

eLearning Newsletter

Newsletter on the UNODC Global eLearning Programme (GLOU61)
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June 2015—Male (Maldives) New UNODC eLearning Training Centre

What's new on UNODC eLearning

The UNODC Global eLearning Programme is designed to offer on-demand capacity building to stakeholders around the globe on contents related to UNODC staff. The tailored training courses are developed by UNODC in collaboration with international experts and correspond directly to needs of Member States. They are comprised of subjects including Human Rights, HIV/AIDS, Drugs and Transnational Crime, Smuggling of Migrants, Human Trafficking, Border Control, Wildlife Crime, Forensics and Intelligence. As of July 2015, 20 courses have been delivered by the UNODC, including a total of 222 modules in 11 languages. In July 2015, GLOU61 delivered services, software, hundreds of eLearning modules in localised languages and English, updated hardware, platforms, transformed 2 CBT centres into full eLearning centres in Sri Lanka, trained more than 35 officials from Sri Lanka, Thailand, China, Cambodia, Vietnam, Myanmar, Lao, Indonesia and Timor Leste, as well as organised the Programme Steering Committee and facilitated the Independent Evaluation of the project. For more information please contact eLearning@unodc.org or visit www.unodc.org/elearning.

What is eLearning?

eLearning is the use of electronic educational technology in learning and teaching. The term “eLearning” was coined in 1999, during a computer-based seminar in Los Angeles. The term is now commonly utilised to describe the use of online, personalised, interactive or virtual education as well as a method of providing distance learning services.

eLearning enables countries, as well as private and international organizations, to disseminate information and provide customised knowledge as tool for capacity building and optimizing resources,

UNODC Global eLearning Platform

This month the Global eLearning Platform has reached over 2000 users!

UNODC eLearning Website

In June 2015, the UNODC eLearning webpage www.unodc.org/elearning reached over **10,000** visitors. Such increased interest in Global eLearning is a primary reward for our commitment together to deliver knowledge.



Timor Leste Police Force attending training at CBT Police Academy

eLearning Delivery News

May: Cybercrime Repository database now included in the eLearning Cybercrime Course

The UNODC launched the cybercrime repository including three databases: a Case Law, Cybercrime Legislation and a Lessons Learned database. In joint association with the Cybercrime and Emerging Crime section, the Global eLearning Programme has integrated the cybercrime repository website (<http://cybrepo.unodc.org>) into the Cybercrime course available on the platform, thereby enhancing learner's knowledge.



June: eLearning Training Centre established in the Maldives

The UNODC Regional Office in India, together with the Global eLearning Programme delivered to the Maldives Customs Service a Mobile eLearning Centre in Male. The training centre represents the 39th eLearning centre in South Asia and boasts the advantage of enabling access to training material without the need for internet access. Moreover, 32 localised modules have been produced in Sinhala as well as the module on 'Smuggling of Migrants' in 8 localised languages. For more information on this event on: <http://www.customs.gov.mv/NewsDetails/359>



ELEARNING COURSES

The UNODC Global eLearning Programme offers **222 training modules** delivered through **20 courses in English, Thai** (11 modules), **Sinhala** (32 modules), **Bahasa** (7 modules), **Spanish** (3 modules), **Burmese** (4 modules), **Khmer** (3 modules), **Chinese** (3 modules), **Lao** (3 modules), **Vietnamese** (7 modules) and **French** (1 module). The platform offers **64 modules** thus far translated into the above languages. In addition, the Online platform offers free courses on Human Rights and HIV/AIDS to all initial users as well as UNODC staff members.



Maldives, Cadets using eLearning

July: Global eLearning Programme evaluation

The GLOU61 Programme has commenced an Independent Evaluation of the project, which will be presented at the FinGov in September 2015. The evaluation allows the GLOU61 to collect Information on the progress of the project and pave the ground for improvement in the future. Furthermore, the evaluation allowed the eLearning team to illustrate tangible progress to our counterparts and donor states.



Project Advisory Committee (PAC)/ Steering Committee Meeting in Bangkok

The GLOU61 programme carried out the second Project Steering Committee (PSC)/ Project Advisory Committee (PAC) in Bangkok at the UNODC Regional Office for Southeast Asia in Bangkok and the Pacific. National Focal Points of Cambodia, China, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Thailand, Vietnam and Timor Leste attended the meeting and were provided their views on the delivery of eLearning to their countries.



Kalutara Police Academy (KPA) in Sri Lanka launch eLearning training in Sinhala

KPA launched eLearning training in Kalutara, accompanied by a second technical Training for Trainers workshop. Since the delivery of 86 new modules in Sinhala and English to the eLearning centre at the KPA, 15 cadets have started learning through this innovative means. Moreover, further courses are planned for the upcoming months. The head of the training centre reported high level of satisfaction on quality and content of the modules. Due to this success, more students are tasked to attend eLearning training in the following weeks.



eLearning centre in Sri Lanka



National Dangerous Drugs Control Bureau (NDDCB) in Sri Lanka

The NDDCB CBT Centre in Sri Lanka has now been converted into an eLearning centre and is now equipped with 32 modules in Sinhala and 86 Modules in English.

Delivery of new modules and Train-the-Trainers workshop in Bangkok

The GLOU61 delivered new modules on Smuggling of Migrants, Human Trafficking and Wildlife Crime translated into Khmer, Mandarin, Bahasa, Lao, Burmese, Thai and Vietnamese. Moreover, a Train-the-Trainers workshop and update of the current Mobile Training Units was conducted for the countries of the Greater Mekong Sub-region and Indonesia.

During this training, national focal persons were introduced to new features of the learning management system and taught how to deliver the courses to their front line officers in their countries. These courses are expected to be delivered to national officers upon return of the respective offices.

eLearning Platform now accessed by more than 2000 users

The Global eLearning platform is now accessed by over 2000 users. Please use the following link to register for access: <https://golearn.unodc.org/olat/dmz/>



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