

Target Countries : Coastal developing countries which confront with problems with the IUU fishing

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Outline

Fishery is often an important socio-economic sector for the coastal developing countries. However, according to The State of World Fisheries and Aquaculture 2016 of the FAO, more than 15% of the world's fish catch is possibly related to the Illegal, Unreported, and Unregulated (IUU) fishing. Its negative impact is likely to be considerable particularly in the countries where regulatory system is vulnerable. As indicated in SDGs 14, effective regulations for the IUU fishing are getting international attention and awareness of countries are rising. Accordingly, this course shares IUU fishing countermeasures in Japan, specifies issues of IUU fishing in each country, and discuss about the possible action and strategy of the future international cooperation.

Objective/Outcome	Target Organization / Group	
<p>【Objective】 The objective of this course is to improve the understanding of measures and systems that are essential for deterring IUU fishing and to think out tangible countermeasures based on each country's specific issue.</p> <p>【Outcome】</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improvement on analysis skill of status of and countermeasures for IUU fishing Improvement on understanding effective system to deter IUU fishing Information sharing of the each country's action plan on the countermeasures for IUU fishing. 	<p>【Target Organization】</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fisheries related government organization (National or local) Fisheries related research institutes (National or local) Organizations related to coast guard and naval police (National or local) <p>【Target Group】</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Staff of the target organization who is engaged to deter IUU fishing More than three years of working experiences University degree or equivalent Ability to discuss and write report in English or French 	
<p>Contents</p> <p>(1) Lecture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overview and challenges of the fisheries in Japan Overview and regulations of the fishery patrol and fishery management in Japan Fish poaching prevention by fishers in Japan Fishery resource use management between Japan and neighboring countries Catch certification system/Fisheries information collection method/Landing inspection Collaboration with organizations related to control illegal fishing vessels Countermeasures and challenges of the IUU fishing in other countries and regions Systems to monitor the location of fishing vessels by using instruments such as GPS/AIS/VMS <p>(2) Practice</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opinion sharing Report writing <p>(3) Site Observation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visit patrol vessel, boat, and/or monitoring device manufacturer Visit fishing port related facility Visit landing inspection site and seafood export company <p>(4) Formulation and presentation of the action plan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review the countermeasures of the IUU fishing based on the needs of each country 	<p>Course Period</p>	<p>(A) 2019/5/12 - 2019/6/1 (B) 2019/6/2 - 2019-6/28</p>
	<p>Department in Charge</p>	<p>Rural Development Department</p>
	<p>JICA Center</p>	<p>(A) JICA Yokohama (B) JICA Yokohama</p>
	<p>Cooperation Period</p>	<p>2019~2021</p>

Implementing Partner (A) International Farmers Participation Technical Net-work (IFPaT)
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Remarks and Website IFNA's target countries : Burkina Faso, Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Madagascar, Malawi, Mozambique, Nigeria, Senegal, Sudan