

International Development Approaches to Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E): Applications by Geneva International Agencies (advanced-module 2)

Target participants

This course is intended for participants who have already acquired theoretical knowledge of M&E and who want to gain deeper practical experience of M&E. It is also intended for participants who want to continue their careers in M&E areas of work. Main target participants are: (i) PhD students from Geneva University or other Universities with certain level of M&E knowledge and (ii) professionals from: UN agencies, International Organizations, NGOs, Private corporations who have already acquired theoretical knowledge of M&E and who need to manage M&E functions in their projects and programmes.

Course objectives

The aim of 1.5-day advanced M&E module is to build deeper and practical participant's knowledge of M&E technics and tools through the discussion, participatory exercises and case studies from international development practice.

Course description

This face to face 1.5-day M&E training course offers the opportunity for all participants to gain advanced knowledge of M&E applications and tools through tailored case studies and analysis. The course shows current challenges, solutions and opportunities in M&E area of work that the international development community is facing during the implementation of programmes.

By the end of the training, participants will gain deep practical experience to

- Decide what and how to monitor
- Use logical framework structure and develop indicators
- Use appropriate data collection methods and tools
- Utilize principles and steps in data analysis
- Define the steps to conduct evaluation process
- Understand current challenges with M&E in international development

Preliminary schedule

Prior to attending the M&E training course the participants will be required to do a pre-course reading and conduct short pre-course case study. The case study should specify practical work-related M&E tasks or challenges that participants would like to work on and discuss during the course. The instruction for the case study and pre-read materials will be sent to participants 10 days prior the course.

3 Day (12th of April)

Time	Topic
14.00 - 14.30	Revision of day 2
14.30 - 16.30	Log frame model and indicators - Case study 1
16.30 - 16.45	Coffee break
16.45 - 18.00	Collections and analysis of data - Case study 2

4 Day (13th of April)

Time	Topic
8.30 - 9.00	Revision of day 3
9.00 - 11.00	M&E application and tool - Case study 3
11.00 - 11.15	Coffee break
11.15 - 13.00	Advanced Quantitative and Qualitative analysis - Case study 4
13.00 - 14.00	Lunch
14.00 - 15.00	Programme Evaluation
15.00 - 15.15	Coffee break
15.15 - 17.15	Programme Evaluation - Case study 5
17.15 - 18.00	Evaluation challenges - Guest Speaker
18.00 - 18.30	Discussion