

Specialised Training Programme on Standards, Regulations and WTO SPS and TBT Measures

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Ministry of External Affairs & Department of Commerce, Government of India

$24^{th}July$ to 02^{th} August 2024

Venue: Room no. 703, 7th Floor, NAFED House, Ashram Chowk, New Delhi

	Day 1, Classroom	
	Wednesday - 24July, 2024	
09.30-10.00 hrs	Registration& Group Photograph	
10.00 -11.00 hrs	Inaugural Session	
	Welcome Remarks	Introduction of IIFT/CRIT Dr. Pritam Banerjee
	&	Prof.& Head-CWS,
	Inaugural Address	Shri L Satya Srinivas AS (TNM) Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce and Industry (TBC)
	Special Address	Dr. Rakesh Mohan Joshi Vice-Chancellor Indian Institute of Foreign Trade
	Vote of Thanks	Vote of Thanks Prof. Murali Kallummal Professor and Head Admin. CRIT

11.00- 11.15 hrs	Tea/Coffee	
11.15-12.45 hrs	Session 1 International Trade: Theories and Overview of GATT/WTO – Exceptions to the WTO	Dr.Murali Kallummal, Professor & Head-CRIT Administration
12.45-1400 hrs	Lunch	
14.00-15.15 hrs	<i>Session 2</i> Introduction to WTO's Legal Agreement on TBT	Ms. Monika, Assistant Professor, CWS
15.15-15.30 hrs	Tea/ Coffee	
15.30-16.45 hrs	Session 3 Introduction to WTO's Legal Agreement on SPS	Ms. Shailja Singh, Associate Professor, CTIL, IIFT
	Day 2, Classroom Thursday - 25 th July, 2024	
0930-1100 hrs	Session 4 Meeting Importing Countries' Requirements and Issues in Export Certification	Dr J. S. Reddy, Additional Director, EIC
1100-1115 hrs	Tea/Coffee	
1115-1200 hrs	<i>Session 5</i> Challenges in Complying with SPS Standards – Recent FTA Experiences	Mr Satwik Shekhar, Assistant Professor, CTIL
1200-1245 hrs	CRIT (CWS and CTIL) Library visit	
1245-1400 hrs	Lunch	
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1115-1245 hrs	<i>Session 7</i> Harmonization of National Food Standards with Codex (a case study)	Mr. S. Dave, Former Chairman, Codex Alimentarius Commission
1245-1400 hrs	Lunch	
1400-1535 hrs	<i>Session 8</i> Indian Industry's Experiences in Meeting Challenges in Standards and Regulations	Mr. Sumanta Chaudhuri, Former Ambassador, GoI Dr Swati Singh, International Trade Policy CII
1535-1545 hrs	Tea/Coffee	
1545-1645 hrs	Session 9 Challenges of SDGs: Implications for International and Domestic Trade	Dr.Rajan Sudesh Ratna,** (UNESACP, New Delhi)
	Day 4, Agra Visit to Taj Mahal and Agra Fort Saturday -27July, 2024	
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	Sunday - 28 th July, 2024	
	Day 6, Classroom	
	Monday - 29 th July, 2024	
0930-1100 hrs	Session 10	Dr. Manish Pande,
1100-1115 hrs	Conformity Assessment Framework Tea/Coffee	Director, QCI
	Session 11	Dr. Manish Pande,
1115-1245 hrs	Traceability – Ind-GAP to Global Gap	Director, QCI
1245-1400 hrs	Lunch	
1400-1515 hrs	Session 12 Introduction to the CWS SPS & TBT Online web portals: Private Standards and Implications for Sustainability Issues	Dr. Murali Kallummal, Professor & Head-CRIT Administration
1515-1530 hrs	Tea/Coffee	Ma Dogen 1-! **
1530-1645 hrs	<i>Session 13</i> Overview of EIC and its Role and Functions: Supporting Trade	Mr Darpan Jain, ** Joint Secretary (DoC) &Add L charge of the Export

1530-1645 hrs	Session 13 Overview of EIC and its Role and Functions: Supporting Trade Facilitation	Joint Secretary (DoC) &Add,l. charge of the Export Inspection Council (EIC)
	Day 7, Classroom	
	Tuesday -30 th July, 2024	
0930-1100 hrs	Session 14	Dr. Pritam Banerjee,
	Trade Facilitation and Challenges for International Trade	Professor and Head (CWS)

1100-1115 hrs	Tea/Coffee	
1115-1245 hrs	<i>Session 15</i> Improving Capacity on the Enforcement of Standards at the Border: A Case of Developing Countries	Dr. Pritam Banerjee, Professor and Head (CWS)
1245-1400 hrs	Lunch	
1400-1515 hrs	Session 16 Global Challenges of the non-tariff policies adopted by major trading partners – MRLs and CAPs	Dr. Murali Kallummal, Professor & Head-CRIT Administration
1515-1530 hrs	Tea/Coffee	
1530-1645 hrs	<i>Session 17</i> WTO & Development: An exploration the standards Restated aspects	Hari Maya Gurung Senior Research Fellow, CWS, CRIT Simran Khosla Research Fellow (Economics), CWS, CRIT and Dr. Akanksha Pratik Sonker Associate (Economics)CWS, CRIT
	Day 8, Classroom	
	Wednesday - 31st July, 2024	
0930-1100 hrs	<i>Session 18</i> National Standards Eco System, Role of National Standards Body, Regulatory Framework & TBT Enquiry Point	Dr. Rajneesh Khosla, (International Relations), BIS
1100-1115 hrs	Tea/Coffee	
1115-1245 hrs	<i>Session 19</i> National Standards Eco System, Role of National Standards Body, Regulatory Framework & TBT Enquiry Point	Dr. Rajneesh Khosla, (International Relations), BIS
1245-1400 hrs	Lunch	
1400-1515 hrs	Session 20 Facilitating Compliance to Food Safety and Food Quality for Cross- border Agri-food Trade	Dr Amit Sharma, FSSAI
1515-1530 hrs	Tea/Coffee	
1530-1645 hrs	Session 21 Facilitating Compliance to Food Safety and Food Quality for Cross- border Agri-food Trade	Dr Amit Sharma, FSSAI
	Day 9, Classroom	
	Thursday - 01 August, 2023	
0930-1100 hrs	Session 22 Sharing of Experiences in SPS & TBT Measures Participants to Share their Country's Experiences in Meeting SPS/TBT Measures or Enforcing SPS/TBT Measures	Presentations by Participants
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1115-1245 hrs	Sharing of Experiences in SPS & TBT Measures Participants to Share their Country's Experiences in Meeting SPS/TBT Measures or Enforcing SPS/TBT Measures	Presentations by Participants
1245-1400 hrs	Lunch	
	Session 23	
1400-1515 hrs	Indian Industry's Experiences in Meeting Challenges in Standards and Regulations	Shri Anil Jauhri, Ex-CEO, NABCB, Member UNFCCC
1515-1530 hrs	Tea/Coffee	
1530-1645 hrs	<i>Session 24</i> Understanding Sustainability Standards and regulations	Shri Anil Jauhri, Ex-CEO, NABCB, Member UNFCCC
	Day 10, Classroom Friday -02August, 2024	
	Session 25	
0930-1100 hrs	Dispute Settlement Mechanism and Trade Dispute inTBT and SPS Measures	Dr. James J. Nedumpara, Prof. & Head CTI

1100-1115 hrs	Tea/Coffee	
1115-1245 hrs	Session 26 Valedictory Session Evaluation & Feedback & Certificate distribution	Summarising and Briefing Dr. Pritam Banerjee, Prof. & Head CWS Special Address Shri Viraj Singh Sir AS (MEA), GoI** Vote of Thanks Dr. Murali Kallummal, Professor CWS &Admin. Head CRIT
1245-1400 hrs	Lunch – Send off and Wishing a Born voyage	

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Titles are to be revised before the schedules are finalised. ** = TBC