

The International Agricultural R&D Training Program

Meeting the UN's SDGs Agenda 2030

Professionally conducted by
the Center for Foreign Trade and International Cooperation - CFTIC
in cooperation with
the Agricultural Research Organization (ARO) Volcani Center
Israeli Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development - MARD



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Introduction



▶ **The International Agricultural R&D Training Program** is carried out as part of an array of professional activities and projects offered to the international community by the Center for Foreign Trade & International Cooperation in cooperation with the Agricultural Research Organization (ARO) - Volcani Center to support worldwide international agricultural development.

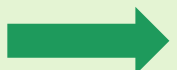
The primary goal of the program is to share with the participants Israel's scientific knowledge, expertise and breakthrough technologies so that upon their return home they will be able to impart their accumulated knowledge and experience to promote competitive, resource efficient, sustainable, and resilient outcomes to the agricultural sector and the industries of their respective country.



▶ **With the aim of contributing to the UN's Agenda 2030 and meeting the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), we offer a broad range of agricultural professional training programs, such as:**

- ✓ Grain storage and food security
- ✓ Postharvest practices
- ✓ Integrated pest management
- ✓ Agriculture under arid conditions
- ✓ Water management
- ✓ Animal husbandry
- ✓ Agricultural adaptation to climate change
- ✓ Agricultural engineering
- ✓ Crop cultivation in protected environment

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Prerequisites and Important Information

DO YOU THINK YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES
TO PROMOTE FOOD SECURITY?



► **Who can participate?**

Our prestigious courses are tailor made for researchers, scientists and professionals from the following sectors:

- ✓ *International organizations*
- ✓ *Government institutes*
- ✓ *Universities*
- ✓ *Research institutes*
- ✓ *Municipalities*
- ✓ *Non-profit organizations*
- ✓ *Private sector entities from the agricultural sectors*

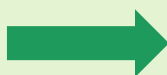


► **What else do you need to know?**

- ✓ *Our courses are held at the Agricultural Complex of the Ministry, 10 km east of Tel Aviv, Israel.*
- ✓ *Our training programs encompass professional in-class lectures, professional field visits and sightseeing.*
- ✓ *Course fee and dates will be published for each specific activity. Payment arrangements will be sent after completion of the registration.*

****Good command of English (speaking and reading) is essential****

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Our Professional Hallmark

Committed to promote sustainable agriculture and rural development, we are leading this unique program through collaboration between two professional bodies in the Israeli Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development (MARD)

► **About the Center for Foreign Trade and International Cooperation (CFTIC)**

The center is responsible for promoting bilateral and multilateral trade and cooperation with governments, international organizations, and other stakeholders in the agricultural sector. The center's activities are built on Israel's expertise and leadership in agricultural innovation and are guided by the UN's 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. CFTIC's activities include agricultural training courses, Israel-based workshops, study visits and professional tailor-made courses conducted overseas. Our team specializes in designing agricultural and rural development demonstration projects focusing on technology transfer and capacity building, execute consultancy missions supporting agricultural development projects.

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► **The Agricultural Research Organization (ARO) - Volcani Center**

The Agricultural Research Organization is the largest institute in Israel involved in agricultural research and is considered one of the most well known in the world. Its main functions are to assist the Israeli farmer in solving a number of different problems, to conduct research and development in promising new agricultural fields and food sciences, and to plan, organize and implement agricultural research in Israel.

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Standing at the Forefront of Innovative Agriculture



- ? Do you wish to be a leader in knowledge and technology transfer, and serve your country as a food security specialist?
- ? Are you interested in receiving a training certificate from a world renowned agricultural research institute?
- ? Do you want to be a part of a prestigious community of experts and professionals, who work together towards developing resilient food systems?

Come and join us in assisting the international community and shape the future of our planet by promoting sustainable agricultural production

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