



TRADE LAW

TRADE AND GEOECONOMICS

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International Training Centre

In today's interconnected global economy, understanding the legal dimensions of geoeconomics, subsidies, and State-Owned Enterprises (SOEs) is crucial. These elements significantly impact international trade law, shaping policies and regulatory frameworks worldwide. The face-to-face training course, Trade and Geoeconomics, offers a sophisticated and interactive learning environment, combining expert-led discussions, in-depth case studies, and collaborative workshops.

Participants will develop a deep understanding of the legal mechanisms driving global economic strategies and the regulatory frameworks governing subsidies and SOEs within the context of international trade. Delivered in an environment that fosters networking and collaboration, the course provides a unique platform to engage directly with leading experts and professionals from diverse sectors worldwide.

The programme will explore the influence of geoeconomic strategies on international relations, examine the legal and regulatory complexities of subsidies, and analyse the roles and implications of SOEs in shaping economic and legal landscapes. By the end of the course, participants will have gained comprehensive legal knowledge and practical strategies, joining a global network of professionals dedicated to advancing their expertise and impact in the field of international trade law.

WHO ATTENDS THIS COURSE?

THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED FOR:

- Legal professionals, consultants, practitioners, and managers with substantial experience in international trade law.
- Senior officials with significant experience in the public or private sectors, United Nations agencies, foundations, or NGOs.
- Specialists working in corporate legal departments, governmental bodies, international organisations, or academic and research institutions who wish to deepen their expertise in international trade law.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

THE TRAINING COURSE AIMS TO:

- Provide a legal perspective on geoeconomics and its role in the global economy.
- Examine the impact of subsidies within international trade.
- Explore the structure, functions, and regulatory implications of State-Owned Enterprises (SOEs).
- Analyse the intersection of geoeconomics, subsidies, and SOEs with international trade law and regulations.

KEY FEATURES

MODERN METHODS

Learn by doing, through case studies, workshops, and group exercises

INSPIRING DISCUSSIONS

Exchange ideas with international students and faculty

HIGH-LEVEL RESOURCES

Teaching and guidance from leading scholars, trade experts, lawyers, legal counsels, officers

METHODOLOGY

This is an intensive, one-week course requiring full participation and active engagement. Classes are held from Monday to Friday, from 9:00 am to 3:30 pm, at the ITCILO Campus in Turin. Participants will benefit from the guidance and expertise of dedicated coordinators and tutors.

HOW TO APPLY AND CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION

Applications must be submitted online via <https://oarf2.itcilo.org/STF/A9017926/en> by **13 February 2025**.

The participation fee, excluding international travel costs, is **EUR 2,545**, payable in advance by the participant or their sponsoring organisation. This fee covers tuition, access to the eCampus platform, use of training facilities and support services, course materials, accommodation and full board at the Centre's Campus, and emergency medical insurance.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- **Language:** The course will be conducted in English.
- **Certificate:** Participants will receive an ITCILO Certificate of Participation upon successful completion.
- **Contact:** For further information, please contact tradelaw@itcilo.org.

Join this immersive learning experience to enhance your knowledge of international trade law, with a particular focus on the legal dimensions of geoeconomics, subsidies, and SOEs. Engage with experts, develop practical skills, and strengthen your professional network in this rapidly evolving field.

CAMPUS LIFE

A THRIVING UNITED NATIONS CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY OF PROFESSIONAL PEOPLE FROM AROUND THE WORLD

- **Three organizations** from the United Nations system on campus
- **More than 300 training courses** and activities in a stimulating international environment
- **Thousands of participants** from all over the world

ENVIRONMENT AND SURROUNDINGS

Grab a campus bicycle and explore the Turin Centre.

Located in a leafy park on the banks of the Po River, it's a great place for study and collaboration. Experience innovative learning and training methods in modern classrooms equipped with simultaneous translation services.

WITHDRAWAL, CANCELLATION POLICY, AND REFUNDS FOR OPEN COURSES

If an enrolled participant wishes or must withdraw from a course, they may choose to apply to a different course or be substituted by another candidate. The participant must notify the Centre, in writing, of their decision at least 14 days prior to the start date of the course. Cancellation of participation in regular courses will result in the following penalties:

HOUSING, DINING, AND MORE

Comprising more than 280 private dormitories, the **Turin Campus provides a broad range of services for course participants and partners** including a free-flow restaurant, travel agency, laundromat, post office, gym, medical services and a reception desk open 24/7.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND DIVERSITY

Participants can enjoy social events organized by the Turin Centre as well as by their course facilitators. Whether on or off campus, people from different cultural backgrounds have the opportunity to listen to live music together, cook and share traditional foods, or team up to play games and network.

- 14 days or more prior to the start date of the course: No penalty, 100% refund of amount paid less applicable bank charges
- 8 to 13 days prior to the start date of the course: Penalty of 50% of course price, refund of residual amount paid (if any) less applicable bank charges
- 7 days or less prior to the start date of the course: Penalty of 100% of course price.

INFO

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT

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