainable national development through public service training and development. COTI operates under Korea's Ministry of Administration and Security (MOPAS) - an inter-agency training institute and its objectives are:

- To train central government officials by providing general and specialized courses
- To serve as a support center for other public-sector training institutes across Korea while promoting cooperative and exchange activities with private-sector HRD centers
- To widen Korea's global network through international training and exchange activities with internationally recognized institutions

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
General Information and Communication Technology	Certificate	Depends on the courses	Government officers in Korea

Languages: Not specified

Address: Central Officials Training Institute, Joongang-Dong 2, Gwacheon-City, Gyeonggi-Province, Republic of Korea, 427-726

Telephone Number: +82 2503 8011

Fax Number: +82 2500 8585

E-Mail: kukkyo@coti.go.kr

Web URL: <http://eng.coti.go.kr>

LAO P.D.R

40. Lao-Japan Human Resource Cooperation Center

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Lao-Japan Human Resource Cooperation Center (Lao-Japan Center) was established by a Japanese Grant Aid in May 2001 at the Dongdok main campus of the National University of Laos. The Center is jointly operated by Laos and Japan under the technical cooperation project of the Government of Japan through the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA).

The objective of Lao-Japan Center is to provide education in business management in order to foster the necessary human resource capacity to facilitate the transition of Laos PDR to a market oriented economy.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
General computer skills	Certificate	Varies, depending upon the course	Government officials and university students

Languages: Not specified

Address: c/o National University of Laos, Dong Dok Campus, P.O.Box 7322, Vientiane, Lao PDR

Telephone Numbers: +856-21-720156, +856-21-720157

Fax Number: +856-21-770267

E-Mail: ljcenter@laopdr.com

Web URL: <http://www.ljcenter.org>

MALAYSIA

41. Open University

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The Open University, Malaysia (OUM) is a private university in Malaysia. The University's open and distance learning (ODL) delivery mode is specifically targeted at working adults who need to take care of their families as well as manage their careers while pursuing higher education.

As an open learning institution, OUM subscribes to the following principles:

- Flexible entry requirements to provide more opportunities for members of the society to pursue their aspirations;
- A student-friendly academic system where the constraints and needs of working adults are well understood;
- A learning mode that incorporates learners' interaction with lecturers, online learning and self- study, thus enriching learning experiences.

Initially opening its doors to 753 learners in 2001, OUM has over 79,000 students in 70 academic programmes in its eighth year of operations. Through OUM, working adults can upgrade their knowledge and skills for the purpose of career progression, career transition or pursue lifelong learning ambitions, within their homes.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Technology (Managerial and technical knowledge in a knowledge economy)	Master's Degree	2 years	Graduates with honours or its equivalent in any field of study

Languages: English

Address: OUM Campus, Open University Malaysia, Jalan Tun Ismail, 50480 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Telephone Number: +603 2773 2798

Fax Number: +603 - 2697 8852

E-Mail: jaspal_kaur@oum.edu.my, cgs@oum.edu.my, admission@oum.edu.my

Web URL: <http://www.oum.edu.my>

42. Asia Pacific Institute of Information Technology

Type of Organization: Private institution

Brief Background:

The Asia Pacific Institute of Information Technology (APIIT) was established in 1993, as a professional IT education & training institution. APIIT is an IT and business educational facility focusing on:

- Graduate employment prospect
- Research and development
- Intensive courses and cooperative learning
- Practice of professionalism

APIIT has 4 centres and campus locations, more than 13,000 graduates and collaborations with 20 Universities in the UK and Australia.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Business Management Specialization in e-Business	Bachelor's Degree	3 years	Students who completed high school
IT Management	Master's Degree	18 months	Graduates

Languages: English

Address: Asia Pacific Institute of Information Technology (APIIT), Technology Park Malaysia, Bukit Jalil, 57000, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Telephone Number: +603 8996 1000

Fax Number: +603-8996 1001

E-Mail: info@apiit.edu.my

Web URL: <http://www.apiit.edu.my>

43. Faculty of Computer Science and Information Systems, Universiti Teknologi

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM), is a research-intensive university specializing in engineering, science and technology. UTM is considered Malaysia's premier research university in engineering and technology.

UTM's mission is to develop creative and innovative human capital and advanced technologies that will contribute to socio-economic development. The University's mission looks to support Malaysia's objectives to develop a knowledge-based, innovation- led economy.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Technology Management	Master's Degree	2 years	IT graduates or graduates in other disciplines with substantial IT experience

Languages: English

Address: Faculty of Computer Science and Information Systems , Universiti Teknologi Malaysia,UTM Skudai, 81310 Johor, Malaysia

Telephone Numbers: +60 7553 2425, +60 7553 2428

Fax Number: +60 7556 5044

E-Mail: abrazak@utm.my, minshah@utm.my

Web URL: <http://www.utm.my>

44. The Graduate School of Management, Universiti Putra

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The Graduate School of Management at Universiti Putra Malaysia (GSM-UPM) was established in 1997, through a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signed among TR Group of Companies, comprising Technology Resources Bhd, Malaysia Airlines Bhd and Cellular Communications Network Sdn Bhd and Naluri Bhd.

GSM-UPM offers a range of post-graduate programmes: Master of Business Administration (MBA), Master of Management (MM), Master of Science (MS) and Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) programmes. The programmes are designed specifically to meet the needs of business and practicing managers.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Technology Management	Master's Degree	1 ½ years	Graduate students who wish to pursue their studies in Information Technology Management

Languages: English

Address: Graduate School of Management, Universiti Putra Malaysia, 43400 UPM Serdang Selangor, Malaysia

Telephone Numbers: +603 8948 3118, +603 8946 7440, +603 8946 7441

Fax Numbers: +603.8943 4019, +603.8942 1584

E-Mail: gsm@putra.upm.edu.my

Web URL: www.gsm.upm.edu.my

MACAO, China

46. Center for Electronic Governance, United Nations University

Type of Organization: International organization

Brief Background:

The Center for Governance is part of United Nations University's International Institute for Software Technology located in Macao, China. Its mission is to support governments in developing countries strategically use technology to transform public organizations and their relationships with citizens, businesses, civil society, and with one another.

The center is involved in applied policy research, capacity building and various forms of development – strategy development, software development, institutional development and development of communities of practice.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Electronic Governance	Certificate	Varies	Government officers working in the areas of electronic governance

Languages: English

Address: Casa Silva Mendes, Est. do Engenheiro Trigo No. 4, P.O. Box 3058, Macao, China

Telephone Number: +85 328 712 930

Fax Number: +85 328 712 940

E-Mail: egov@iist.unu.edu

Web URL: <http://www.egov.iist.unu.edu/cegov/home>

MALDIVES

45. Maldives National University

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

Formerly the Maldives College of Higher Education, Maldives National University (MNU) was established in 1999, as part of a restructuring and rationalization of all government-run post-secondary education in Maldives. Operated by the Department of Higher Education and Training, MNU is the only public degree-granting institution in Maldives. The university offers a range of degrees, diplomas, and certificates, with particular emphasis on engineering, health science, education, tourism, and management.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
General Information and Communication Technology	Advanced Certificate	Not specified	Students who intend to pursue careers in IT
General Information and Communication Technology	Diploma	Not specified	Ibid
General Information and Communication Technology	Bachelor's Degree	Not specified	Ibid

Languages: English

Address: Sosun Magu Henveyru, Male, 20069

Telephone Number: +960 332 0481

Fax Number: +960 332 0484

E-Mail: fmc@mche.edu.mv

Web URL: www.mche.edu.mv; www.mnu.edu.mv

MONGOLIA

47. National Academy of Governance

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The National Academy of Governance (AoM) is the training and research arm of the Government of Mongolia, which provides training for civil servants, business managers and social sector workers. The Academy also conducts research in different fields and provides consultancy services on policy, economic and management issues to both public and private organizations. The National Academy of Governance is the only post-graduate training and research institute in Mongolia. It was founded in 1924.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Public Administration and Local Management with ICT as a component	Bachelor Degree	4 years	Civil servants, business managers and social sector workers
Public Administration, Business Administration and Social sector Management with ICT as a component	Certificate Course, Graduate Diploma, Masters Degree	2 months, 6 months, 2 years	Ibid
Management Studies with ICT component	Doctoral Degree	4 years	Ibid

Languages: Mongolian

Address: National Academy of Governance, Khan-Uul Duureg, Ulaanbaatar 210136, Mongolia

Telephone Numbers: +976 7013 1754; +976 7013 2757

Fax Number: +976 7013 3037

E-Mail: aom@aom.edu.mn

Web URL: www.aom.edu.mn

NEPAL

48. National Information Technology Centre

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The National Information Technology Center (NITC) was established in 2002, in line with IT Policy 2000 under the Ministry of Science and Technology. NITC's main objective is to build a knowledge based society by supporting knowledge based institutions and industries, as well as to promote and develop ICT by making it accessible to the general public.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Basic and Advanced Computer Training for e-Government Implementation	Certificate	Not specified	Government officers

Languages: Nepali, English

Address: National Information Technology Center, Government Integrated Data Center Building, (near Ministry of Home Affairs), Singha Durbar, Kathmandu, Nepal

Telephone Numbers: + 977-1-4211917, + 977-1-4211710

Fax Number: +977-1-4243362

E-Mail: info@nitc.gov.np

Web URL: <http://www.nitc.gov.np>

49. South Asian Institute of Technology

Type of Organization: Private institution

Brief Background:

The South Asian Institute of Technology (SAIT) was founded in 2001 to help meet the growing demand of advanced technology education in Nepal. The institute is promoted by National Information Technology Institute, which is a consortium of IT experts, engineers, socio-economists, management & financial experts.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Computer Applications	Master's Degree and Post Graduate Diploma	Not specified	Those who intend to pursue their careers in Information Technology

Languages: English

Address: Sundhara-17, Lalitpur, GPO Box 944, Kathmandu, Nepal

Telephone Numbers: +977 1552 1830, +977 1552 6346

Fax Number: +977 1553 6975

E-Mail: pramod@sait.edu.np, info@sait.edu.np

Web URL: <http://www.sait.edu.np>

NEW ZEALAND

50. Geo Systems

Type of Organization: Private institution

Brief Background:

Geo Systems was established in 1985 and provides innovative spatial technology. Geo Systems is a large supplier of Global positioning systems, measuring instruments and design software solutions in New Zealand.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Mapping and Geographical Information Systems	Certificate	2 days	GIS professionals and prospects

Languages: English

Address: Christchurch - Head Office, 39 Leslie Hills Drive, PO Box 8160, Riccarton, Christchurch 8440, New Zealand

Telephone Number: +64 39 632 858

Fax Number: +64 39 632 857

E-Mail: Not given in the web site

Web URL: <http://www.geosystems.co.nz>

51. University of Otago

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The University of Otago is the oldest university in New Zealand, with over 20,000 students enrolled during 2006.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Health Informatics	Post Graduate Diploma	Not specified	Health professionals with a bachelor's degree or with significant health-care work experience but without an undergraduate qualification.

Languages: English

Address: Mr Alec Holt, Director, Health Informatics, Department of Information Science, PO Box 56, Dunedin, New Zealand

Telephone Number: +64 3479 5032

Fax Number: +64 3479 8311

E-Mail: aholt@infoscience.otago.ac.nz

Web URL: <http://www.hein.otago.ac.nz>

PAKISTAN

52. Electronic Government Directorate, Ministry of Information Technology

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Electronic Government Directorate (EGD) was established in 2002, in order to meet the following objectives:

- Implement different projects related to the Electronic Government programme;
- Provide technical advice and guidelines for implementation of E-government projects at the federal, provincial and district levels;
- Plan and prepare Electronic government projects;
- Provide standards for software and infrastructure in the field of Electronic Government; and
- Undertake any other assignment matter that the government may direct.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
General Information and Communication Technology	Certificate	Not specified	Probationary government officers
e-Government	Certificate	Not specified	Senior government officers involved in e-government project implementation

Languages: English

Address: 10-D West, 3rd Floor, Taimur Chambers, Blue Area, Islamabad, Pakistan

Telephone Numbers: +925 1920 5992, +925 1920 5889

Fax Number: +925 1920 5981

E-Mail: contact@e-government.gov.pk

Web URL: <http://www.e-government.gov.pk>

53. Information Technology Department, Government of Sindh

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Information Technology Department was created on in 2002, as part of the Sindh Government's effort to implement the National IT Policy / IT Action Plan.

Its objectives are:

- Induction of IT at all levels of government to improve efficiency, transparency and provide quality services
- Adaption of a modular approach to achieve the goal of e-government
- Replacement of physical file system with electronic file system through the use of Internet and Intranet in government offices
- Computer and office automation training for the management and secretariat staff of Sindh government
- Development of provincial database for framing different policies by the government of Sindh
- To make all future government officers IT literate

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
e-Government and Information Technology	Certificate	Not specified	Sindh Government officers

Languages: English

Address: 1st Floor, Building No. 06, Sindh Secretariat, Kamal-Ata-Turk Road, Karachi, Pakistan

Telephone Numbers: +922 9921 1421, +922 9921 1421, +922 9921 7988

Fax Numbers: +922 9921 8392, +922 9921 1414

E-Mail: minister.it@sindh.gov.pk, secy.it@sindh.gov.pk dg.it@sindh.gov.pk

Web URL: <http://www.sindh.gov.pk/dpt/IT/index.html>

PHILIPPINES

54. European IT Service Center Foundation

Type of Organization: Private

Brief Background:

The European IT Service Center Foundation works to develop the capacity of youth and young professionals in the field of ICT. The Foundation works to promote IT training, raise public awareness about ICT, and foster linkages between academia and the private sector in order to broaden job opportunities and contribute to further enhancing the attractiveness of the Philippines as an outsourcing and offshoring destination.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
General IT skills	Certificate	Varies depending upon the course	Students, graduates, teachers, IT/BPO professionals

Languages: English

Address: 19/F, Philippine AXA Life Centre, Sen. Gil Puyat Ave. cor. Tindalo St., Makati City 1200, Philippines

Telephone Number: +63 2845-1324

Fax Number: +63 2759-2247

E-Mail: info@eitsc.com

Web URL: <http://www.eitsc.com>

55. National Computer Center

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The National Computer Center (NCC) was established in 1971. NCC’s main functions are to provide information bases for integrated planning and implementation of development programmes and to help develop the country’s ICT environment for the strategic applications of ICT in government.

In 1999 NCC undertook the development and implementation of a Government Information Systems Plan (GISP), to accelerate electronic governance in the country for greater productivity, enhance access to public information and provide for faster delivery of basic services.

Today, NCC lends its full support to the administration’s ICT thrust by forging strategic alliances with the private sector, coordinating ICT activities, developing human capital, promoting ICT utilization in all sectors of the society, and advocating Philippine ICT services worldwide. NCC implements its capacity development initiatives through its training division, the National Computer Institute, which delivers ICT training workshops to government officials and representatives from academia.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Portal and Website Development	Certificate	Not specified	Government officials
Application Systems Development	Certificate	Not specified	Government officials
Basic ICT Literacy	Certificate	Not specified	Government officials
ICT Applications and Meaningful Development; Policy, Process and Governance; e-Government Applications; Internet Governance; Network and Information Security and Privacy; ICT Project Management in Theory and Practice; Funding ICT for Development; ICT for Disaster Risk Management; and climate change, green growth and sustainable development	Certificate		Government officials, development stakeholders

Languages: English

Address: National Computer Center, Commission on Information & Communications Technology,
C.P. Garcia Avenue, U.P. Diliman, Quezon City, Philippines

Telephone Number: +63 920 0101

Fax Number: +63 920 7414

E-Mail: Not provided in the site

Web URL: <http://www.ncc.gov.ph>

56. The Mindanao State University-Iligan Institute of Technology

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The Mindanao State University-Iligan Institute of Technology (MSU-IIT), houses the Center of Excellence in Mathematics and Chemistry, the Center of Development in Physics and Biology, the Center of Development for Excellence in Information and Communication Technology, and the Center of Development in Ceramics Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Electronics and Communications Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, and Material Science Engineering.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Management	Master's Degree	2 years	Engineering and computer science graduate students who wish to pursue their higher studies in information management
Information and Library Systems	Master's Degree	2 years	Graduate students who want to pursue a career in the field of library science

Languages: English

Address: Andres Bonifacio Avenue, Tibanga, 9200 Iligan City, Philippines

Telephone Numbers: +636 3221 4056, +636 3492 1173

Fax Number: +636 3351 6173

E-Mail: Not provided in the web site

Web URL: <http://www.msuiit.edu.ph>

SINGAPORE

57. GIS and Map Resource Unit, Department of Geography, National University of Singapore

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The National University of Singapore (NUS) offers a global approach to education and research, with a focus on Asian perspectives and expertise. NUS's education includes a broad-based curriculum underscored by multi-disciplinary courses, as well as special programmes, which aim to allow students to realize their full potential..

The GIS and Map Resource Unit includes a GIS Lab, a Map Resource Center and a Cartographic Unit. The Unit aims to collect and provide maps of Singapore and Southeast Asia, promote GIS education and co-ordinate multidisciplinary GIS-related research in NUS.

NUS's services include:

- Hardcopy and digital topographic maps of Singapore and SE Asia
- State-of-the-art GIS software and hardware
- GPS (both differential and handheld)
- GIS training and workshop
- GIS technical support

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
GIS Training	Certificate	Not specified	GIS professionals

Languages: English

Address: GIS and Map Resource Unit, Department of Geography, National University of Singapore, 1 Arts Link AS2 #02-02, Singapore 117570

Telephone Number: +65 6516 3559

Fax Number: +65 6777 3091

E-Mail: geosy@nus.edu.sg

Web URL: http://www.fas.nus.edu.sg/geog/people/gis_about.html

SRI LANKA

58. Faculty of Information Technology, University of Moratuwa

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The University of Moratuwa (UoM) is the only Technology University in Sri Lanka. The vision of UoM is “to be the institution of academic excellence in Sri Lanka for technological disciplines with national relevance and international recognition”. UoM has an advanced Engineering Faculty and faculties of Architecture and Information Technology. The University primarily caters to local students. While there are opportunities for overseas students to pursue undergraduate courses of study, most overseas students attend for UoM’s postgraduate degree courses and research programmes.

The Faculty of Information Technology offers courses that cover various disciplines where IT is relevant.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Technology and Management	Bachelor’s and Master’s Degree	4 years (Bachelor’s) and 2 years part time (Master’s)	Students who wish to pursue their studies in Information Technology and Management

Languages: English

Address: Faculty of Information Technology, University of Moratuwa, Katubedda, Moratuwa, Sri Lanka.

Telephone Number: +94 112 650 301

Fax Number: + 94 112 650 922

E-Mail: info@itfac.mrt.ac.lk

Web URL: <http://www.itfac.mrt.ac.lk>

59. Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Colombo

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The Faculty of Graduate Studies of the University of Colombo (FGS-Colombo) was established in 1987..

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Library and Information Science	Master's and Post Graduate Diploma	2 years (Masters) and 1 year (PGD)	Students and government officials working in the field of Library Science
Information Systems Management	Master's and Post Graduate Diploma	2 years (Masters) and 1 year (PGD)	Students and government officials working in the field of Information Management

Languages: English

Address: Faculty of Graduate Studies, College House, University of Colombo, 94, Cumaratunga Munidasa Mawatha, Colombo 3, Sri Lanka

Telephone Number: + 94 11 250 2127

Fax Number: + 94 11 258 3810

E-Mail: postmast@fgs.cmb.ac.lk

Web URL: <http://www.cmb.ac.lk/academic/gradustd/index.htm>

60. LIRNEasia

Type of Organization: Non-government organization

Brief Background:

LIRNEasia is a regional information and communication technology (ICT) policy and regulation think tank active across the Asia-Pacific region.

LIRNEasia endeavors to catalyze the transformation of governance and regulation of ICTs in the emerging Asia- Pacific regions in order to enhance the opportunities for people to use ICTs in ways that will improve their lives.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Telecommunication Policy and Regulation	Certificate	One week	Professionals working in the areas of telecom policy and regulation

Languages: English

Address: 12 Balcombe Place, Colombo 08, Sri Lanka

Telephone Number: +94 11 267 1160

Fax Number: +94 11 267 5212

E-Mail: info@lirneasia.net

Web URL: <http://www.lirneasia.net>

THAILAND

61. Asian Institute of Technology

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Asian Institute of Technology (AIT) promotes technological change and sustainable development in the Asian-Pacific region through higher education, research and outreach. Established in Bangkok in 1959, AIT is a regional postgraduate institution actively working with public and private sector partners throughout the region.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Information Management	Certificate	3 months	Government and private sector officials who wants to improve their knowledge in ICT management

Languages: English

Address: 58 Moo 9, Km. 42, Paholyothin Highway, Klong Luang, Pathumthani 12120, Thailand

Telephone Numbers: +66 2516 0110 - 44

Fax Number: +66 2516 2126

E-Mail: admissions@ait.ac.th

Web URL: <http://www.ait.ac.th>

62. Asian University

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

The Asian University was founded in 1993 as an international university located in Chonburi, Thailand, about 25 km from Pattaya. The University has an English-only policy.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Technology Management in Information Technology	Bachelor's degree	4 years	Students who intend to pursue studies in ICTs

Languages: English

Address: 89 Moo 12, Highway 331, Huay Yai, Banglamung, Chonburi 20260, Thailand

Telephone Number: +66 3825 3700

Fax Number: +66 3825 3747

E-Mail: admissions@asianust.ac.th

Web URL: <http://www.asianust.ac.th>

63. Asian Disaster Preparedness Centre (ADPC), International organization

Type of Organization: Non-governmental organization

Brief Background:

The Asian Disaster Preparedness Center (ADPC) is a non-profit organization supporting the advancement of safer communities and sustainable development, through implementing programmes and projects that reduce the impact of disasters upon countries and communities in Asia and the Pacific, by:

- Developing and enhancing sustainable institutional disaster risk management capacities, frameworks and mechanisms, and supporting the development and implementation of government policies;
- Facilitating the dissemination and exchange of disaster risk management expertise, experience and information; and
- Raising awareness and enhancing disaster risk management knowledge and skills.

ADPC's Training Services Unit (TSU) aims to help in strengthening the capacity of countries, organizations, communities and individuals to reduce the impact of disasters by enhancing understanding, perceptions, awareness, learning good practices, global needs and challenges to promote and adopt disaster risk reduction practices as an integral part of the development process at community, national, sub-regional and regional levels.

ADPC provides a range of learning opportunities to disaster practitioners at all levels, who wish to include knowledge of disaster management in their on-going professional development. Regular courses are conducted in Bangkok and in-country on a range of topics.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Disaster Management	Certificate	Not specified	Government and non government officers involved in disaster risk reduction (DRR) activities and IT professions who play a significant role in DRR
End-to-End Multi-Hazard Early Warning Systems for Disaster Risk Reduction (EWS)	Certificate	Not specified	Ibid
GIS and Remote	Certificate	Not specified	Ibid

Sensing in Disaster Risk Management			
Disaster Risk Communication	Certificate	Not specified	Ibid

Languages: English

Address: Training Resources Group, Asian Disaster Preparedness Center, SM Tower, 24th Floor, 979/69 Paholyothin Road, Samsen Nai, Phayathai, Bangkok 10400, Thailand

Telephone Numbers: + 66-2298 0681 to 92

Fax Number: + 66-2298 0012 to 13

E-Mail: benjaporn@adpc.net

Web URL: <http://www.adpc.net>

64. Thammasat University

Type of Organization: University

Brief Background:

Thammasat University is Thailand's second oldest university. The objectives of the faculty of Science and Technology are:

- To provide high quality science and technology education in both specific and multidisciplinary educational programmes;
- To publish and conduct internationally-recognized research in both specific and multidisciplinary areas with commitments to leveraging newly discovered scientific knowledge and inventions to the public for the benefit of sustainable development of the society and the country;
- To manage the organization through good governance principles, strong supports for employee's career development, and creation of highly disciplined and united work environments;
- To provide high quality consulting services relevant to science and technologies to public; and
- To preserve the country's cultural heritage as well as natural resources and environments.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Technology for Rural Development	Master's Degree	Not specified	Graduate students who want to pursue higher studies in rural development

Languages: Thai

Tha Prachan Campus

Address: Assc. Prof. Dr. Udom Rathamarit, Vice Rector for General Administration (Tha Prachan Campus), 2 Prachan Road, Bangkok 10200, Thailand

Telephone Number: + 66 2613 3333

Fax Number: Not specified

E-mail: udom@tu.ac.th

Rangsit Center

Address: Assc. Prof. Dr. Siriporn Khampalikit, Vice Rector for General Administration (Rangsit Center), Thammasat University Rangsit Center, 99 Paholyothin Rd., Klongluang, Patumtani 12121, Thailand

Telephone Numbers: +66 2564 4440, +66 2564 4459

Fax Number: Not specified

E-mail: ksiriporn@tu.ac.th

Lampang Center

Address: Assc. Prof. Dr. Decha Sungkawan, Vice Rector for General Administration (Lampang Center), Thammasat Lampang Center, 248 Lampang-Chiangmai Rd., Hangchat, Lampang, 52190, Thailand

Telephone Numbers: + 66 5426 8701-8

Fax Number: Not specified

E-Mail: skwdecha@tu.ac.th

Pattaya Campus

Address: Asst. Prof. Kamonthip Chamkrajang, Assistant to the Rector for General Administration (Pattaya Campus), Thammasat University Pattaya Center, 39/4 Bang Lamung, Chonburi 20150, Thailand

Telephone Numbers: +66 3825 9010-69

Fax Number: Not specified

E-Mail: Not specified

Web URL: <http://www.tu.ac.th/eng>

65. ESRI Co., Ltd.

Type of Organization: Private institution

Brief Background:

ESRI (Thailand) is a subsidiary of CDG Group, established in 1992. ESRI offers Geographic Information System (GIS) training to medium to large size government agencies and private organizations.

ESRI has over 200 staff members with over 10 years of experience in GIS technology / business at all levels from graduate to PhD.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Fundamental training in Geographic Information Systems	Certificate	2-3 days	Prospective GIS professionals
Advanced training in Geographic Information Systems	Certificate	1-3 days	GIS professionals
Training on GIS server	Certificate	2 days	GIS professionals
GIS programming and customizing	Certificate	3-5 days	GIS professionals
GIS Imagery	Certificate	4 -5 days	GIS professionals

Languages: Thai and English

Address: CDG House, 202, Nanglinchi Rd., Chongnonsee, Yannawa, Bangkok 10120, Thailand

Telephone Number: +662 678 0707

Fax Numbers: +662 678 0321-3, +662 678 0590

E-Mail: esrith.hotline@cdg.co.th

Web URL: <http://www.esrith.com>

66. RFID Institute of Thailand

Type of Organization: Non-profit organization owned by a group of government agencies

Brief Background:

The RFID Institute of Thailand is a public/private, non-profit organization jointly owned by:

1. Software Industry Promotion Agency (Public Organization) (SIPA)
2. Telecommunications Research and Industrial Development Institute (TRIDI)
3. National Telecommunications Commission (NTC)
4. National Electronics and Computer Technology Center (NECTEC)
5. The Federation of Thai Industries by GS1 Thailand
6. Thai Embedded Systems Association (TESA)

The objectives of RFID Institute of Thailand are:

1. To provide RFID test application services (RFID Testbed) to Thai entrepreneurs. This includes user, equipment and parts developer, software house and distributor;
2. To support R&D and RFID technology services in Thailand (Value-adding Capability Acceleration);
3. To establish capacity building in applying RFID technology to domestic industry (Smart Adoption/Utilization Promotion);
4. To promote RFID development and business domestically and internationally (Supply-chain Business Match-making); and
5. To develop knowledgebase development, distribution of information and consultation in RFID technology to the public (Public Awareness/Knowledge Creation).

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Introduction to EPC/RFID for Business Efficiency	Certificate	Not specified	Those who seek a specialized knowledge in RFID

Languages: Thai/English

Address: The federation of Thai Industries, Queen Sirikit National Convention Center Zone, D 2nd Fl., 60 New Rachadapisek Rd., Klongtoey, Bangkok 10110, Thailand

Telephone Numbers: + 662 345 1211-3

Fax Numbers: + 662 345 1217-8

E-Mail: Not given in the web site

Web URL: <http://www.rfid.or.th>

TURKEY

67. Regional Training Center, World Meteorological Organization

Type of Organization: International organization

Brief Background:

The World Meteorological Organization (WMO) is a specialized agency of the United Nations. It is the UN system's authoritative voice on the state and behaviour of the Earth's atmosphere, its interaction with the oceans, the climate it produces and the resulting distribution of water resources.

WMO promotes cooperation in the establishment of networks for making meteorological, climatological, hydrological and geophysical observations, as well as the exchange, processing and standardization of related data, and assists technology transfer, training and research. It also fosters collaboration between the National Meteorological and Hydrological Services of its Members and furthers the application of meteorology to public weather services, agriculture, aviation, shipping, the environment, water issues and the mitigation of the impacts of natural disasters.

WMO facilitates the free and unrestricted exchange of data and information, products and services in real- or near-real time on matters relating to safety and security of society, economic welfare and the protection of the environment. It contributes to policy formulation in these areas at national and international levels.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Geographic Information Systems (GIS) Applications in Meteorology	Certificate	5 days	Officers working in the fields of meteorology and GIS
Global Telecommunication System and Meteorological Software	Certificate	7 days	Officers working in the field of meteorology
Numerical Weather Prediction Activities and Use of Super Computer Resources at Turkish State Meteorological Service	Certificate	5 days	Officers working in the field of meteorology

Languages: English

Address: Kütükçü Alibey Caddesi No:4 06120 Kalaba, Keçiören / Ankara, Turkey

Telephone Number: +90 312 359 7545

Fax Number: +90 312 359 3430

E-Mail: rmtcturkey@dmi.gov.tr

Web URL: <http://www.rtc.dmi.gov.tr>

UZBEKISTAN

68. Young Developers Training and Support Center

Type of Organization: Non-profit foundation

Brief Background:

The Young Developers Training and Support Center (YDTSC) was founded in 2004 with the assistance of the Uzbek Agency of Communications and Information (UzACI) along with several other domestic IT companies. The Center works to solve issues in the local IT sector, like the lack of good quality education for young software developers, the lack of a practical approach of tutors and teachers in other education centers, and the lack of research in the IT sector.

The main activities of YDTSC are supporting:

- Professional IT – education
- Software development projects
- Research and innovations

The center has several certifications and partner agreements with vendors like Microsoft, 1C, Thomson Prometric, etc. YDTSC is a permanent participant of Microsoft IT-academy programme, through which it educates more than 200 students every year on Microsoft Certified courses.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Varies. Some of the areas are C++, C#, ADO.Net, ASP.NET software technologies, database admin in MS SQL 2005, Windows Server 2003 and 2008 system engineering	Certificate	Varies	Young IT professionals

Languages: Not specified

Address: Kirk kiz 10 str, Tashkent, 700118, Uzbekistan

Telephone Number: +998 712 775 544

Fax Number: Not given in the web site

E-Mail: info@cppmp.uz

Web URL: <http://www.cppmp.uz>

VIET NAM

69. Vietnam Institute of Mechanics and Applied Informatics

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Vietnam Institute of Applied Informatics and Mechanics (IMAI) is research institute that focuses on new mechanical and Information Technology. IMAI builds capacity in IT and mechanical technologies in Viet Nam.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Data Analysis and Systems Design, Software Engineering	Certificate	Not specified	IT professionals and government officers
Database Tools for Analysis and Design of Information Systems	Certificate	Not specified	IT professionals and government officers
Analysis and Design of Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) Systems	Certificate	Not specified	IT professionals and government officers

Languages: Not specified

Address: 291 Dien Bien Phu, Ward 7, District 3, Ho Chi Minh City, Viet Nam

Telephone Number: +848 3930 7876

Fax Number: +848 3930 8300

E-Mail: batuyen@hcmc.netnam.vn

Web URL: <http://www.iami.ac.vn>

70. The National Academy of Public Administration

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The National Academy of Public Administration (NAPA) is an academy with campuses in Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City, Viet Nam. The academy provides undergraduate, graduate, and postgraduate education in law, administration and government management for students and public servants in the country.

NAPA is responsible for training civil servants at national level, studying and researching on public administration and administrative reform; and for the expansion of the international cooperation with other public administration training institutions

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
Informatics in Administrative Management	Certificate	Not specified	Government officers
Using Computers in Office Environment	Certificate	Not specified	Government officers

Languages: Viet Nam language

Address: Information and Technology, Center, 5th floor, 11 Floor, Building, 77, Nguyen Chi, Thanh, Ha Noi - Viet Nam

Telephone Number: +844 3773 1754

Fax Number: Not given

E-Mail: Not given

Web URL: <http://www.napa.vn>

VANUATU

71. Vanuatu Institute of Technology

Type of Organization: Government

Brief Background:

The Vanuatu Institute of Technology (VIT) is the largest provider of formal technical, vocational education and training in Vanuatu. VIT has ten teaching departments with over 80 teachers and 15 support staff. The teaching staff delivers courses in both English and French.

The courses offered are mainly certificate courses including Accounting, Office Administration, Information Technology, Tourism and Hospitality, Art, Journalism and the technical trade areas such as Carpentry and Joinery, Building Construction, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical and Automotive.

Training Areas:

Subject Area	Certificate	Duration	Intended for
General Information Technology; core modules: Introduction to Computers, Using Files and folders, Word processing, Spreadsheets, Databases, Presentation software, Internet and Email, Desktop Publishing and Accounting Software	Certificate	4 weeks	Adult learners

Languages: English and French

Address: Vanuatu Institute of Technology, PMB 9015, Port Vila, Vanuatu

Telephone Numbers: +678 22294 and +678 22295

Fax Number: +678 24825

E-Mail: intvdir@vanuatu.com.vu

Web URL: <http://www.vit.edu.vu>