

Target Countries :

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Sector : Governance/Legal and Judicial Development

Sub-Sector :

Language : English

Outline

This course is designed for officials of competition (related) authorities. The course will provide participants with the theoretical lectures on competition law and policy in Japan by academics, as well as practical exercise by JFTC officials. In comparison with the situation in Japan, participants are expected to analyze the challenges in respective country and find its solution.

Objective/Outcome	Target Organization / Group	
<p>【Objective】 To enhance the capacity and skills of participants necessary for drafting, enhancement and enforcement of their competition law by acquiring knowledge on competition law and policy in Japan.</p> <p>【Outcome】 1.Participants can explain the contents features of competition law and policy in Japan 2.Participants can explain the actual operation and enforcement of competition law and policy in Japan 3.Participants can explain how to utilize the acquired knowledge and skills to solve issues in their countries.</p> <p>Competition law is a fundamental law to regulate the anti-competitive activity in the market economy. It serves to promote the competition among the entrepreneurs as well as promotion of trade and investment with abroad. Technical cooperation projects related to competition law and policy are positioned as the program for supporting the investment promotion and business climate improvement in the Rolling Plans.</p>	<p>【Target Organization】 Competition authorities or competition related authorities</p> <p>【Target Group】 1.For countries which already have competition law: Government officials of competition authorities, which is responsible for implementation of competition law 2.For other countries: Government officials in charge of drafting competition law</p>	
<p>Contents</p> <p><Before the Program in Japan> Submission of country report on the respective laws, authorities and enforcement status.</p> <p><During the Course in Japan> - LECTURE: Prohibited conducts (cartels, private monopolization, M&A) of the Antimonopoly Act (Japanese competition law), Investigation procedures and techniques, Procedures of M&A review, etc. - EXERCISE: Case investigation (planning, evidence-collection method, interview technique etc.) - DISCUSSION/PRESENTATION: Group discussion on hypothetical case (case investigation, merger review), Presentation of Country Report/Study Report</p> <p><After the course in Japan> Sharing of the study report with officials at respective organizations.</p>	<p>Course Period</p>	<p>2019/7~2019/8</p>
	<p>Department in Charge</p>	<p>Industrial Development and Public Policy Department</p>
	<p>JICA Center</p>	<p>JICA Kansai (II)</p>
	<p>Cooperation Period</p>	<p>2019~2021</p>

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