WGEO Executive Training on Green Economy in the Context of the Sustainable Development

Overview

WGEO has created a unique and highly interactive executive training programme with the purpose of leading the foundational work of developing a green economy infrastructure to facilitate action on the ground. The WGEO Executive Training entitled “Green Economy in the Context of Sustainable Development” aims to equip participants with a sound understanding of the key principles, dimensions, and trends in the process of transition to a green economy at national, regional and global levels. Participants will additionally become familiar with the tools and methods to catalyze proactive green action. Participants will also be able to effectively apply the knowledge they have acquired towards advancing the green economy agenda and implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals on the ground through sharing practices and exploring ways to enhance political, economic, social, financial and technical collaboration in the field of green economy and mobilizing relevant partnerships.

Target Audience

The Executive Training Course on Green Economy is targeted at executives and decision makers representing national governments, international organizations, private sector, financial institutions as well as civil society organizations, including mass media. The course is designed to provide executives and decision makers with an opportunity to re-acquaint or familiarize themselves with core principles, dimensions, trends, tools and methodologies in scaling up the transition to a green economy model.

Modules

- Module “GI” Green Investment Promotion
- Module “RE” Resource Efficiency In The Context of SDGs
- Module “GS” Green & Smart Cities: Planning for a Sustainable Urban Future
- Module “FI” Fostering Green Innovation
- Module “CD” Capacity Development For National-level Green Action to achieve SDGs
- Module “LE” Foundations For Policy & Regulatory Frameworks for Green Economy

Expected Outcome

Upon successful completion of the Executive Training Course on Green Economy, participants will:

- Understand the foundational principles, dimensions and trends in the transition to a green economy in the context of the 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda;
- Be familiar with the most recent tools and methods in transitioning to a green economy including application of relevant financial instruments.
- Be able to effectively apply the knowledge acquired in advancing the green economy agenda and implementation of the 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda in their respective countries.
- Understanding the various elements of SDGs including financing for development.

Get Involved

The program offers several opportunities for collaborative action, interested members can contribute in several ways:

- Support content development, including online courses
- Support the hosting and management of the platform for online courses
- Support the delivery of courses and other activities
- Volunteer time to mentor selected participants

Certification Statistics (2019)

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