



Capacity development webinar

Strengthening capacities, mindsets, and competencies of public institutions to build the next generation of public servants in the Arab Region

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Launch of the Curriculum on Governance for the SDGs

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Monday, 29 November 2021

**4:00 PM- 6:00 PM (Beirut Time)
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM (EDT time)**

Via Microsoft Teams

AGENDA	
9:00 – 9:10 AM	<p>Opening</p> <p>Moderator: Ms. Aya Hassam, Project Coordinator, Arab Administrative Development Organization (ARADO)</p> <p>Opening Remarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Adriana Alberti, Chief Program Management and Capacity Development Unit (PMCDU), UN DESA/DPIDG • Mr. Youness Abouyoub, Chief, Governance and State-Building, UN ESCWA • Mr. Hassan Diaab, Head of Strategic and Quality Management Unit, ARADO- League of Arab States.
9:10 – 9:12 AM	Video Curriculum on Governance for the Sustainable Development Goals
9:12 – 9:20 AM	<p>Overview Introduction of the Curriculum</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Adriana Alberti, Chief, PMCDU, UN DESA/DPIDG • Mr. Bokyun Shim, Head of UN Project Office on Governance (UNPOG), UN DESA/DPIDG

9:20 – 9:40 AM	<p>Brief Journey through the Toolkits</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Toolkit on Risk-informed Governance and Innovative Technology for Disaster Risk Reduction and Resilience presented by Mr. Samuel Danaa, Associate Capacity Development Expert (UNPOG/DPIDG/UNDESA) • Toolkit on Government Innovation for Social Inclusion of Vulnerable Groups presented by Ms. Mi Kyoung Park, Governance and Public Administration Officer, UN DESA/DPIDG/UNPOG • Toolkit on Effective National to Local Public Governance for SDG Implementation, presented by Mr. Prabin Maharjan, Associate Research and Policy Analysis Expert, UN DESA/DPIDG/UNPOG - Toolkit on Strengthening Institutional Arrangements and Governance Capacities for Policy Coherence, presented by Ms. Veronique Verbruggen, Senior Interregional Advisor on Governance and Institution Building, UN DESA/DPIDG • Toolkit on Changing Mindsets in Public Institutions to Implement the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, presented by Ms. Stefania Senese, Programme Management Officer, PMCDU, UN DESA/DPIDG • Toolkit on Transparency, Accountability and Ethics in Public Institutions, presented by Ms. Anni Haataja, Governance and Public Administration Officer, PMCDU, UN DESA/DPIDG • Toolkit on Innovation and Digital Government for Public Service Delivery, presented by Ms. Stefania Senese, Programme Management Officer, PMCDU, UN DESA/DPIDG
9:40 – 9:45 AM	<p>Towards a Common Arab Regional Job Competencies Framework for Senior Public Servants within the Context of Agenda 2030 and Public Policy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Karam Karam, Regional Advisor on Governance, Peacebuilding and Transition, UN ESCWA
9:45 – 10:45 AM	<p>Round-table Discussion facilitated by Mr. Karam Karam</p> <p>(a) How has your institution mainstreamed the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in your current offerings?</p> <p>(b) How can the Curriculum Toolkits support your efforts to further mainstream the SDGs in your offerings?</p>
10:45 – 11:00 AM	<p>Closing</p> <p>Summary and Way Forward</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Youness Abouyoub, Chief, Governance and State-Building, UN ESCWA • Ms. Veronique Verbruggen, Senior Interregional Advisor on Governance and Institution Building, UN DESA/DPIDG • Mr. Hassan Diaab, Head of Strategic and Quality Management Unit, ARADO