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Registration information

Plenipotentiary 2026 - capacity development programme for women and young delegates

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Training details

Modality: Online instructor led
Dates: *28 Sep 2026 - 19 Oct 2026*
Training fees: $0.00
Language: Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian, Spanish
Application deadline: 19 Oct 2026
Training code: 26OI500585MUL-E-D
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Training description

This live, instructor-led online programme prepares women and young delegates for meaningful participation in the 2026 ITU Plenipotentiary Conference (PP-26), taking place in Doha, Qatar, from 9 to 27 November 2026. Each regional cohort follows two complementary components: a practical session and simulation, on international negotiation and leadership skills, followed by a two-hour networking and mentoring session. The same selected participants attend to both components.

Through expert facilitation, interactive exercises, group work and two PP-26 negotiation simulations, participants will develop their capacity for consensus-building, coalition-building and meeting management, as well as for effective engagement in formal and informal multilateral settings.

The follow-up networking and mentoring session will enable them to exchange with experienced PP delegates, apply their learning to realistic situations, and build peer-support connections before and during PP-26.

For more information about the training objectives, target population, entry requirements, methodology, evaluation and content, consult the page here.

How to apply

In order to register for the training, applicants should:

1. Create an ITU Academy account here
2. Apply for the course here
3. The selection of participants for the course will be made by the course coordinators, based on the course's entry requirements, selection criteria and available number of seats. If selected, you will receive a notification by email.

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