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North Block, New Delhi,
Dated the 24th February, 2026.

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TRAINING CIRCULAR

Subject:- **In-person Singapore Cooperation Programme on "Leadership in Schools" from 13th to 17th July, 2026 in Singapore.**

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The Republic of Singapore has invited nominations for **In-person Singapore Cooperation Programme on "Leadership in Schools" from 13th to 17th July, 2026 in Singapore** under the Technical Assistance Programme with India. The course is intended for mid- to senior-level school administrators and educators involved in leadership roles in school management. The eligibility conditions and other information about the course are mentioned in the Information Brochure received from the sponsoring Government (**Annex-I**). Number of slots available for India is **One**.

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2. Nomination of candidates is regulated by the guidelines prescribed by DEA, a synopsis of which is attached as **Annex-II**.

3. **The course is sponsored by Government of Singapore**, who will provide accommodation, local transport, medical insurance and daily allowance. **The nominated candidate or his/her nominating authority shall have to bear the cost of round trip air fare and other travel related expenses.** An undertaking to this effect has to be given by the participant or his/her Ministry/Department/State Government in case they agree to bear the travel expenses in the prescribed format (**Annex-III**).

4. The following forms need to be duly completed and certified by the participant and the competent authority of the nominating Ministry/Department:

- (i) Sponsoring Government's application to be filled online (available at <https://go.gov.sg/leadership-sch>). Printed copy of application submitted by the candidate online to SCP may be sent to DEA along with the other forms.

(ii) DEA's proforma - duly countersigned by competent authority (**Annex-IV**).

5. **Application Form complete in all respects alongwith check-list reach this Department through the Administrative Ministry/Department of Govt. of India /State Government/UT, as the case may be, not later than 01.05.2026** positively at the following address:-

Shri Pankaj Gangwar,
Under Secretary (BPC&T),
Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance,
Hall No. 15076, Kartavya Bhavan -1, New Delhi-110001.
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6. Incomplete applications and nominations received after the cut-off date will not be entertained. This may please be noted for strict compliance to avoid disappointment at a later stage. The candidates are advised to have their applications processed through their administrative Departments well in time and send complete information asked for in the forms specified above. Details of various short-term training programmes are regularly uploaded on Ministry of Finance's website www.dea.gov.in under the link "Foreign Training Programmes" [<https://dea.gov.in/foreign-training-and-employee-corner>].



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3. Joint Secretary (Admn.) of all Ministries/Departments, Government of India.
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LEADERSHIP IN SCHOOLS

13 TO 17 JULY 2026

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Singapore Cooperation Programme

Singapore has provided technical assistance to other developing countries since the 1960s. As a country whose only resource is its people, Singapore believes that human resource development is vital for economic and social progress. Singapore itself has benefited from training provided by other countries and international organisations.

In 1992, the Singapore Cooperation Programme (SCP) was established to bring together under one framework the various technical assistance programmes offered by Singapore. Through the SCP, the range and number of training programmes were increased to share Singapore's development experience with other developing countries.

To date, over 160,000 officials from more than 180 countries, territories, and intergovernmental organisations have participated in our courses and study visits. The SCP is managed by the Development Partnerships Directorate of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore.

Course Objectives

This course will equip school administrators and leaders with the necessary dispositions and skills to lead schools effectively in an evolving and complex educational landscape. It will cover curriculum and instructional leadership, strategic management, coaching and change management skills.

Synopsis

Topics to be covered include:

- Developments in school leadership in times of rapid changes
- Cultivating values-based, innovative and forward-looking principalship capabilities
- Curriculum and instructional leadership, strategic management
- Coaching and change management

Methodology

The course will be conducted in-person in Singapore and will include the delivery of course sessions, case studies, country presentations as well as group discussions.

Course Duration and Venue

The course will be held over 5 days from **13 to 17 July 2026** in Singapore.

Application Information

Applicants should be:

- Mid- to senior-level school administrators and educators involved in leadership roles in school management;
- Nominated by their respective governments;
- Proficient in written and spoken English; and
- In good health.

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Terms of Award

The course is sponsored by the Government of Singapore under the Singapore Cooperation Programme Training Award.

Under this programme arrangement, the Government of Singapore will bear the following expenses for the successful applicants (thereafter known as participants) during their training in Singapore. These expenses include:

- Course fees;
- Visa application fees for entry into Singapore [Note: participants are responsible for their own transit visas (if any)];
- Hotel accommodation for the entire duration of the course. Complimentary breakfast is provided in the hotel from the first day of the course to one day after the course;
- Per diem of One Hundred and Thirty Singapore Dollars (S\$130) in cash from the first day to the last day of the course. A proportionate reduction in the per diem will be made if you are unable to attend the full duration of the course;
- Transportation between hotel and training venue; and
- Basic insurance coverage (Group Hospitalisation and Surgical; Group Personal Accident) for participants during their stay in Singapore, in accordance with the policy of a local insurance company.

Note:

- The nominating government will be responsible for its participants' round-trip airfares. Applicants are encouraged to verify the availability of funding for their round-trip airfares with their respective nominating government;
- Participants are to bear all expenses prior to receiving the per diem; and
- As the basic insurance coverage does not cover any pre-existing conditions/illnesses and/or any outpatient medical/dental treatment, participants are strongly advised to purchase comprehensive travel insurance which includes adequate coverage of COVID-19 related expenses and medical

Regulations

Participants are required to comply with the following:

- For entry into Singapore, participants are required to adhere to the latest travel and health requirements/advisories as indicated at www.ica.gov.sg/enter-transit-depart;
- Strictly observe the course schedule and attend all training sessions. Participants will receive a certificate of completion from the SCP only upon **attaining full attendance of the course**. Any leave of absence must be substantiated with medical certificates or compelling reasons. Failure to attain full attendance will affect the eligibility for future SCP participations; and
- Carry out instructions and abide by conditions as may be stipulated by the nominating authority or government and the Government of Singapore and its appointed trainer, with respect to the course.

Application Procedure

(Closing date for nomination: **08 May 2026**)

The Government of Singapore is pleased to invite the respective National Focal Points for Technical Assistance (NFP) to nominate **one (01)** suitable applicant. Selection of candidates will be based on merit. Should there be more applicants than training places, the Government of Singapore seeks the understanding of the respective NFPs in the event that its nominee is not selected.

All nominees are to submit their applications online at <https://go.gov.sg/leadership-sch> by **08 May 2026**. NFPs are also required to endorse nominees via email links. Instructions and FAQs for Applicants and NFPs can be found at the links below:

- Applicants: <https://go.gov.sg/start-guide>
- NFPs: <https://go.gov.sg/start-nfp>

Note:

In-person Singapore Cooperation Programme on "Leadership in Schools" from 13th to 17th July, 2026 in Singapore

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Sir/Madam,

Please find attachment regarding **In-person** Singapore Cooperation Programme on "**Leadership in Schools**" from **13th to 17th July, 2026 in Singapore**, for information and necessary action.

With regards,

Anil Kumar Chourasia,
ASO, BPC&T Section,
Bilateral Cooperation Division,
Department of Economic Affairs,
Ministry of Finance,
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North Block, New Delhi,
Dated the 23rd February, 2026.

TRAINING CIRCULAR

Subject:- **In-person** Singapore Cooperation Programme on "**Digital Governance, Cybersecurity and AI Adoption for Public Service**" from 13th to 17th July, 2026 in Singapore.

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2. Nomination of candidates is regulated by the guidelines prescribed by DEA, a synopsis of which is attached as **Annex-II**.

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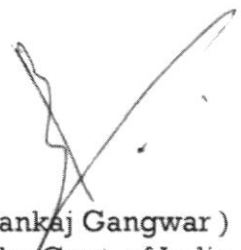
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Digital Governance, Cybersecurity and AI Adoption for Public Service

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Course Objectives

The course aims to support the development needs of IORA Member States through capacity building, particularly in the field of digitalisation and cybersecurity for the public service.

Synopsis

Topics to be covered include:

- Singapore's experience in developing policies for digitalisation and cybersecurity.
- Best practices in building public service capabilities and managing digital governance challenges.
- Methods to support national digitalisation efforts.
- The use of Big Data, AI, and IoT to enhance public service delivery.

Methodology

The course will be delivered for up to **30 participants**. A variety of teaching methodologies will be used throughout the course to ensure active learning and participation including lectures, group discussions, dialogues and experiential activities. Relevant site visits will also be included to enhance the learning experience of the participants.

Course Duration and Venue

The course will be conducted in-person from **13 to 17 July 2026** in Singapore.

Application Information

Applicants should be:

- Mid- to senior-level government officials who have direct oversight, involvement, and responsibility in designing and/or implementing policies related to digital governance, AI adoption or cybersecurity;
- Nominated by their respective governments and the IORA National Focal Points;
- Proficient in written and spoken English, and
- In good health.

Terms of Award

The course is sponsored by the Government of Singapore under the Singapore Cooperation Programme.

Under this programme arrangement, the Government of Singapore will bear the following expenses for the successful applicants (thereafter known as participants) during their training in Singapore. These expenses include:

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- Hotel accommodation for the entire duration of the course. Complimentary breakfast is provided in the hotel from the first day of the course to one day after the course;
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Note:

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Regulations

Participants are required to comply with the following:

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- Strictly observe course schedules and attend all training sessions. Participants will receive a certificate of completion from the SCP only upon **attaining full attendance of the course**. Any leave of absence must be substantiated with medical certificates or compelling reasons. Non-compliance with full participation requirements will affect the eligibility for future SCP course applications; and
- Carry out instructions and abide by conditions as may be stipulated by the nominating authority or government and the Government of Singapore and its appointed trainer, with respect to the course.

Application Procedure

(Closing date for nomination: **6.00pm, 1 May 2026 (UTC+8)**)

The Government of Singapore and the IORA Secretariat are pleased to invite the respective IORA National Focal Points for Technical Assistance (NFPs) to nominate **up to two (2)** officials to participate in the course through the IORA Secretariat's contact person Ms Kritika Nuckchady (kritika.nuckchady@iora.int) and copied to zeld.vrolick@iora.int and hq@iora.int. All nominees should also submit their applications online at <https://go.gov.sg/iora2026> by **6.00pm, 1 May 2026 (UTC+8)**. Instructions and FAQs for Applicants and NFPs can be found at the links below:

- Applicants: <https://go.gov.sg/start-guide>

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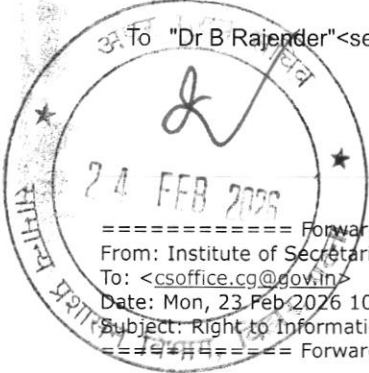
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Sir/Madam,

We are pleased to inform you that Institute of Secretariat Training & Management (ISTM) will be conducting a Training Programme, highlights of which is as under:

Course Name : Right to Information - Public Information Officers

Course Code : RTI-PIO-44

Date : 02 Mar 2026 to 03 Mar 2026

Mode : Offline

For more details, click here for "COURSE CIRCULAR" and please visit our website at www.istm.gov.in.

Regards

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Dated: February 26, 2026

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Sub: Certificate Course on International Commercial and Investment Treaty Arbitration (CITICA), 2026

Dear Sir,

I write on behalf of National Law University Delhi to inform your Ministry/Department/Organisation of the Second Edition of the Certificate Course on International Commercial and Investment Treaty Arbitration (CITICA), 2026, organised under the Chair on Investment Treaties and International Commercial Arbitration at NLU Delhi. The Chair has been established to advance scholarship, professional training, policy-relevant engagement, and capacity-building in the field of international arbitration and investment law.

CITICA is a practice-oriented certificate course designed to strengthen participants' understanding of contemporary issues in international commercial and investment arbitration. The course is structured around two comprehensive components:

1. **International Commercial Arbitration**, focusing on the principles and practices governing cross-border commercial disputes; and
2. **Investment Treaty Arbitration**, offering in-depth exposure to disputes arising under Bilateral Investment Treaties (BITs) and other international investment instruments.

The programme is delivered by a distinguished faculty comprising leading international and domestic arbitrators, practitioners, and academics, and combines interactive lectures with hands-on, practice-focused sessions.

Given the increasing engagement of government departments and Indian corporations with international commercial contracts, foreign investment, and treaty-based disputes, we believe that this programme would be particularly beneficial for legal officers dealing with international investment, infrastructure, and regulatory matters.

We would be grateful if your Ministry/Department/Organisation could consider circulating this information internally and nominating interested officers/officials to participate in the programme. In case this communication has not reached the appropriate office or official, we would be grateful if it could be kindly forwarded to the concerned division or officer.

The last date for submission of applications is **10 April 2026**. Detailed information regarding eligibility, course structure, fees, and the application process is available in the course brochure and registration link <https://nludelhi.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2026/01/Brochure-International-Investment-Arbitration-Certificate-Course.pdf>

Should you require any additional information or clarification, please feel free to contact us at icita.certificate@nludelhi.ac.in or call Mr. Sunil at (+91) 9810255009.

Sincerely Yours,

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With best wishes,



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Sub: Certificate Course on International Commercial and Investment Treaty Arbitration (CITICA), 2026

Dear Sir,

I write on behalf of National Law University Delhi to inform your Ministry/Department/Organisation of the Second Edition of the Certificate Course on International Commercial and Investment Treaty Arbitration (CITICA), 2026, organised under the Chair on Investment Treaties and International Commercial Arbitration at NLU Delhi. The Chair has been established to advance scholarship, professional training, policy-relevant engagement, and capacity-building in the field of international arbitration and investment law.

CITICA is a practice-oriented certificate course designed to strengthen participants' understanding of contemporary issues in international commercial and investment arbitration. The course is structured around two comprehensive components:

1. **International Commercial Arbitration**, focusing on the principles and practices governing cross-border commercial disputes; and
2. **Investment Treaty Arbitration**, offering in-depth exposure to disputes arising under Bilateral Investment Treaties (BITs) and other international investment instruments.

The programme is delivered by a distinguished faculty comprising leading international and domestic arbitrators, practitioners, and academics, and combines interactive lectures with hands-on, practice-focused sessions.

Given the increasing engagement of government departments and Indian corporations with international commercial contracts, foreign investment, and treaty-based disputes, we believe that this programme would be particularly beneficial for legal officers dealing with international investment, infrastructure, and regulatory matters.

We would be grateful if your Ministry/Department/Organisation could consider circulating this information internally and nominating interested officers/officials to participate in the programme. In case this communication has not reached the appropriate office or official, we would be grateful if it could be kindly forwarded to the concerned division or officer.

The last date for submission of applications is **10 April 2026**. Detailed information regarding eligibility, course structure, fees, and the application process is available in the course brochure and registration link <https://nludelhi.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2026/01/Brochure-International-Investment-Arbitration-Certificate-Course.pdf>

Should you require any additional information or clarification, please feel free to contact us at icita.certificate@nludelhi.ac.in or call Mr. Sunil at (+91) 9810255009.

Sincerely Yours,

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