

#### RULES AND REGULATION

- Participants shall conduct themselves at all times in a manner compatible with their responsibilities as MTCP participants and abide by the laws, rules and regulations, as may be stipulated by the host government in respect of this training course.
- Participants should be appropriately dressed during the conduct of the programme.

#### INCOMPLETE OR UNENDORSED FORMS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED

#### APPLICATION CLOSING DATE

20 July 2023

#### COURSE COORDINATORS

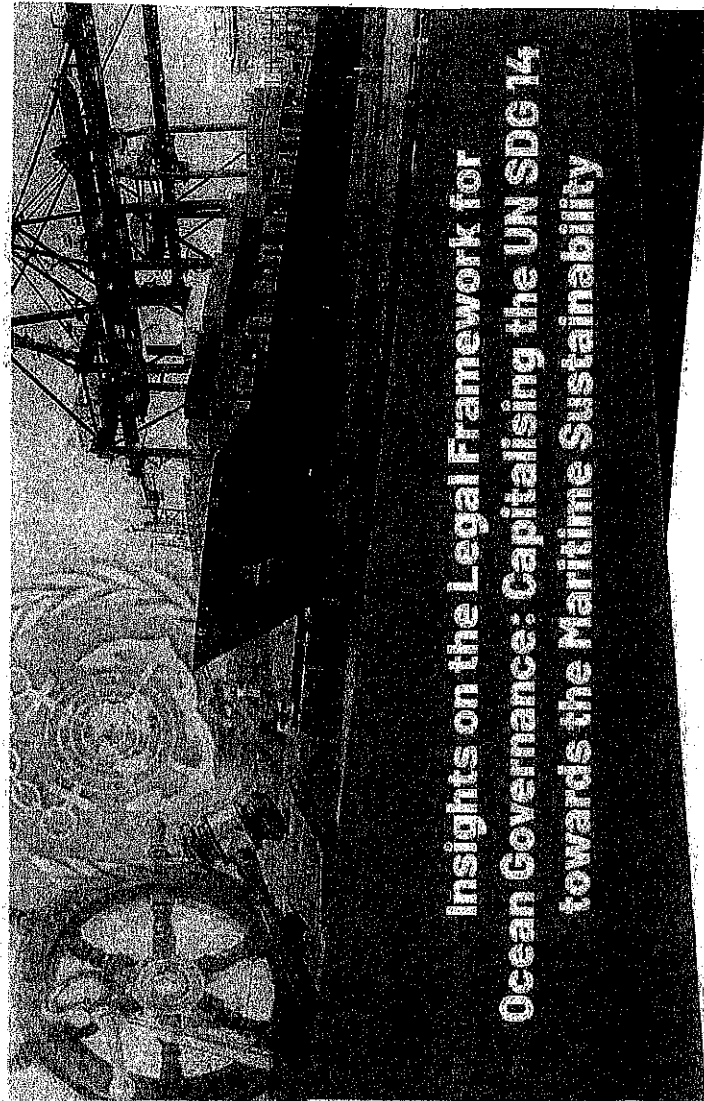
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## MALAYSIAN TECHNICAL COOPERATION PROGRAMME (MTCP) 2023



Insights on the Legal Framework for  
Ocean Governance: Capitalising the UN SDG 14  
towards the Maritime Sustainability

21-25 August 2023  
2 PM - 6 PM GMT+8

Organised by:



Closing Date of Application:  
20 July 2023

## ABOUT MITCP

The Malaysian Technical Cooperation Programme (MITCP) was officially launched on 7 September 1980 at the Commonwealth Heads of State Meeting in New Delhi, India, to signify Malaysia's commitment to South-South Cooperation, in particular, the Technical Cooperation among Developing Countries (TCDC).

The MITCP emphasizes on the development of human resources through the provision of training in various areas which are essential for a country's development, such as agriculture, economy, finance, public management and administration, science and technology and ICT, health, diplomacy, safety and security, including cyber security, cultural, diplomacy, social development, environment-related to SDG2030, education, industrial and technical training. As of 31st December 2022, 37,065 participants from 124 recipient countries have benefited from the various programmes offered under the MITCP.

For more information, refer to the MITCP website [www.mitcp.kln.gov.my](http://www.mitcp.kln.gov.my) and the MITCP Official Facebook Page <https://www.facebook.com/MITCPMalaysia>.

## OBJECTIVES OF THE MITCP

- To share the development experience with other developing countries;
- To strengthen bilateral relations between Malaysia and other developing countries;
- To promote South-South Cooperation (SSC); and
- To promote Technical Cooperation among Developing Countries (TCDC).

## ABOUT MIMA

The Maritime Institute of Malaysia (MIMA) is a policy research institute established in 1993 by the government to study issues related to Malaysia's interests at sea and serve as a national focal point for maritime research. MIMA assists government agencies by providing expertise in national maritime policy planning and implementation through advisory and consultative services besides promoting the free exchange of ideas on maritime matters. MIMA's network is extensive and its collaboration with specialists worldwide contributes significantly to promoting maritime affairs. MIMA's policy research is conducted through its five centres. For detailed information, please visit our website: <http://www.mima.gov.my>.

## COURSE BACKGROUND

This training course is proposed as part of the Malaysian Technical Cooperation Programme (MITCP) platform, to enable Malaysia to share its development experiences and expertise with a number of developing countries through the MITCP. In line with the spirit of South-South Cooperation, specifically Technical Cooperation among Developing Countries (TCDC), specifically from the context of maritime industry. Since 2010, MIMA has been conducting MITCP training courses for officials from Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar, and Thailand in the areas of ports and shipping, international trading, maritime law, principles of the shipping and trading industry, port development and administration, shipping traffic management, and maritime non-traditional security.

Nevertheless, the COVID-19 outbreak has caused a huge impact on people's lives, families, and communities. As the international response continues to develop, organisations are operating in uncharted waters. Critical information on the characteristics of this new virus and its impacts on global business activities are difficult to assess and are changing overnight. The United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (UN SDGs) are even more relevant today than ever before as they aim to transform the systems that underpin well-being and perpetuate vulnerabilities. The global societal and economic impact of COVID-19 outbreak has shown the need to assess, plan, and prepare for potential future changes. These insights are particularly important for the ocean sciences community because of the global connectivity of the ocean and its crucial role in the Earth's climate system and in supporting all life on Earth.

For more sustainable ocean governance, it is important that legislative and regulatory frameworks are developed in a consistent way and are informed by international and regional legal obligations. Cooperation between international (e.g. United Nations Convention for the Law of the Sea - UNCLOS) and regional agreements need to be fostered through the use of various discussions and mechanisms. Thus, in light with the new hopes for the oceans and the urgency on ocean governance, MIMA is organising a

new MITCP Programme titled "Insights on the Legal Framework for Ocean Governance: Capitalising the UN SDG 14 towards Maritime Sustainability", parallel with the 12th Malaysia Plan, namely Policy Enabler 3: Enhancing Connectivity and Transport Infrastructure, particularly Priority Area C: Strengthening Institutional and Regulatory Framework. The key areas will be fulfilled through this 2023 training course, namely good governance, environment, safety and security, as well as technology.

## COURSE CONTENT

The 6-day virtual course includes:

- Introduction to Ocean Governance and UN SDG;
- Development of Regulatory Framework for Maritime Sustainability;
- Strengthening Ocean Governance towards Climate Resilience;
- The Ocean Governance regime and Law of the Sea;
- Ocean Governance and UN SDG 14.

## COURSE OBJECTIVES

- Enhancing knowledge and understanding of the developed legal frameworks and action taken in the maritime sector by the Malaysian government;
- Identifying the challenges in formulating and implementing a comprehensive legal framework in the aspects of climate change, marine pollution, IUU fishing, marine technology, maritime security and the Law of the Sea;
- Assessing the best practices of the respective countries on formulating maritime legal framework and policies;
- Formulating strategic action plans to enhance legal frameworks that are aligned with the respective countries' policies and agenda.

## COURSE METHODOLOGY

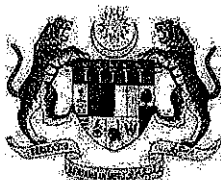
This training is conducted based on established modules in reference to effective legal framework and enforcement implementation. The course includes a combination of lectures, tutorials, case studies, group discussions, presentations, and evaluation, and is fully conducted in English. This training is conducted online; therefore, participants must have a good and stable internet connection.

## ELIGIBILITY

- Senior and middle-level officials or industrial practitioners from maritime industry or related agencies responsible in the relevant ministries, departments, and organisations;
- Working directly in the maritime industry operation and management;
- Age between 25-45 years old;
- Open to all;
- Have fluency and working proficiency in English.

## APPLICATION GUIDELINES

- The course fees are fully sponsored by the Government of Malaysia;
- Applications should be made using the prescribed MITCP forms available at [https://mitcp.kln.gov.my/mitcpforms/MITCP2023\\_APPLICATION\\_FORM\\_ONLINE\\_COURSE.pdf](https://mitcp.kln.gov.my/mitcpforms/MITCP2023_APPLICATION_FORM_ONLINE_COURSE.pdf);
- MITCP application forms can also be obtained from the nearest Malaysian Embassy/High Commission in recipient countries;
- All application forms must be duly completed and endorsed by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or National Focal/Aid Coordinator Agency in the respective countries and submitted ONLY through the diplomatic channel via the Embassy/High Commission of Malaysia;
- The Training Institute via email;
- Only successful applicants will receive the Official Invitation notification one (1) week from the course date, by the Training Institute via email.



## MALAYSIAN TECHNICAL COOPERATION PROGRAMME (MTCP)

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APPLICATION FORM (ONLINE) 2023

## FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

Please type in capital letters using only English Language.  
Do not leave any space blank. Use "NIL" or "N/A" where  
applicable

Reference no : \_\_\_\_\_  
Received : \_\_\_\_\_  
Checked : \_\_\_\_\_  
Recommendation:  
by Mission ☐ YES  
☐ NO

Title of Course:	Date of Course:
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## 1. PERSONAL DETAILS

Family Name (surname):	Date of birth:
	Day   Month   Year
First Name:	Citizenship:
Other Names:	Gender:
City and country of birth:	Marital status:
Passport No.: Type of Passport: (Diplomatic/Official/Regular) Expiry Date:	Religion:

## 2. CONTACT DETAILS

Mailing Address:	Office Address:
Mobile:	Home:
Country   Area   Number	Country   Area   Number
Office:	Fax:
Country   Area   Number	Country   Area   Number
Email:	
Person to be contacted in case of emergency:	
Family Name: Relation: Mobile Number: Address: Email:	Office Name: Position: Mobile Number: Address: Email:

NOTE: This application form should be duly completed and endorsed by the national focal point for technical cooperation in your country. Forms that are incomplete or not endorsed will not be accepted.

### 3. EDUCATION

Name of institution and place of study	Major/Field of study	Years	Degree

### 4. EMPLOYMENT RECORD

A. Present or most recent post	B. Previous post
Employer:	Employer:
Years of service (from – to):	Years of service (from – to):
Title of your post/position:	Title of your post/position:
Type of organization: Government / Semi Government / Private / NGO	Type of organization: Government / Semi Government / Private / NGO

Please describe briefly your work including your responsibility.

\*Please continue on supplementary pages if necessary

### 5. REASONS FOR APPLYING THIS COURSE

Have you participated in any training programme in Malaysia before? YES/NO

Name of Programme:

Organizer:

Year:

Have you participated in any MTCP training programme in Malaysia before? YES/NO

Name of Course:

Name of Training Institute:

Year:

Please state briefly the reasons for applying to this course and how you hope to benefit from the course.

### 6. ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

	Excellent	Good	Fair	Basic	Remarks
Listening					
Speaking					
Writing					
Reading					

Mother tongue : \_\_\_\_\_

**7. APPLICANT'S DECLARATION**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of applicant Representing Country

Declare that:

- a) All information provided is true, complete and accurate to the best of my belief and knowledge, and that I have not willfully suppressed any material facts;
- b) I am medically fit and free from any medical problems which may impair my ability to attend and complete the training; and
- c) I grant my portrait right license to MTCP, which is to allow MTCP to shoot photographs and/or videos of my participation to the MTCP and utilize them for the public relation materials of MTCP where and when necessary.

Upon successful selection for the training award, I undertake to:

- a) carry out instructions and abide by such terms and conditions as may be stipulated by the nominating and host governments in respect of this training course;
- b) abide by the rules and regulations of the training institution in which I undertake to study in or be trained under;
- c) submit/present any report which may be required;
- d) refrain from engaging in political activities and any form of employment for profit or gain; and
- e) discontinue the course should I be found guilty of misconduct or be medically unfit.

I fully understand that if I fail to comply with the terms and conditions of the training award, and/or any of the above declarations are found to be untrue, the award will be terminated with immediate effect.

Date

Signature of applicant

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

## LETTER OF INDEMNITY

I \_\_\_\_\_, Passport Number: \_\_\_\_\_ having an address at \_\_\_\_\_, hereby declare that I shall be personally liable for and shall indemnify the Government of Malaysia and \_\_\_\_\_ against all liabilities, claims, losses, demands, actions, suits, proceedings, costs or expenses, in part/total, whatsoever arising under the laws of Malaysia or common law which may be made or taken against the Government of Malaysia and/or \_\_\_\_\_ or incurred or become payable by the Government of Malaysia and/or \_\_\_\_\_ in respect of any medical illness, personal injury (whether fatal or otherwise), or the death of any person, by reason of my carelessness, negligence, omission or default, in the course of my training with \_\_\_\_\_ which is appointed by the Government of Malaysia. Dated this \_\_\_\_ day \_\_\_\_ of 2023.

Signature of applicant )  
Name of applicant )  
Date )

In the presence of  
Signature of Witness )  
Name of Witness )  
Designation of Witness )  
I/C or Passport No. )

9. TO BE COMPLETED BY THE NOMINATING GOVERNMENT

OFFICIAL DECLARATION BY THE NOMINATING AGENCY

On behalf of the Government of \_\_\_\_\_, I \_\_\_\_\_  
Country Name of Official

Certify that:

- a) I have examined the educational, professional or other certificates quoted by the applicant in this form and I am satisfied that they are authentic and relate to the applicant;
- b) The applicant is medically fit and free from infectious disease and that, having regard to his/her physical and mental history; and
- c) The applicant has attained a level of proficiency in both spoken and written English to enable him/her to follow the course of study/training for which he/she is being nominated.

I nominate (Dr/Mr./Mrs./Ms.\*) \_\_\_\_\_ holding Passport No.: \_\_\_\_\_ for the training course.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name and Designation

Signature and Official Stamp

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name and Organization

\_\_\_\_\_  
Country code Area code Office tel no.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Country code Area code Office tel no.

ENDORSEMENT BY THE NATIONAL FOCAL POINT INCHARGE OF TECHNICAL COOPERATION

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address  
(Official Stamp)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Designation

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Organization

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

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