

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS
FOR

**“TRAINING ON INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS TO FIGHT IMPUNITY
FOR ENFORCED DISAPPEARANCE AND EXTRA-JUDICIAL
KILLINGS”**

The Human Rights and Justice Centre (HRJC) and TRIAL International announce a call for application for a **three-day training on “International Standards to Fight Impunity for Enforced Disappearance and Extra-Judicial Killings.**

The training session is addressed to a **maximum of 15 human rights defenders, lawyers, or representatives of NGOs from the Western region of Nepal.**

TRAINING DETAILS

Training dates: 23-25 April 2021

Time: From 8.00 a.m. to 17.00 p.m.

There will be breakfast, a one-hour break for lunch as well as two tea breaks of 15 minutes each.

Venue: Dhangadi, To be confirmed

Language: The training will be conducted in Nepali language.

The training is free of cost for all participants.

The training will be residential. Breakfast, lunch, refreshments and dinner will be offered to participants. Transportation expenses incurred by the participants will be reimbursed by the organizers on an actual basis.

Attendance certificates will only be issued to the participants who attend at least 90% of the sessions and complete both the entry and exit tests.



CONTENT OF THE TRAINING

The training session will be held by national experts and it will include both theoretical sessions and practice-oriented workshops. The training aims at illustrating the existing national and international standards to fight impunity for enforced disappearance and extra-judicial killings. Participants will learn about how to identify and document a case of enforced disappearance or extra-judicial killing pursuant to international law and the available avenues at the international level to report such cases (with particular attention to the United Nations Special Procedures and Treaty Bodies). Moreover, the training will provide practical knowledge on how to submit reports and communications concerning enforced disappearances and extra-judicial killings to the competent United Nations Special Procedures.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR PARTICIPATION

To take part in the training, participants must:

- Hold a Bachelor degree in Law, Social Science or any other relevant field; and
- Can read and understand and be fluent in written as well as spoken Nepali.

Understanding English language would be an asset.

Prior experience in supporting victims of human rights violations would be an asset.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Interested candidates should submit their application by e-mail to contact@hrjc.org.np indicating in the subject of the e-mail “**Application for Training on International Standards on ED and EJK- April2021**”.

Applications are accepted until **15 April 2021 at 23.59 p.m. Kathmandu time**.

Selected candidates will be notified by **16 April 2021**.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

Prospective candidates are expected to briefly explain their interest in the training (in English), and submit the following documents:

- CV
- Expression of Interest,
- A copy of identity card (eg, identity card/lawyer's card/id of representing organization)



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ABOUT THE HUMAN RIGHTS AND JUSTICE CENTRE (HRJC)

The Human Rights and Justice Centre (HRJC) improves access to justice for victims of human rights violations in Nepal such as torture, enforced disappearances, extrajudicial executions and sexual violence.

The HRJC provides free legal support to victims regardless of their background, religious or political affiliation. Through a network of trusted Nepalese human rights lawyers, it litigates cases domestically and internationally to end impunity and enforce the rule of law.

ABOUT TRIAL INTERNATIONAL

TRIAL International is a non-governmental organization fighting impunity for international crimes and supporting victims in their quest for justice.

TRIAL International takes an innovative approach to the law, paving the way to justice for survivors of unspeakable sufferings. The organization provides legal assistance, litigates cases, develops local capacity and pushes the human rights agenda forward.



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