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Public policy for sustainable school connectivity

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Training details

Modality: Face to Face
Location: Zurich, Switzerland
Dates: *25 Jan 2027 - 29 Jan 2027*
Training fees: $0.00
Language: English

Application deadline: 06 Dec 2026
Training code: 27WS500612MUL-E-D
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Training description

Connecting schools to the Internet requires more than technology: public policy must also link connectivity to intended educational outcomes. This course equips government officials with the tools to diagnose connectivity problems, assess the case for public intervention and choose, implement and adapt policy responses. Participants will compare operating and delivery models through ex ante analysis of impacts, trade-offs, affordability and sustainability, and use ex post assessment to inform adaptation. Their analysis will consider risk, uncertainty and feasibility to support safe, inclusive, affordable, and fit-for-purpose connectivity.

Working on their country's policy challenge throughout the training course, participants will build an integrated school connectivity policy brief linking evidence, preferred responses, implementation, and evaluation requirements. They will connect their theory of change and intended outcomes to data sources and feasible evaluation methods, and leave with a concise policy document addressing implementation, monitoring, review and adaptation.

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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