



National Institute of Banking and Finance State Bank of Pakistan



International Training Programs 2017-18 under Pakistan Technical Assistance Program (PTAP)

Introduction

National Institute of Banking and Finance (NIBAF) is a subsidiary of State Bank of Pakistan (the Central Bank of the Country), and a premier training institute for professionals in Banking, Finance and Management. NIBAF annually offers international trainings, jointly sponsored by Government of Pakistan and State Bank of Pakistan **under the Pakistan Technical Assistance Program (PTAP)**. The training programs are fully funded and are available to the nominees of friendly developing countries. The programs offer a unique learning opportunity of interaction with seasoned trainers/bankers and sharing of knowledge and experiences among the participating countries. Further, the program offers return air tickets (economy class) for selected trainees, 3-weeks training, boarding, lodging besides excursion trips.

An individual country may nominate up to two candidates for each course, and the selection of participants is made through a prescribed criteria. However, additional candidates can also be considered on self finance basis.

Target Participants:

These courses are designed for mid-level officers having prior knowledge of Central and Commercial banking. However, in case of English language Course, the participants may be from any financial institution/Government department.

Application Formalities

1. Applicants and nominating agencies are required to send duly filled application form attached with the flyer with 3 passport sized photographs and a copy of passport. The form can also be downloaded from NIBAF website: www.nibaf.gov.pk
2. The participants will complete health related formalities including vaccination. Further, they are required to get the medical certificate signed by a practicing doctor in their country. NIBAF will be providing only emergency casual medicine.
3. Applicants/ Nominating agencies will contact NIBAF directly, and the selected applicants will be intimated in due course.
4. Copies of correspondence will also be sent to concern Pakistan Embassy/High Commission to process and issue visas/ travel papers for travel to Pakistan for the duration of course.
5. Participants will check-in at NIBAF at least one day before the course begins, and they will intimate NIBAF about their itinerary in advance.
6. Participants are advised to bring convertible foreign exchange or traveler's cheques for their personal use, if any.
7. The Institute will not assume any responsibility for compensation in case of death or disability of the participant. Further, they may, if deem appropriate, arrange travel insurance.

48th International Central Banking Course



45th International Commercial Banking Course



4th English Language Course for the Central Asian Republics (CARS) only



Modules	Schedule	Venue
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Monetary Policy formulation/implementation ◆ Banking Regulation & Supervision ◆ Financial Sector Development & Risk Management ◆ Exchange Rate & Reserve Management ◆ AML / CFT ◆ Balance of Payment & Capital Flow 	6th to 24th February, 2018 (Deadline for application January 5, 2018)	NIBAF, Islamabad, Pakistan
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Role of Commercial Bank in Economic Development ◆ Treasury Management & FX operations ◆ Regulatory Framework- International Standards/ BASEL Accord etc. ◆ Credit Management and Asset Quality Appraisal 	26th February to 16th March, 2018 (Deadline for application January 26, 2018)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Developing effective analytical and comprehension skills ◆ Building effective Presentations Skills ◆ Developing skills in Verbal and NonVerbal Communication ◆ Business writing and communication 	26 th March to 13 th April, 2018 (Deadline for application February 23, 2018)	

Participation on Self-Finance basis:

1. Course fee for participation in each Training Program is US\$ 5,500/- per participant
2. Course fee includes tuition fee, cost of training material, boarding & lodging, hotel charges for inland study tours etc.
3. The fee, however, will not include visa fee/ medical/ compensation in case of death or disability.
4. Further, the participants/or their sponsoring institutions **will arrange visa and international return tickets on their own.**
5. Payment of fee can be made by bank draft payable to 'National Institute of Banking and Finance Account-496501, SBP BSC (BANK), State Bank of Pakistan, Islamabad, Pakistan' or through electronic transfer SWIFT Code: SBPPKKA State Bank of Pakistan, Karachi PK

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