

#### The ILO Turin Centre's facilities

Located in an attractive park on the banks of the River Po, the Centre's campus provides a congenial environment in which to live and study.

 It contains 21 pavilions with fully equipped modern classrooms, conference halls and meeting rooms fitted out for multilingual simultaneous interpretation, and a computerized documentation centre linked to various data banks.

The campus has 287 study/bedrooms, all with private bathroom, telephone, free access to internet and cable television. It also has:

a reception desk open 24 hours a day;

- a restaurant, a self-service canteen and a coffee lounge, all catering for international dietary needs;
- a bank;
- a travel agency;
- a laundry service;
- a post office;
- an internet point;
- a recreation room;
- facilities for outdoor and indoor sports;
- medical service.

Social events are regularly held both on and off campus, so that participants from different cultural backgrounds can make the most of a stimulating international environment.

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## Labour Inspection of Occupational Safety and Health

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### Introduction

Labour inspection plays a core role in improving workplace compliance through their combined enforcement, consultation and education functions. Although labour inspection deals with all the issues on working conditions including working hours and extra wage, occupational safety and health (OSH) is still the most critical issue in many developing and emerging economies.

According to the global estimates of the International Labour Organization (ILO), more than two million workers lose their lives in work-related accidents and diseases every year. In addition to this human and social tragedy, the economic losses due to poor working conditions come up to more than 4% of the global GDP. The huge human suffering and the social and economic costs of work-related accidents and diseases violate workers' human rights and prevent sustainable socio-economic growth of a country.

The essential function of an inspectorate is to secure compliance with the legislation through labour inspection. However, the main function of a labour inspectorate evolves over time. The role of OSH inspection has been gradually changing as a result of the increased responsibility taken by enterprises with respect to OSH. Mechanisms for the self-assessment of occupational risks have been implemented to this end and OSH inspection concentrates more on preventative and advisory activities during inspection visits.



### **General Objective**

As a result of the training provided, participants will acquire the knowledge and skills to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of the OSH inspection in their respective countries.

#### **Specific Objectives**

At the end of the training programme, participants will be able to:

- describe various inspection structures and procedures, and the ILO principles and requirements on OSH inspection;
- describe the main issues concerning OSH;
- describe the procedures of labour inspection on key OSH issues;
- describe the main idea and procedures of risk assessment;
- explain the differences and inter-linkages between various compliance strategies;
- identify and analyse both the requirements of the OSH inspection and the specific needs of OSH inspectors in order to enhance effectiveness and efficiency;



## Participants' profile

The course aims at labour inspectors and other government officials responsible for OSH inspection, employers' and workers' organizations involved in the promotion of OSH within enterprises. The programme may also be of interest to other people from professional or industrial bodies, training institutions involved in OSH issues and, above all,

managers, supervisors and technical staff in charge of OSH within enterprises.



#### Contents

- International Labour Standards concerned with labour inspection (Conventions 81 and 129; Recommendations 81, 82 and 133) and OSH (Conventions 155 and 187).
- Concepts and principles on OSH. ILO fundamentals on OSH.

- Principles and practice of labour inspection.
- The policy of the labour inspectorate and new trends.
- Tools for the Labour Inspectorate
- Designing strategies of compliance on OSH.
- Risk assessment and OSH Management Systems.
- Participation of social partners on OSH.
- Awareness raising and promotion of safety culture.
- Technical support and services to the enterprises.
- The experiences of participating countries.



## Methodology

The methodology will be centred on the participants and the learning process, with the support of facilitators. The training methodology will use active methods for learning, making use of the knowledge and the experience of participants, promoting a permanent communication among participants, through group work and discussions that will facilitate their own total integration and participation in the course activities.

The teaching team will be selected according to its professional experience and knowledge about the subjects. This particular teaching team will be made up of Labour Inspection experts belonging to the ILO and Inspectorates of the EU countries.

Participants will also be presented with pertinent documentation as a follow-up to the presentations in order to expand the knowledge about the topics.

A permanent monitoring of the learning process will be conducted throughout the training by the course coordinator. At the beginning of the course, pre-course assessment questionnaire will be used to evaluate the baseline knowledge, and at the end of the course, an end-of-course assessment questionnaire will be used to evaluate

the achievements and allow participants to express their views about the training experience.



# Participation cost and applications

The cost of participation, excluding international air travel, is **EURO 3,625** (course fees EURO 2,275 and participant subsistence EURO 1,350) payable in advance by the participant or his/her sponsoring organization. This covers: tuition fees; the use of training facilities and support services; training materials and books; accommodation and full board at the Centre's campus; and emergency medical care and insurance.

Applications to participate in the course should be done "on line" in the following webpage:

http://intranetp.itcilo.org/STF/A9010333/en

#### no later than 17 February 2017.

The filled-in application form should be accompanied by a nomination letter from the sponsoring institution indicating how the participant will be financed.

The payment, cancellation and refunds policy of the ITCILO can be consulted in the following website:

http://www.itcilo.org/en/training-offer/how-to-apply