



International Oil Pollution  
Compensation Funds

Fonds internationaux  
d'indemnisation pour les  
dommages dus à la pollution  
par les hydrocarbures

Fondos internacionales  
de indemnización de daños  
debidos a contaminación por  
hidrocarburos

## IOPC FUNDS SHORT COURSE

### INTRODUCTION

The IOPC Funds organises an annual Short Course which covers all aspects of the work of the IOPC Funds and the international liability and compensation regime in general. The course includes exercises which allow participants to study a theoretical incident and the subsequent claims submission process. The course is supported by the International Maritime Organization (IMO), the International Chamber of Shipping (ICS), the International Group of P&I Associations, INTERTANKO and ITOFF. The course has been designed to benefit those candidates with an in-depth involvement and interest in the practical application of the 1992 Civil Liability and Fund Conventions.

### MEMBER STATE PARTICIPANTS SINCE 2011

The Short Course has a limited number of places for participants from 1992 Fund Member States. The IOPC Funds have tried to maintain a good geographical balance of participants. Since the first programme, which was organised in 2011, the following 60 Member States have participated in the Short Course. Member States that have yet to nominate candidates to the course are encouraged to do so.

Algeria	Greece	Namibia
Angola	Grenada	New Zealand
Antigua and Barbuda	Guyana	Nigeria
Argentina	India	Norway
Australia	Iran (the Islamic Republic of)	Oman
Bahamas	Ireland	Panama
Brunei Darussalam	Italy	Philippines
Bulgaria	Japan	Poland
Canada	Kenya	Portugal
Colombia	Latvia	Qatar
Cote d'Ivoire	Liberia	Republic of Korea
Croatia	Madagascar	Spain
Denmark	Malaysia	Sri Lanka
Dominican Republic	Maldives	Switzerland
Ecuador	Malta	Trinidad and Tobago
Finland	Marshall Islands	Tunisia
France	Mauritania	Turkey
Gambia	Mexico	United Arab Emirates
Germany	Morocco	United Kingdom
Ghana	Mozambique	Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)

## NEXT SHORT COURSE & APPLICATION PROCESS

The next Short Course will take place from **Monday, 27 June to Friday, 1 July 2022**. Candidates must submit the following documents to [externalrelations@iopcfunds.org](mailto:externalrelations@iopcfunds.org), by Friday, 20 May 2022:

- a nomination letter by the nominating government addressed to the Director of the IOPC Funds;
- a completed nomination form which can be completed electronically and downloaded from [iopcfunds.org/about-us/what-we-do/external-relations/](https://iopcfunds.org/about-us/what-we-do/external-relations/); and
- a brief curriculum vitae no longer than two pages.

Those interested in applying should be nominated directly by the governments of 1992 Fund Member States.

## FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information about the Short Course, please contact the External Relations and Conference Department at [externalrelations@iopcfunds.org](mailto:externalrelations@iopcfunds.org).

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