

# CIFAL Global Network Training Catalogue 2017



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The United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) is a training arm of the United Nations System, serving some 36,000 beneficiaries annually by conducting close to 500 capacity development and research activities around the world. The Mission of UNITAR is to develop capacities of individuals, organizations and institutions to enhance global decision-making and to support country-level action for shaping a better future.



The CIFAL Global Network is UNITAR's network of centres dedicated to provide cutting-edge training aimed at strengthening the capacities of government authorities and key change agents from local and sub-national levels to design and implement innovative solutions to global challenges. As of January 2017, the CIFAL Global Network is comprised of 16 training centres located across Africa, Asia, Europe, Australia and the Americas, reaching to 10,000 beneficiaries annually through more than 100 capacity building activities.

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## Message from the Executive Director

**The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development** provides the world with an undeniable opportunity to bring about widespread, positive change for humanity. The interconnected, universal and transformational nature of the Agenda requires collective responsibility, accountability and action, with governments, the United Nations system, and a range of other stakeholders all contributing to the implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals. The development of knowledge and the transfer of skills, in addition to other forms of capacity, will undeniably play an important role in this process.

UNITAR and its network of CIFAL training centres are committed to make a meaningful and impactful contribution towards the implementation of the Agenda, as well as the other major outcomes from 2015, including those of the Sendai (Disaster Risk Reduction) Paris (Climate Change) and Addis Ababa (Financing for Development) conferences.

The CIFAL Global Network assists primarily local authorities by providing training and learning opportunities, as well as by facilitating city-to-city cooperation that leads to the development and implementation of specific actions in support of sustainable development.

We invite you to join our training activities and to support our common endeavor to achieve the world we want by year 2030.

**Nikhil Seth**  
United Nations Assistant Secretary-General  
Executive Director of UNITAR



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**The CIFAL Global Network** is UNITAR's network of training centres dedicated to strengthening the capacities of government authorities and civil society leaders to advance sustainable development.

CIFAL Centres provide an international platform for knowledge exchange, supporting sharing and dissemination of best practices and lessons learned across cities. With its City-Share methodology, CIFALS foster multi-stakeholder collaboration that leads to the design of innovative solutions to address current challenges.



# Outreach

Over the last thirteen years, the Network has reached more than 50,000 beneficiaries through over 500 training events. In 2016, the CIFAL Global Network reached 15,771 beneficiaries around the world through 129 training events.

The substantial increase in training services and greater outreach reflects both, the expansion of the Network and the continued demand for capacity building at local and subnational levels. In 2016, the CIFAL Global Network included in its training portfolio, activities aimed at raising awareness of the Agenda 2030 for Sustainable Development including its 17 Goals and 169 Targets.

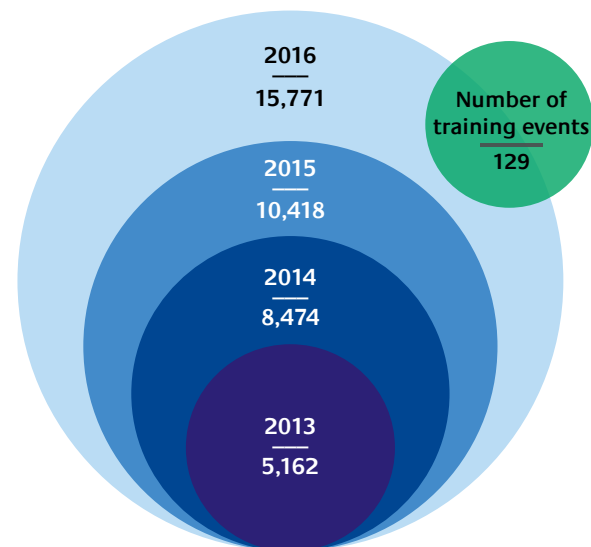
## HIGHLIGHTS IN 2016

15,771 government officials, private sector representatives and civil society leaders from around the world participated in CIFAL centres activities.

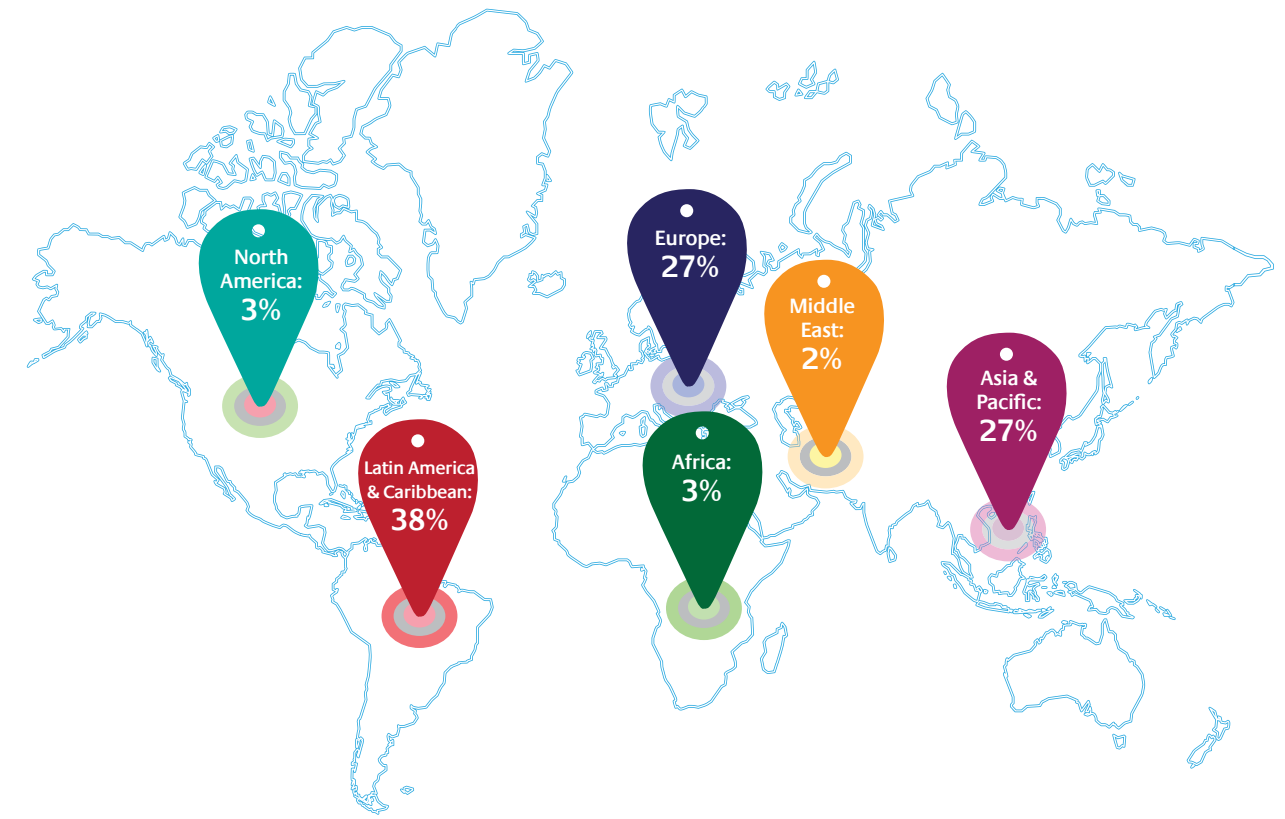
More than 100 countries from Africa, Asia-Pacific, Europe, North, Central and South America, as well as from the Caribbean were reached in 2016.

129 training and raising awareness events implemented by the CIFAL Global Network in 2016 covering a variety of topics in the areas of urban planning and governance, economic development, social inclusion and environmental sustainability.

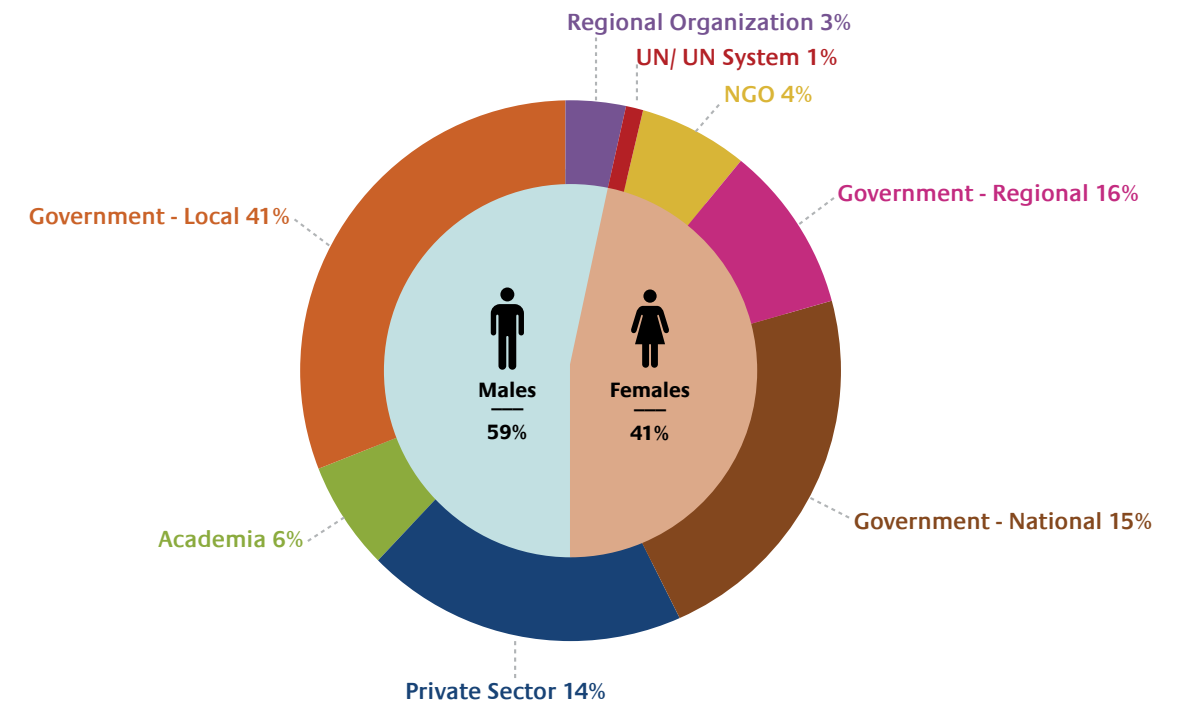
## OUR BENEFICIARIES (2013 - 2016)



## BENEFICIARIES BY REGION



## BENEFICIARIES BY SECTOR & GENDER





# CIFAL Thematic Areas

As of January 2017, the CIFAL Global Network is comprised of sixteen centres across Africa, Asia, Australia, Europe, and the Americas.

Each "Centre International de Formation des Autorités et Leaders" (CIFAL) provides innovative training on key areas related to sustainable development and serves as hubs for the exchange of knowledge amongst government officials, non-governmental and international organizations, the private sector, civil society, academic institutions and the UN system.

Each CIFAL is specialized in thematic areas that are defined by the needs and priorities of the regions they serve. Their training programmes provide access to knowledge, resources and best practices, while promoting multi-stakeholder collaboration in support of sustainable development.

<b>Urban Governance and Planning</b>	<b>Economic Development</b>	<b>Social Inclusion</b>	<b>Environmental Sustainability</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Urban Services</li> <li>&gt; Transport</li> <li>&gt; Road Safety</li> <li>&gt; Waste Management</li> <li>&gt; Safety and Security</li> <li>&gt; Technology</li> <li>&gt; Integrated Urban Planning</li> <li>&gt; Disaster Risk Reduction</li> <li>&gt; Transparency and Anti-Corruption</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Competitiveness</li> <li>&gt; Creative Economy</li> <li>&gt; Employment Promotion</li> <li>&gt; Tourism for Development</li> <li>&gt; Airports Management</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; STEAM Education</li> <li>&gt; Migration</li> <li>&gt; Human Trafficking</li> <li>&gt; Youth Engagement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; Energy</li> <li>&gt; Green Growth and Green Purchasing</li> <li>&gt; Transition Towns and Villages</li> <li>&gt; Climate Change</li> <li>&gt; Food Security</li> </ul>

## 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

**THE GLOBAL GOALS**  
For Sustainable Development

# SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

<b>1 NO POVERTY</b> 	<b>2 ZERO HUNGER</b> 	Each CIFAL activity is linked to the SDGs and targets	<b>3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING</b> 
<b>4 QUALITY EDUCATION</b> 	<b>5 GENDER EQUALITY</b> 		<b>6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION</b> 
<b>7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY</b> 		<b>8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH</b> 	
	<b>11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES</b> 		<b>12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION</b> 
<b>15 LIFE ON LAND</b> 	<b>16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS</b> 	<b>17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS</b> 	



# CAPACITY FOR AGENDA 2030

This agenda is a plan of action for people, planet and prosperity. The Goals and targets will simulate action over the next fifteen years. The CIFAL Global Network is dedicated to help governments and other stakeholders build capacity to mainstream, implement and review Agenda 2030.



## CIFAL ATLANTA

26 January  
**The Sustainable Development Goals and engaged young leaders**  
 CIFAL Atlanta/ [Kennesaw, USA](#)/ Briefing

27 February  
**Youth taking action**  
 CIFAL Atlanta/ [Kennesaw, USA](#)/ Briefing

18 April  
**The Sustainable Development Goals and engaged young leaders**  
 CIFAL Atlanta/ [Columbus, USA](#)/ Briefing

## CIFAL CURITIBA

1 March; 1 April, 1 May, 1 June  
**II Cycle of studies on the SDGs in Campo Real**  
 CIFAL Curitiba/ [Guarapuava, Brazil](#)/ Workshop

23 March; 18 April; 1 May; 1 June; 1 July  
**III Cycle of studies on the SDGs in Curitiba**  
 CIFAL Curitiba/ [Curitiba, Brazil](#)/ Workshop

October  
**II SESI congress on the Sustainable Development Goals**  
 CIFAL Curitiba/ [Paraná, Brazil](#)/ Workshop

## CIFAL QUITO

16 February  
**Getting to know the SDGs in schools**  
 CIFAL Quito/ [Quito, Ecuador](#)/ Workshop

1 March; 1 May; 1 July; 1 September; 1 November  
**Getting to know the SDGs in universities**  
 CIFAL Quito/ [Quito, Ecuador](#)/ Workshop

## CIFAL PLOCK

1 July  
**2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development**  
 CIFAL Plock/ [Plock, Poland](#)/ Workshop

## CIFAL FLANDERS

31 January  
**Flanders' chamber of commerce and industry: Business start to SDGs**  
 CIFAL Flanders/ [Vilvoorde, Belgium](#)/ Workshop

8 February  
**UN City Hall talks: Implementing the SDGs in local governments**  
 CIFAL Flanders/ [Gent, Belgium](#)/ Public Lecture

23 February  
**Flanders' chamber of commerce and industry: Business start to SDGs**  
 CIFAL Flanders/ [Gent, Belgium](#)/ Workshop

16 March  
**Flemish government and the SDGs**  
 CIFAL Flanders/ [Antwerp, Belgium](#)/ Workshop

23 March  
**Flemish government and the SDGs**  
 CIFAL Flanders/ [Bruges, Belgium](#)/ Workshop

30 March  
**Flemish government and the SDGs**  
 CIFAL Flanders/ [Hasselt, Belgium](#)/ Workshop

18 April  
**UN City Hall talks: Implementing the SDGs in local governments**  
 CIFAL Flanders/ [Hasselt, Belgium](#)/ Public Lecture

27 April  
**SDGs action learning day**  
 CIFAL Flanders/ [Antwerp, Belgium](#)/ Workshop

10 May  
**Action learning day port of Antwerp**  
 CIFAL Flanders/ [Antwerp, Belgium](#)/ Workshop

29 May  
**UN City Hall talks: Implementing the SDGs in local governments**  
 CIFAL Flanders/ [Kortrijk, Belgium](#)/ Public Lecture

7-9 June  
**European development days**  
 CIFAL Flanders/ [Brussels, Belgium](#)/ Conference



CIFAL FLANDERS

10-19 July  
**HLPF New York**  
CIFAL Flanders/ [New York, USA](#)/ Seminar

19 July  
**Action learning day port of Antwerp**  
CIFAL Flanders/ [Antwerp, Belgium](#)/ Workshop

30 August  
**Action learning day fashion**  
CIFAL Flanders/ [Antwerp, Belgium](#)/ Workshop

1 October  
**Flemish government and the SDGs**  
CIFAL Flanders/ [Leuven, Belgium](#)/ Workshop

1 November  
**Flemish government and the SDGs**  
CIFAL Flanders/ [Gent, Belgium](#)/ Workshop

CIFAL NEWCASTLE

27 February; 2 June  
**Certificate in the Application of the SDGs to the Built Environment**  
CIFAL Newcastle/ [Online; Newcastle, Australia](#)/ Course

16 March  
**iLEAD: Introduction to SDGs**  
CIFAL Newcastle/ [Ourimbah, Australia](#)/ Seminar

1 May  
**Private sector and the SDGs**  
CIFAL Newcastle/ [Sydney, Australia](#)/ Course

1 June  
**iLEAD: Introduction to SDGs**  
CIFAL Newcastle/ [Newcastle, Australia](#)/ Seminar

1 September  
**iLEAD: Introduction to SDGs**  
CIFAL Newcastle/ [Newcastle, Australia](#)/ Seminar

3-5 October  
**United Nations 2030 Agenda: local action for global impact**  
CIFAL Newcastle/ [Newcastle, Australia](#)/ Conference

CIFAL JEJU

1 August  
**SDGs and youth**  
CIFAL Jeju/ [Jeju, Korea](#)/ Conference

1 October  
**Getting to know the SDGs**  
CIFAL Jeju/ [Jeju, Korea](#)/ Seminar

1 December  
**Getting to know the SDGs**  
CIFAL Jeju/ [Jeju, Korea](#)/ Seminar

CIFAL PHILIPPINES

2 February  
**2030 Agenda for sustainable development: orientation for the 2030 youth force in the Philippines**  
CIFAL Philippines/ [Quezon City, Philippines](#)/ Workshop

23 May  
**Town hall on Agenda 2030 for sustainable development**  
CIFAL Philippines/ [Batangas, Philippines](#)/ Seminar

7 July  
**Town hall on Agenda 2030 for sustainable development**  
CIFAL Philippines/ [Naga, Philippines](#)/ Seminar

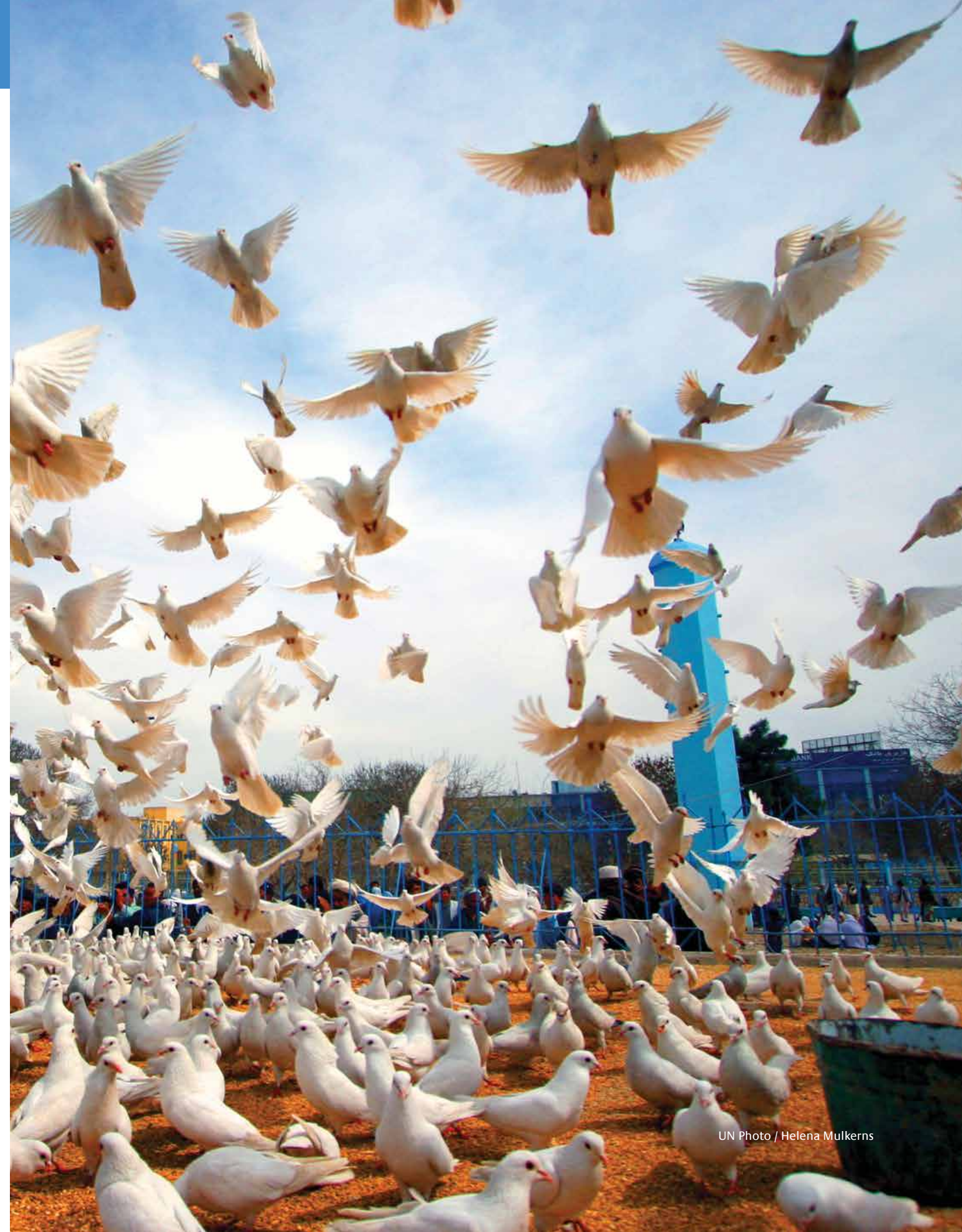
22 September  
**Town hall on Agenda 2030 for sustainable development**  
CIFAL Philippines/ [Iloilo, Philippines](#)/ Seminar

8 December  
**Town hall on Agenda 2030 for sustainable development**  
CIFAL Philippines/ [Cagayan de Oro, Philippines](#)/ Seminar

CIFAL BENGALURU

15 March  
**Contemporary livelihood issues for sustainable development**  
CIFAL Bengaluru/ [Bengaluru, India](#)/ Workshop

7 April  
**Promoting the Sustainable Development Goals**  
CIFAL Bengaluru/ [New Delhi, India](#)/ Workshop



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# URBAN GOVERNANCE & PLANNING

Cities are engines for sustainable development and prosperity. Through the provision of innovative training and networking opportunities, the CIFAL Global Network contributes to build capacities of local government officials and leaders to plan and design cities in a sustainable way, improve the provision of public services and infrastructure, and prepare cities to be resilient, among many others.



## CIFAL CURITIBA

11 April  
**Corruption risk assessment**  
 CIFAL Curitiba/ Curitiba, Brazil/ Workshop

1 May  
**SESI high school dialogue about compliance**  
 CIFAL Curitiba/ Paraná, Brazil/ Workshop

1-20 May  
**Road safety campaign: Yellow May**  
 CIFAL Curitiba/ Curitiba, Brazil/ Campaign

21 June  
**Anti-corruption policies compliance training for small and medium businesses**  
 CIFAL Curitiba/ Curitiba, Brazil/ Course

22 June  
**Debate Cycle for Integrity – GIZ**  
 CIFAL Curitiba/ Curitiba, Brazil/ Workshop

1-8 August  
**Road show series (8 events)**  
 CIFAL Curitiba/ Paraná, Brazil/ Briefing

1 September  
**V Open forum on transit and transformation**  
 CIFAL Curitiba/ Curitiba, Brazil/ Conference

## CIFAL PLOCK

22-23 March  
**SUMP & Smart City Conference**  
 CIFAL Plock/ Plock, Poland/ Conference

## CIFAL QUITO

27 February - 1 March  
**Urban strategic planning**  
 CIFAL Quito/ Quito, Ecuador/ Seminar

## CIFAL MERIDA

3-4 April  
**XII International seminar on hurricane preparedness**  
 CIFAL Merida/ Mérida, Yucatán/ Seminar

24 April  
**XIII International seminar on hurricane preparedness**  
 CIFAL Merida/ Mérida, Yucatán/ Seminar

1 June  
**IV Diploma on airport management**  
 CIFAL Merida/ Online/ Webinar

1 July  
**II course for commandants of the rescue and fire corps**  
 CIFAL Merida/ Online/ Webinar

## CIFAL DURBAN

February - November  
**Road safety primary school program**  
 CIFAL Durban/ Durban, South Africa/ Seminar

1 May  
**Urban planning and city development**  
 CIFAL Durban/ Durban, South Africa/ Seminar

1 August  
**Spatial planning**  
 CIFAL Durban/ Durban, South Africa/ Seminar

## CIFAL JEJU

13-16 June  
**Waste management & green city planning**  
 CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Workshop

1 September  
**Waste management & green city planning**  
 CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Workshop





### CIFAL NEWCASTLE

30 January; 22 May; 4 Sept  
**Graduate certificate  
in Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR)**  
CIFAL Newcastle/ [Online](#)/ Course

March – November  
**Diploma of public safety  
(emergency management)**  
CIFAL Newcastle/ [Newcastle, Australia](#)/ Course

1 March  
**DRR capacity building activity**  
CIFAL Newcastle/ [Suva, Fiji](#)/ Workshop

6 April  
**iLEAD: DRR and sustainable development**  
CIFAL Newcastle/ [Newcastle, Australia](#)/ Seminar

22 May  
**Government approaches to DRR**  
CIFAL Newcastle/ [Newcastle, Australia](#)/ Course

22 May; 4 Sept  
**Master of disaster resilience  
and sustainable development**  
CIFAL Newcastle/ [Online](#)/ Course

1 August  
**iLEAD: DRR and Sustainable Development**  
CIFAL Newcastle/ [Newcastle, Australia](#)/ Seminar

### CIFAL BENGALURU

20-21 June  
**Strengthening road safety in cities**  
CIFAL Bengaluru/ [New Delhi, India](#)/ Workshop



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## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Creating economic opportunities, generating good and decent jobs and ensuring equitable growth are essential to eradicate poverty and remain a top priority in the path to sustainable development. CIFAL Centres facilitate the exchange of innovative solutions that promote economically productive cities that are socially inclusive and environmentally sustainable.



### CIFAL ARGENTINA

1 October  
**Forum on transparency and dialogue on extractive industries**  
 CIFAL Argentina/ Buenos Aires, Argentina/ Conference

### CIFAL ATLANTA

30 January  
**Economic ties between the U.S. and Mexico**  
 CIFAL Atlanta/ Kennesaw, USA/ Briefing

1 March  
**The US-Canada economic relationship**  
 CIFAL Atlanta/ Kennesaw, USA/ Briefing

9-10 April  
**Airports and air service development**  
 CIFAL Atlanta/ Doha, Qatar/ Workshop

1 June  
**Airports and economic development**  
 CIFAL Atlanta/ Atlanta, USA/ Workshop

### CIFAL QUITO

1 April  
**Sustainable tourism**  
 CIFAL Quito/ Ibarra, Ecuador/ Conference

### CIFAL PLOCK

10-12 May  
**IX European economic congress**  
 CIFAL Plock/ Katowice, Poland/ Conference

1 November  
**Mazovia development forum**  
 CIFAL Plock/ Plock, Poland/ Conference

### CIFAL JEJU

10-13 May  
**Cultural tourism for sustainable urban development**  
 CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Workshop

27-30 June  
**Sustainable tourism development**  
 CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Workshop

1 September  
**Cultural tourism development**  
 CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Workshop

1 November  
**Sustainable tourism development**  
 CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Workshop

### CIFAL SHANGHAI

7-26 April  
**E-commerce and information technology security for Cambodia**  
 CIFAL Shanghai/ Shanghai, China/ Course

10-30 April  
**Computer operations for primary and secondary school teachers of Samoa**  
 CIFAL Shanghai/ Shanghai, China/ Course

20 June - 10 July  
**Regional economic development planning for countries along the one belt and one road**  
 CIFAL Shanghai/ Shanghai, China/ Course

21 June - 10 July  
**International e-commerce cooperation for Vietnam**  
 CIFAL Shanghai/ Shanghai, China/ Course

12-31 July  
**E-government and information technology for Guyana**  
 CIFAL Shanghai/ Shanghai, China/ Course

5-25 September  
**E-office automation system and operation maintenance for Lesotho**  
 CIFAL Shanghai/ Shanghai, China/ Course

6-26 September  
**Macroeconomic development planning for countries along the one belt and one road**  
 CIFAL Shanghai/ Shanghai, China/ Course

10-30 September  
**Capacity building on e-port network for Asia-Pacific**  
 CIFAL Shanghai/ Shanghai, China/ Course



# SOCIAL INCLUSION

Inclusion and equality are at the core of sustainable development. The CIFAL Global Network provides training and opportunities for transfer of expertise with the objective of strengthening the capacities of government authorities to develop and implement strategies towards social inclusion.



## CIFAL ARGENTINA

15-17 February  
**Education forum**  
 CIFAL Argentina/ San Juan, Puerto Rico/ Conference

7-8 April  
**Introduction to cognitive neuroscience**  
 CIFAL Argentina/ Salta, Argentina/ Course

13-15 July  
**Cognitive neuroscience applied to education**  
 CIFAL Argentina/ Buenos Aires, Argentina/ Course

## CIFAL ATLANTA

30 March  
**Emerging global issues forum on forced migration, immigration, & security**  
 CIFAL Atlanta/ Atlanta, USA/ Workshop

## CIFAL CURITIBA

1-30 August  
**Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics (STEM) series**  
 CIFAL Curitiba/ Brazil/ Seminar

13-14 September  
**4th Conference on responsible management education research**  
 CIFAL Curitiba/ Curitiba, Brazil/ Conference

## CIFAL QUITO

1 June  
**Human mobility**  
 CIFAL Quito/ Quito, Ecuador/ Conference

## CIFAL MERIDA

1-30 April  
**Training on how to assist Refugees**  
 CIFAL Merida/ Mérida, Yucatán/ Briefing

13 April  
**Training on how to use automated external defibrillator (AED) device**  
 CIFAL Merida/ Mérida, Yucatán/ Workshop

1-30 June  
**Training on how to assist Refugees**  
 CIFAL Merida/ Mérida, Yucatán/ Briefing

1-31 July  
**Training on how to assist Refugees**  
 CIFAL Merida/ Mérida, Yucatán/ Briefing

1-31 December  
**Training on how to assist Refugees**  
 CIFAL Merida/ Mérida, Yucatán/ Briefing

## CIFAL JEJU

1 February  
**Global citizenship education**  
 CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Public Lecture

20-22 February  
**Sustainable cities and youth**  
 CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Conference

1 April  
**Global citizenship education**  
 CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Public Lecture

4-7 April  
**Enhancing human security of victims of trafficking in women in the Asia Pacific Region**  
 CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Workshop

31 May - 2 June  
**Road safety in cities**  
 CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Workshop

1 June  
**Global citizenship education**  
 CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Public Lecture



CIFAL JEJU

1 September  
**Global citizenship education**  
CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Public Lecture

12-26 October  
**Enhancing human security**  
CIFAL Jeju/ Seoul & Jeju, Korea/ Workshop

1 November  
**Gender equality**  
CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Workshop

2-6 November  
**Jeju international youth forum**  
CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Conference

1 December  
**Global citizenship education**  
CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Public Lecture

CIFAL BENGALURU

3 February  
**Improving nutrition and promoting well-being of children at schools in Bengaluru**  
CIFAL Bengaluru/ Vishakapatnam, India/ Workshop

10 February  
**Improving nutrition and promoting well-being of children at schools in Bengaluru**  
CIFAL Bengaluru/ Bengaluru, India/ Workshop

10 March  
**SHE - celebrating women**  
CIFAL Bengaluru/ Bengaluru, India/ Workshop

30-31 May  
**Back to school**  
CIFAL Bengaluru/ Bengaluru, India/ Workshop

CIFAL PHILIPPINES

1 February  
**A survey on overseas filipino workers in select philippine regions, and filipino skilled labor migration to the ASEAN**  
CIFAL Philippines/ Quezon City, Philippines/ Public Lecture

15 March  
**Good practices on the economic empowerment of southeast asian women**  
CIFAL Philippines/ Makati City, Philippines/ Workshop

11 April  
**Sub-Regional research and advocacy initiatives on migration, integration and diversity**  
CIFAL Philippines/ Online/ Webinar

24-26 May  
**Migration crisis management**  
CIFAL Philippines/ Batangas, Philippines/ Workshop

1 June  
**Human mobility and disaster risk reduction**  
CIFAL Philippines/ Online/ Webinar

22 June; 27 July; 24 August  
**Migration, human mobility and development policy dialogue series**  
CIFAL Philippines/ Quezon City, Philippines/ Meeting

29-31 August  
**International migration statistics for local and national policy formulation**  
CIFAL Philippines/ Quezon City, Philippines/ Workshop

22-24 November  
**Gender and development**  
CIFAL Philippines/ Quezon City, Philippines/ Course



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# ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

Ensuring growth that is socially inclusive and environmentally sound is a key challenge. CIFAL Centres assist local governments and communities to develop solutions and policies that increase food security, build resilience to climate change, improve energy efficiency, and address their own development needs.



## CIFAL ATLANTA

21 March  
**World water day sustainability forum**  
 CIFAL Atlanta/ Kennesaw, USA/ Conference

## CIFAL QUITO

1 September  
**6th Forum on climate change risk**  
 CIFAL Atlanta/ Latacunga, Ecuador/ Seminar

## CIFAL DURBAN

1 - 2 March  
**Water and sanitation**  
 CIFAL Durban/ Durban, South Africa/ Seminar

## CIFAL JEJU

21-23 March  
**Green energy, transportation and green cities**  
 CIFAL Jeju/ Jeju, Korea/ Workshop

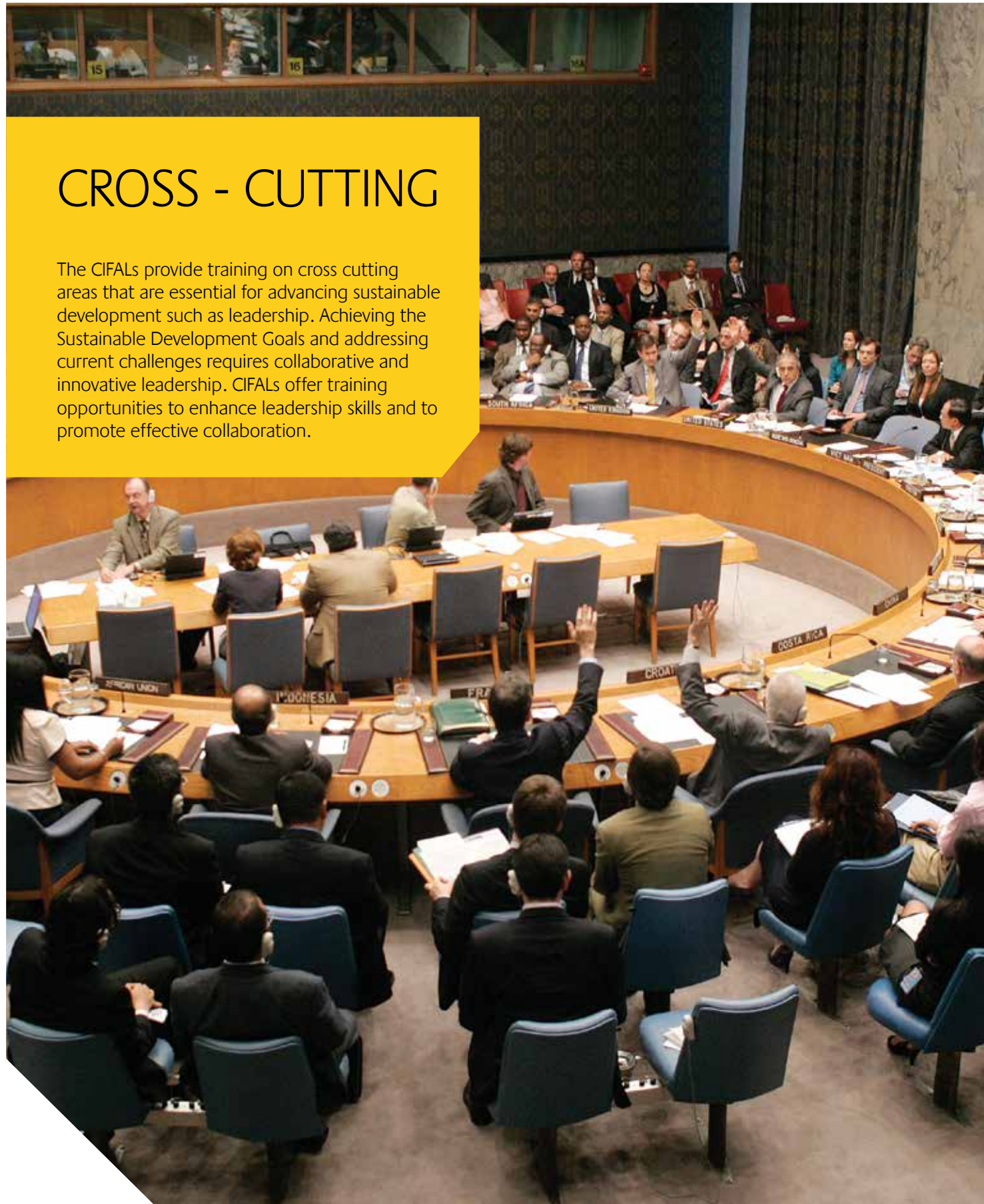
## CIFAL BENGALURU

7 April  
**Sustainable living**  
 CIFAL Bengaluru/ Vishakapatnam, India/ Workshop



# CROSS - CUTTING

The CIFALs provide training on cross cutting areas that are essential for advancing sustainable development such as leadership. Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals and addressing current challenges requires collaborative and innovative leadership. CIFALs offer training opportunities to enhance leadership skills and to promote effective collaboration.



## CIFAL ARGENTINA

31 March - 1 April  
**Leadership and Entrepreneurship in the Patagonia**  
 CIFAL Argentina/ Neuquén, Argentina/ Course

## CIFAL ATLANTA

1 February - 12 March  
**Young southeast asian leaders initiative**  
 CIFAL Atlanta/ Kennesaw, USA/ Fellowship Program

15 - 18 May  
**Young southeast asian leaders Initiative symposium**  
 CIFAL Atlanta/ Singapore/ Conference

## CIFAL CURITIBA

22 June  
**Promoting integrity**  
 CIFAL Curitiba/ Curitiba, Brazil/ Workshop

## CIFAL FLANDERS

24 October  
**UN Day Flanders 2017**  
 CIFAL Flanders/ Brussels, Belgium/ Public Lecture

## CIFAL NEWCASTLE

18 May  
**UN and sustainability careers expo**  
 CIFAL Newcastle/ Newcastle, Australia/ Seminar

## CIFAL ZURICH

27-28 April  
**Millennials - leadership through technology advances**  
 CIFAL Zurich/ Geneva, Switzerland/ Workshop

27 June  
**Senior management - leadership through technology advances**  
 CIFAL Zurich/ Zurich, Switzerland/ Workshop

27-28 June  
**C-suite and board leadership training**  
 CIFAL Zurich/ Zurich, Switzerland/ Workshop

17 November  
**C-suite and board leadership training**  
 CIFAL Zurich/ Geneva, Switzerland/ Workshop

## CIFAL BENGALURU

28 January  
**Leadership training**  
 CIFAL Bengaluru/ Bengaluru, India/ Workshop

1 July  
**Leadership training**  
 CIFAL Bengaluru/ Bengaluru, India/ Workshop



## SPECIAL INITIATIVES

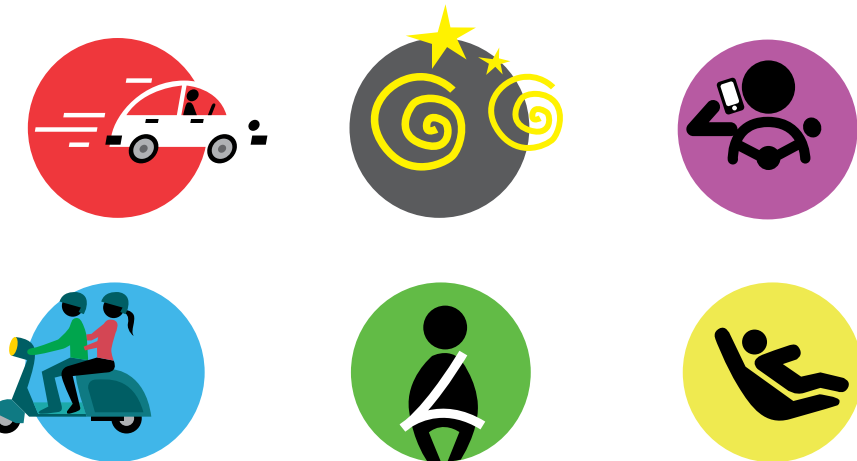
A training initiative of UNITAR, to contribute to halve the number of global deaths and injuries from road traffic accidents by 2020. SDG 3.6



## Strengthening road safety for sustainable cities

Road traffic injuries claim more than 1.2 million lives each year with a disproportionate impact on health and development. They are the ninth leading cause of death across all age groups globally and the leading cause among young people aged between 15 and 29 years.

*UNITAR's initiative on road safety aims to contribute to achieve SDG 3.6 to halve the number of global deaths and injuries from road traffic accidents by 2020.*



UNITAR jointly with its CIFAL Global Network provide training opportunities aimed at strengthening capacities of government officials at local and national levels to implement road safety strategies and programmes.

Changing road users' behavior on key risk factors for road traffic injuries (speed, drink-driving, distracted driving, and the failure to use helmets, seat belts and child restraints properly or at all) is a key component for improving road safety. UNITAR and its CIFAL Centres also contribute to improve road user behavior through advocacy efforts and by increasing awareness of risk factors.



## Training workshops in 2017

21 - 22 February  
**Road safety and sustainable transport systems: West Africa**  
Lagos, Nigeria

13 - 14 July  
**Strengthening road safety: West Africa**  
Accra, Ghana

22 - 24 March  
**Improving road safety and transport systems in Cities: South Africa**  
Durban, South Africa

2 - 4 August  
**Strengthening road safety: Latin America**  
Curitiba, Brazil

4 - 5 May  
**Strengthening road safety: The Caribbean**  
Punta Cana, Dominican Republic

11 - 12 October  
**Strengthening road safety: East & Central Africa**  
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

31 May - 2 June  
**Strengthening road safety in cities: Asia-Pacific**  
Jeju, ROK

2 - 3 November  
**Multi-Stakeholder Conference**  
Manila, Philippines

20 - 21 June  
**Strengthening road safety: India**  
Delhi, India



*\*dates subject to change*

## Road Show Series

The Road Safety Show is an educational programme that aims to raise awareness among youth about the importance of adopting a respectful traffic culture in order to prevent and reduce traffic incidents.

24 March  
**Mayville Primary School**  
Durban, South Africa

1- 8 August  
**Federal University of Parana**  
Parana, Brazil



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## POST-GRADUATE PROGRAMMES

In addition to training and e-Learning courses, UNITAR and CIFAL Centres provide the opportunity to gain knowledge through post-graduate courses. UNITAR partners with academic to offer diplomas and certificates, as well as Master's degrees in areas such as disaster risk reduction.



### Master of disaster resilience and sustainable development



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**22 May 2017 - January 2018 (deadline for application: 8 May)**  
**4 September 2017 - May 2018 (deadline for application: 21 August)**

The University of Newcastle, CIFAL Newcastle and UNITAR are offering the **Master of Disaster Resilience and Sustainable Development** that exposes professionals, organisations and communities to global best practice knowledge, and tools to implement the new UN Sustainable Development Goals and the Sendai framework for Disaster Risk Reduction.

This programme equips people from diverse backgrounds to understand resilience and sustainable development principles, and systematically apply them to the design of public, private, NGO, civil society organisations and the built environment. It aims to enhance organisations' capacity to avoid disasters, operate through extreme events and emerge better placed to face the future.

Upon graduation, in addition to the University degree students will receive UN co-certification from the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) and the United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNISDR).

The program combines flexibility (available both online and face-to-face on campus), relevance (staff who have global best practice experience in disaster relief, reconstruction and resilience building) and employability (of potential benefit to any organisation that recognises the need to build its resilience capacity for the future).

For more information:

<https://gradschool.edu.au/programs/overview/master-of-disaster-resilience-and-sustainable-development-40115>



## Graduate Certificate in Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR)



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The University of Newcastle, CIFAL Newcastle and UNITAR are pleased to offer the **Graduate Certificate in Disaster Risk Reduction** to provide graduates and professionals with the knowledge to manage the DRR process across all sectors of society. Students of the program will learn fundamental disaster risk concepts and receive training in the use of the most globally adopted DRR tools and protocols, some of these through direct engagement with UNITAR resources.

At the end of the programme, students will be capable of conducting disaster risk evaluations and guiding the subsequent development of disaster risk mitigation and management strategies for the organisation in which they work. This program will equip graduates to apply the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction to public, private, NGO and civil society organisations.

The programme combines flexibility to study anywhere at any time as it is available both online and face-to-face on campus. Upon graduation, in addition to the university degree, students will receive UN co-certification from the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) and the United Nations International Office for Disaster Reduction (UNISDR).

For more information:

<https://gradschool.edu.au/programs/overview/graduate-certificate-in-disaster-risk-reduction-40019>

## Diploma of public safety (emergency management)



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**March - November**

CIFAL Newcastle, UNITAR and the Australian Centre for Investigation, Incident and Management (ACIM) Solutions offer the **Diploma of Public Safety (Emergency Management)** PUA52312. This is an Australian nationally accredited vocational education program and develops the skills and knowledge required to develop leaders in operational roles in emergency or disaster management. It is suitable for professionals or volunteers working across the emergency or disaster management spectrum: Prevention, Preparedness, Response and Recovery (PPRR). This qualification addresses the planning for, and management of major risks in emergencies. The program's focus is on working with the community and other key stakeholders prior to, during and after an emergency incident.

The program is open to both individuals and organisations across Australasia. The programs are focused on building practical skills for those operating in the emergency management sector and is activity based as a result. It includes a range of assessment methods including workplace tasks, demonstrations, role-play, written reports, exercise design and conduct activities, case study reviews and project work. Flexible formats are available that include online, blended formats that include workshop and online and participants can also apply for Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL).

For more information:

<https://www.acimsolutions.com.au/course-brochures/>



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