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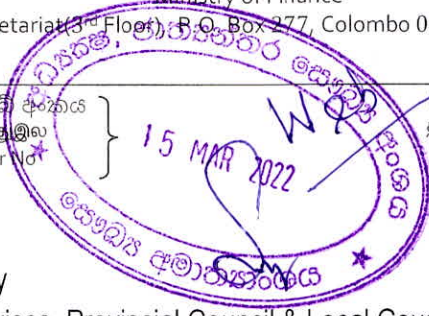
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Attn: Officer In-Charge Foreign Trainings

Dear Sir / Madam

**Seminar on Barrier Free Access for Senior Level Professionals under the Belt & Road Initiative - from 14 to 27 April 2022 (Online)**

We are writing with reference to the email dated 08 March 2022 sent by the Economic and Commercial Office, Chinese Embassy in Sri Lanka on the above.

Accordingly, the Government of the People's Republic of China has invited nominations from the eligible government officials for the above online programme. The course details in this regard are enclosed.

We would highly appreciate, if you could instruct the relevant officials to circulate this programme among the Departments/Divisions/Institutes under your purview, and submit nominations to the Department of External Resources (ERD) with the following documents **on or before 01 April 2022**.

- (i) Nomination Letter (from the relevant ministry)
- (ii) China Application Form (can be downloaded from the ERD website)
- (iii) ERD Form (can be downloaded from the ERD website: www.erd.gov.lk)

For further enquiries please contact following officers of Technical Assistance Division of ERD, Ms. M.R.C.K Senanayake, Deputy Director – 0112484703 or Ms. Yamuna Dissanayake, Development Officer – 0112484517

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Your early response in this regard is highly appreciated.

Yours faithfully



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*for Director General*

# Seminar on Barrier Free Access for Senior-level Professionals under the Belt and Road Initiative

## Project Profile

Name	Seminar on Barrier Free Access for Senior-level Professionals under the Belt and Road Initiative		
Organizer	Academy for International Business Officials, Ministry of Commerce, P.R.China		
Date	From April 14 <sup>th</sup> to 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2022	Language	English
Form	Video conference	Platform	Voov Meeting
Countries invited	Countries along the "Belt and Road"	Number of Participants	25 in total
Objectives	This seminar aims to strengthen international cooperation and experience sharing in the field of accessibility, so as to improve participant's understanding on the significance of barrier free environment construction, so as to promote the accessibility development and inclusive development of society.		
Requirements for trainee	Professional background	--Area or specialty: Accessibility Development --Position: Government officials from infrastructure, informatization, transportation and other relevant departments --Level, educational background or other qualifications: director of division and above	
	Age	Under the legal retirement age in the country	
	Health status	Able to participate in online training courses on time	
	Language competence	Able to understand, speak, read and write English	
	Others	Able to use VooV Meeting to complete the project agenda	
Contact of the Organizer	Contact: Mr. FENG Xiao (registration) Tel.: 0086-10-69759898-6840 Phone: 0086-13466620106 Email: xtbzs@china-aibo.cn		
Training content	1. Primary training courses (1) Overview of China national conditions (2) The Governing Ideas of China's new leadership (3) "The Belt and Road" Initiative and its implementation measures (4) Barrier free frontier theory (5) Case study on barrier free design (6) Barrier free transportation in urban public space in China (7) Barrier free services for social organizations 2. Materials to be prepared		



	<p>In order to facilitate communication with Chinese experts, please prepare brief presentation of your country related to the topics of seminar, such as the development planning and related policies in the field of barrier-free construction.</p>
Remarks	<p>This seminar will be conducted online via the platform VooV Meeting.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. During the training, please follow the class schedule and discipline. The training certificates will be awarded on the basis of attendance records.</li> <li>2. Preparation before seminar: enter the VooV Meeting room 15 minutes in advance and change the personal title to First name/Last name-Country style, such as Sophie Marceau-France.</li> <li>3. Disciplinary requirement: during project implementation, please follow strictly the project agenda.</li> <li>4. Participants need to prepare discussion materials relevant to the subject according to the schedule and submit relevant materials as required.</li> <li>5. Online English simultaneous/consecutive interpretation will be provided.</li> </ol>
About the organizer	<p><i>Academy for International Business Officials</i> (AIBO, also known as <i>Training Center of the Ministry of Commerce</i>), is the only educational and training institution directly affiliated to the <i>Ministry of Commerce</i> (MOFCOM), People's Republic of China.</p> <p>Situated in the famous Xiaotangshan Longmai hot spring area, Changping District, on the riverside of Wenyu River which is reputed as the mother river of Beijing, AIBO boasts a history of 42 years. Covering an area of nearly 600 <i>mu</i> (about 40 hectares) with the total floor area of over 100,000 m<sup>2</sup>, it enjoys beautiful environment and fresh air and has all necessary facilities. Besides, it is conveniently connected to the city's transportation networks.</p> <p>AIBO provides training, academic teaching, conference service as well as holiday service. It has meeting rooms (including VIP rooms) of various sizes. AIBO's hotel is well-furnished and provides all necessary facilities.</p> <p>AIBO is the first to organize seminars for government business officials from other developing countries starting from 1998. Now seminars it organizes cover a large range of topics such as economic administration, trade and investment, city planning and administration, telecommunication, transportation, construction of development zones, logistic management, development of natural resources, international labor cooperation, coordinated development of urban and rural areas, wireless communication and digital TV technology, clean energy, etc. Apart from the seminars for officials at director's level or director general's level, AIBO has also organized many ministerial workshops.</p> <p>By the end of 2021, AIBO has organized 1816 seminars/workshops including 118 Ministerial Workshops, receiving 53214 officials including 1054 ministerial officials from 160 countries and regions around the world.</p> <p>AIBO will strive to make new contributions to the development of China's commerce and develop into a well-known educational and training institution both at home and abroad.</p>