

# New Zealand Short Term Training Scholarships Online Trade Policy

#### **Course Overview**

The Trade Policy Course has been created to teach participants how to understand the foundations and principles of international trade, including the institutions and legal frameworks governing trade. Our programme is also designed with an emphasis on inclusion and the empowerment of participants

This is an intensive, online, short course designed for participants from ASEAN countries and Timor-Leste who are currently in middle and senior management positions in relevant sectors.

The design, management and delivery of the course is run by staff of the Public Policy Institute at the University of Auckland. Leading expertise from the University of Auckland, the School of Population Health, and the Business School as well as industry experts who are considered world-class authorities will also be invited to present on various aspects of content to ensure the highest quality content.

### **Intended Participants**

This course is suitable for officials with at least 5 years' work experience in the relevant course sector. Participants should have basic level computer literacy and numeracy.

To be eligible for a Manaaki New Zealand Scholarship, all the following statements must be true:

- From the date my application is submitted, I will have lived in my country of citizenship for the last two years or more.
- Exception for diplomatic corps and their family: A member of the diplomatic corps or a dependant of a member of the diplomatic corps, living outside their own country, can apply for a Scholarship.
- I am not a citizen or permanent resident of any of the following countries: New Zealand, Australia, Bahrain, Canada, any European Union country, Iceland, Israel, Japan, Kuwait, Norway, Oman, Qatar, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, South Korea, Switzerland, the United Arab Emirates, the United Kingdom, or the United States of America.
- Exceptions: People from the following countries and territories are eligible to apply:
  - Niue and Tokelau, even though they are New Zealand citizens.
  - French Pacific Territories, even though they are French citizens.
  - New Zealand-Samoan and Timor-Leste-Portuguese dual citizens.
- I will be at least 18 years old at the time I start the scholarship.
- I am not currently serving in the military.
- Within the last five years, I have not had a New Zealand Scholarship terminated.

Applicants must also acknowledge and agree that:

- They have received endorsement from my employer to attend this training programme.
- They expect to meet the academic entry requirements (including English language requirements) for my planned training programme.



# **Timing and Duration**

Online Good Governance for participants from countries and Timor-Leste will commence on **5 February 2024** and will complete on **8 March 2024.** This course will be delivered online on a part-time basis.

An Orientation will be held by Skills Consulting Group on the Thursday prior to course start date to provide applicants with further detail on their scholarship and allowances.

The University of Auckland will hold their Orientation with scholars on the first day of the course.

### **Course Structure**

Trade Policy	
Date	Subject
Module 1	Mihi Whakatau and Introduction to the Course Trade Foundations
Module 2	Building Blocks of Trade Reform
Module 3	Services Trade, Supply Chains
Module 4	Regional Trade Agreements
Module 5	Bi and multi-lateral trade
Module 6	Stakeholder engagement
Module 7	Indigenous Economies and Indigenous Trade
Module 8	Gender Inclusive Trade
Module 9	Health and Trade Policy: International and Domestic
Module 10	Future Trends in Trade and Trade Policy





# **Delivery Management and Presenting Team**

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SCHOLARSHIPS

These courses are designed, managed, and delivered by staff of the Public Policy Institute, in conjunction with key subject experts who are invited in to present on various aspects of content.

Professor Jennifer Curtin, Director of the Public Policy Institute, oversees all aspects of the programme, is part of the introductory and completion sessions, and contributes to modules on good governance, public leadership, and inclusive trade.

Dr Suzanne Woodward and Dr Oluwakemi Igiebor are the Course Coordinators; they manage the pre-course induction process, access to our learning management system, coordinate pastoral care throughout each course, and maintain connections with scholars throughout. Suzanne and Kemi also contribute expert content on topics related to communication, participation, and inclusive leadership, and share the management of each live online session.

The Public Policy Institute appoint scholar success advisors who have knowledge of the regions from which the scholars are drawn. This is done on a course-by-course basis, to provide both intellectual and culturally sensitive care and support. The Scholar Success Adviser runs two drop-in sessions online each week and contributes to break-out room activities during each session.

Each Course has an Academic Lead: The Good Governance and Public Sector Leadership Courses are led by Professor Jennifer Curtin; the Trade Policy course is led by Associate Professor Rob Scollay, and the Public Health Management Course is led by Professor Chris Bullen. These leads contribute content and select other relevant expert academics and practitioners as contributors.

# Enquiries

All enquiries should be directed to Skills Consulting Group in the first instance.

Please only use the email address: <u>awardee@scgnz.org</u> and include the course name and scholar country in the subject line.