

WHO Chemical Risk Assessment Network Training Fellowships available

(i) Annual international training course on Environmental and Health Risk Assessment and Management of Toxic Chemicals, 3-18 December 2018, Chulabhorn Research Institute, Bangkok, Thailand

Application Deadline: Saturday, 10 November 2018

The Chulabhorn Research Institute (CRI) is pleased to call for applications from WHO Chemical Risk Assessment Network members from developing countries for its Training Fellowships to attend the *Annual International Training course on Environmental and Health Risk Assessment and Management of Toxic Chemicals*, which is scheduled from 3 to 18 December 2018, Chulabhorn Research Institute, Bangkok, Thailand.

The course is an integration of science and policy, covering the fundamental basis of environmental and health risk assessment and management from exposure assessment and risk characterization; mode of action and human relevance framework; the relationship between risk assessment and risk management; and the need for open, transparent and participatory acceptance procedures and credible communication methods. Emphasis will be placed on human health risk assessment, although the principles of ecological risk assessment will also be covered. Importantly, the course teaches the practical application of risk assessment methods to various problems, e.g. hazardous waste site release, through the use of case studies relevant to problems faced in developing countries, and describes the policy context in which decisions to manage environmental health risks are made. Teaching and learning aids, such as an electronic distance learning tool on risk assessment and risk management of chemicals and the WHO IPCS Human Health Risk Assessment toolkit will be introduced. International experts lecturing are typically from Denmark, Canada, the Netherlands, USA, UK, Thailand and WHO.

Requirement: Participants should have jobs/responsibilities related to assessment of risk from the use of chemicals.

The fellowships cover roundtrip airfare, accommodation (on site) and meals, training materials, and health insurance. Participants should be affiliated with WHO Chemical Risk Assessment Network member institutions in developing countries and have jobs/responsibilities related to assessment of risk from the use of chemicals.

The attached application form should be send to the Chulabhorn Research Institute (CRI) using following e-mail address and mentioning "Fellowship 2018/December Course" in the subject line: envtox@cri.or.th. The application deadline is 10 November 2018. The CRI will review all applications and inform applicants accordingly.



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(ii) Annual international training course on Environmental Toxicology, two weeks, late April 2019, Chulabhorn Research Institute, Bangkok, Thailand

Application Deadline: Thursday, 31 January 2019

The Chulabhorn Research Institute (CRI) is pleased to call for applications from WHO Chemical Risk Assessment Network members from developing countries for its Training Fellowships to attend the Annual International Training course on Environmental Toxicology, which is scheduled for two week in late April, Chulabhorn Research Institute, Bangkok, Thailand.

The course provides students and participants with a background of the major groups of toxic substances encountered by man and animals through food and the environment, and also through exposure at the workplace. These toxicants include mycotoxins, naturally occurring plant and animal toxins, toxic substances in air, water and soil, N-nitroso compounds, solvents, plastics, pesticides, pollutants and radiation (UV, electromagnetic, ionizing). The course focuses on the chemistry, fate and distribution in the environment, mechanisms of their action, toxic manifestation in living organisms, as well as toxic syndrome in human beings.

Requirement: Participants should have some basic knowledge in chemistry and the biological/biomedical

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