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PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS

- The Programme reached over **10,000 users**. The on-line platform is being used in 184 countries.

- In May, the Programme **launched its Facebook page**.

- eLearning training delivered in **LAO PDR, Myanmar and Viet Nam** for Border Liaison Officers under the Partnership Against Transnational crime through Regional Organized Law Enforcement (PATROL).

- The Programme cooperates with other UNODC Programmes and Member States to deliver training in **Cambodia, Egypt, Tonga and the Cook Islands**.

- The Royal Thai Police through the Police Educational Bureau trained **600 police officers using UNODC eLearning content** in 2015.

- The Programme participated in the **20th Interpol Symposium and 2nd UNODC LE Train Net in Singapore**.

- **Programme’s extension was approved until 2020** during the Inter Divisional Task Team Meeting.

- eLearning products were exposed and visitors registered off-line during the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice (CCPCJ).

“**KNOWLEDGE IS THE KEY TO SUSTAINING THE FIGHT AGAINST DRUGS, CRIME AND TERRORISM**”

Yury Fedotov, Executive Director (UNODC)

**UNODC eLearning in numbers May-June 2016**

- 12,169 users (9,650 online and 2,519 offline)
- 341 training modules
- 25 courses in 12 different languages
- 75,000 hours of eLearning training delivered
- 181 countries are covered by the Programme
- 14 operational Mobile Training Units
- 32,100 access to the eLearning webpage
- 8 eLearning Centres
- 285 social media communications

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10,000 users in 184 countries

Over 10,000 are now received eLearning training through the programme’s various delivery platforms. This number was reached in May 2016 and 2,000 new users have since been registered and received eLearning training in 184 countries.

Tonga: Two eLearning trainings delivered

Alongside with the Global Programme against Money-Laundering, two trainings have been delivered in Tonga. On 2 May, 9 Tonga police officers were trained through UNODC eLearning contents. On the second training, on 13 May, 18 police officers received training with UNODC eLearning modules on the topics covering UNODC mandate.

Myanmar: Three eLearning trainings delivered

The Border Management Team of the Partnership Against Transnational Crime through Regional Organized Law Enforcement (PATROL) delivered capacity-building training in Kawthaung, Tachileik and Myawaddy, in Myanmar. UNODC eLearning contents and tablets were used during the 3 training in May. A total of 36 police officers received access to the UNODC eLearning contents in Burmese and English. The trainings focused on drug organisations, human trafficking, smuggling of migrants, wildlife crime, land border interdiction and container profiling and examination.

Malaysia: AML eLearning course

In May 2016, the Global Programme against Money Laundering, Proceeds of Crime and the Financing of Terrorism (GPML) received an official request from the Financial Intelligence Unit (FIU) of Malaysia to have staff members registered for the Anti Money Laundering (AML) eLearning course. A total of 90 staff members were provided access to the AML course. It is expected to have around 300 new users per year.

Crime Commission

During the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, the Programme had an exhibition booth with a tablet, a cell phone, a computer and a Mobile Training Unit. They register off-line and on-line and give the platform a try-out. Visitors were able to receive additional information about the programme and do an on-site test.

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eLearning Facebook Launch

The Programme launched its Facebook page (UNODC Global eLearning Programme) to reach users and enhance opportunities to get in touch with the eLearning team and the latest news.
Programme Extension until 2020

During the Inter Divisional Task Team Meeting on 1 June 2016, the participants recommended the extension of the Programme until December 2020 to ensure a stable and progressive delivery. It was confirmed that the Programme is a strategic “Corporate Service” for delivering UNODC capacity building. Other sections and Programmes mentioned the good cooperation that exists between them and the Global eLearning Programme. An emphasis on the positive outcomes of eLearning training as a complement to human training has been highlighted and recognized.

UNODC at the 20th Interpol Symposium in Singapore and 2nd UNODC LE Train Net Meeting

The UNODC Global eLearning Programme participated in the 20th INTERPOL Police Training Symposium and the 2nd UNODC LE Train Net meeting held in Singapore from 21-24 June 2016. The Programme gave an update to the participants on the status of the Programme. Additionally, the Programme held meetings and discussions with other eLearning practitioners/experts/officials on ways to collaborate and share platforms, expertise and users to the mutual benefit of all.

Cook Islands: AML training delivered

On 4 June, the Global Programme against Money-Laundering, Proceeds of Crime and the Financing of Terrorism conducted a training with eLearning content for 37 participants from the Cook Islands. 54% of the trainees were female. The eLearning Programme and the AML Programme cooperates in order to deliver standardized UNODC eLearning capacity-building worldwide.

Cambodia: eLearning training delivered

On 20-21 June, 24 participants received eLearning training during a DATA Collection Workshop managed by the Border Management Team of the Partnership Against Transnational Crime through Regional Organized Law Enforcement (PATROL) in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. The eLearning modules were available in English and Khmer and covered a wide range of topics such as drug organisations, human trafficking and smuggling of migrants.

Egypt: eLearning course in Arabic

The programme has started to register participants for the Anti-Corruption eLearning course in Egypt in Arabic.
Thailand: eLearning trainings for Police Officer

Royal Thai Police adopted UNODC eLearning in order to train new police cadets and frontline officers. In 2015, 600 officers were trained in the southern provinces of Thailand focusing on government identified emergencies such as human rights, human trafficking and smuggling of migrants. In 2016, training is being delivered throughout the country and its borders. A total of 600 police officers are in training with the mentioned modules and also on issues concerning drugs and crime.

Thailand: Narcotics Office Meeting with ONCB

The Office of the Narcotics Control Board of Thailand (ONCB) met with the Global eLearning Programme to discuss capacity-building strategies for their officers.

9th Training for Trainers and Course Managers

On 4-5 July, the Programme will host the 9th Training for Trainers and Course Managers at the UNODC headquarters in Vienna, Austria. UNODC staff are welcome to participate in order to learn more about production, delivery and management of the eLearning Programme.

Anti-Corruption in French and Spanish

Two modules, part of the Anti-Corruption Course, will be localized in French and Spanish. They will be available on the online platform. The first module is a brief introduction to the United Nations Convention Against Corruption. The second module explores how, as the only globally comprehensive and legally binding anti-corruption instrument, the Convention can act as a framework for the fight against corruption across the globe.
The eLearning Programme has the ability to create multi-stakeholder partnerships with other United Nations agencies, Member State regulatory bodies, national judiciary and national law enforcement agencies, academia and the public. Through these partnerships, it promotes the rule of law, justice, peace and security, human development and human rights. The Programme contributes to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by promoting a global community and enhancing global partnership in multiple goals.

Resulting from the use of Internet technology, the Programme is uniquely positioned to promote effective knowledge management, as well as, vertical and horizontal integration across the United Nations system in terms of sharing and using capacity building digital contents. By delivering on a single platform, the programme works across the three United Nations pillars (human rights, peace and security and development) and helps to diminish the gaps between them.

SDG 17 “Partnership for the goals” is the principal goal addressed by the Global eLearning Programme. Additionally, the Programme has the capacity to work across all the goals and in particular with goal 3,4,5,8,10,15 and 16. By cooperating with other United Nations agencies, who are themselves promoting specific SDGs, the Programme is able to contribute to all other goals and ensure the unification and consolidation of UN pillars.