TRAINING

SLE

COURSES 2015

SLE - CENTRE FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT

SLE has provided practice-oriented training to experts and management staff in the field of international development cooperation for over fifty years. Its mainstays are SLE STUDIES: a one-year post-graduate course, SLE RESEARCH & CONSUL-TATION: application-oriented research commissions in various formats as well as university cooperation with various partners, and SLE TRAINING: a capacity development unit. As part of the Humboldt University Berlin, SLE is at the cutting edge and combines first-class scientific standards with experience-driven practical approaches.

SLE TRAINING - BERLIN COURSES 2015

Our renowned short-term training courses in Berlin provide you with high quality application-oriented and experience-based training, introduce you to practical methods and tools, support your approach and reflections in processes of cooperation, integrate you into an international and inter-disciplinary group of colleagues, interlink you with pertinent organizations and encourage you with individual support. Some courses will be held parallel this year.

- **Course** 1 (July 20-31, 2015)
  Disaster Risk Management

- **Course 2** (August 3-14, 2015)
  Management of Development Projects

- **Course 3** (August 3-14, 2015)
  Green Cities for Sustainable Development

- **Course 4** (August 17-28, 2015)
  Climate Change and Sustainable Development

- **Course 5** (August 31-September 11, 2015)
  Conflict Management and Conflict Transformation

- **Course 6** (September 14-25, 2015)
  Management of Development Projects

- **Course 7** (September 14-25, 2015)
  Training of Trainers

- **Course 8** (September 28-October 9, 2015)
  Understanding, Managing and Protecting Biodiversity

- **Strategy workshop** (September 26)
  SLE TRAINING-Ambassadors

QUALIFYING FOR DEVELOPMENT COOPERATION

TARGET GROUP

SLE TRAINING for international development cooperation is directed at graduated professionals and academic staff working in this field. By selecting participants from all over the world with different sectoral, organizational and cultural backgrounds, of different genders and age groups, and with different levels of experience, it pursues the intercultural and interdisciplinary approach that is so vital to development cooperation.

TRAINING PHILOSOPHY

Participation and learning by doing are the key elements of our teaching philosophy at SLE. Case studies, presentations, discussions, exercises and role plays help to create an environment of common learning where participants can put methods taught into practice.

We work on the interpersonal dimension of practical development cooperation: human interaction, group dynamics, exchange of ideas, creation of inspirational work atmospheres, active listening to each other, learning from each other, collaboration beyond personal, professional and national/cultural backgrounds.

All courses are accompanied by a framework programme that allows participants to become familiar with current scholarly discussions in course-relevant areas of development cooperation, and to meet representatives of German governmental and non-governmental organizations active in this field.

REQUIREMENTS

A university degree, professional experience, and a good command of written and spoken English.

CO-FUNDING AND FEES

Co-funding awards are available to non-German alumni of German institutions of higher education and post-graduate holders of a German sur-place scholarship.

Fee per course: € 620 (€ 500 for co-funded participants)

APPLICATION PERIOD

From 1st March until 15th April 2015.

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