Computer-Based Training Unit
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Since 1997, UNODC has developed 100 hours of computer-based training. The training is designed to build the capacity of law enforcement officers to prevent and combat drugs and transnational organized crime. Subjects include interdiction techniques for sea, air and land border crossings; search techniques; drugs identification and testing, controlled delivery; risk management; anti-money-laundering, intelligence and human trafficking.

In early 2000, countries in South-East Asia became the first beneficiaries of the computer-based training programme. The success in the region generated worldwide interest and in 2004, the computer-based training initiative became a worldwide project. The demand for CBT exceeded all expectations and the project won the UNEP Award in 2007. CBT has now been established across Asia, the Pacific, Africa, Eastern Europe and South America.

UNODC computer-based training programme is available in 300 established training sites worldwide in 18 languages.

Producing Results

Seizures made by law enforcement authorities who have taken UNODC Computer-Based Training course in Asia

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Our Objective:
“To provide overall quality support and assurance to the process of computer-based training delivery in partner countries, including support for training needs analysis, curriculum review, course development and integration and as well the overall maintenance of quality standards necessary to ensure long term value and sustainability”

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Managed Training Environment

UNODC computer-based training programme is delivered in a managed training environment. In established training sites, training is delivered under constant supervision from dedicated Training Managers.

The overall training programme is managed by a Learning Management System (LMS). The LMS records the name and location of each student, the courses taken, courses completed and the results of the pre and post-test scores. This provides management with essential evaluation data.

Key Strengths

- Sustainable: local agencies manage and ‘own’ the training
- International best practice
- Standardized: the same training course is delivered to all students
- Tailored: the training is tailored to the needs and context of the target audience
- Cost-effective: CBT courses are cheaper than traditional classroom training
- Interactive: students are engaged to answer and participate in exercises
- Available 24 hours
- Flexible: students can schedule the training according to their own availability