Advanced Training Course on Monitoring Economic, Social and Cultural Rights

GENEVA 5-9 MAY 2014

We have the pleasure and honour to bring to your attention an Advanced Training on Monitoring Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (ESCR) which will take place in Geneva, Switzerland from 5-9 May 2014.

The training will cover topics regarding the tools to monitor ESCR, including indicators, human rights impact assessments, budget analysis, identification of violations of ESCR, and strategic litigation for ESCR. The organizers will also arrange sessions on the international mechanisms mandated to monitor the implementation of ESCR with a particular focus on the United Nations system, namely the UN Human Rights Council, UN Special Procedures and the UN Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights. A visit to the UN Committee on ESCR will be organized. There will also be a focus on building strategic advocacy policies integrating mechanisms developed in the realm of the UN system for human rights protection.

The training course is taught by members of academia and senior professionals from international organizations and non-profits. In past years we have had lecturers from different institutions, including the Geneva Academy, University of Essex, University of Nottingham, Office of the UN High Commissioner of Human Rights, World Health Organization, UNAIDS, the International Commission of Jurists, The International Federation of Human Rights, and FIAN International.

Deadlines

- 10th February 2014 for applicants requiring visa for Switzerland
- 20th February 2014 for applicants not requiring visa for Switzerland

Further information and application

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