



# Energy Efficiency Policy Training Week 2022

Latin  
America

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# World class training & a growing community of practice



The IEA Energy Efficiency Policy in Emerging Economies Training Weeks are dedicated to sharing experience with planning, implementing and evaluating energy efficiency policies in emerging economies.

Launched in 2015, these events have now brought together over 1,500 next generation energy efficiency professionals from more than 120 countries, primarily from government institutions and their supporting organisations in emerging economies.

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Such diverse, multicultural classes with people from different backgrounds made the experience very interesting and helped me realize how my organization and policies in my country are aligned, and to identify the areas that should be improved.”

**Carlos Firmeza**

The aim of these training events is to equip policy makers with knowledge and skills to be more effective in their roles.

Participants become part of the international energy efficiency community with a large support network to call upon as they progress through their careers.



# Which courses are available?

The 2022 Latin America Training Week consists of 3 parallel courses on energy efficiency policy in: 1) buildings; 2) appliances and equipment; and 3) indicators and evaluation. Selected participants will attend one of the three courses depending on the area that best matches their role.



Each course offers a mix of lectures, interactive discussions and practical exercises that allow participants to learn from international best practice and each other. The programme also includes a half-day conference with leading voices from the region on energy efficiency and its role in achieving the goals of affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all.

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The training gave me a more holistic understanding about energy efficiency policy making and made me understand multiple points of view, challenges and opportunities considering different scenarios and regional discrepancies.”

**Alumna, 2017 Latin America Training Week, Brazil**

# Which course is right for you?

## Buildings



The course examines how energy efficiency investment in buildings can be improved through proven policies and technologies. Participants will explore the status of buildings energy efficiency globally and in the region and examine methods and strategies that can deliver the multiple benefits of energy efficiency. Daily instruction will include lectures, group activities and self-study to present and reinforce the course material. Through interactive sessions and group discussion, the participants will explore barriers to scaling up energy efficiency and the policy and technology options for overcoming those barriers.

## Appliances and Equipment

The course will focus on how policy makers can implement cost-effective policies and programmes to transform markets and scale up the use of efficient appliances and equipment. Using a number of scenarios, the course takes a step-by-step approach through prioritisation of products and policy tools. Policy implementation and enforcement will be a strong focus. The course will also explore the opportunities for building an efficient local manufacturing industry for efficient equipment and appliances. Daily instruction will include lectures, group activities and self-study to present and reinforce the course material.



## Indicators and Evaluation



The course will provide participants with techniques to assess the results of energy efficiency policies and programmes. It will include a focus on relevant data and indicators and how to use them to inform different stages of the policy cycle, such as understanding policy progress and effectiveness and what can be improved, designing new policies and programmes, and refining existing ones. The training will explore the principles of monitoring and evaluation techniques and how to implement them. It will also identify sources of data to develop energy efficiency indicators, and how to collect data to address evidence gaps. Daily instruction will include lectures, group activities and self-study to present and reinforce the course material.

# Target Audience

The training week is aimed at energy efficiency professionals from government institutions and their supporting organisations who want to make energy efficiency potential a reality.

Women with suitable profiles are strongly encouraged to apply. While policy makers are a priority, we also welcome participants from the private sector, civil society and academia.

## Practical information

- There is no attendance fee for the training course. Participants should commit 5 hours daily to attend the online training week.
  - All training courses are delivered in English and therefore a good level of English is essential for all participants. Nevertheless, many of the training materials will be available in Spanish, Portuguese and English.
  - Applications are administered via an online application portal on the IEA website. Candidates are informed whether or not their application has been successful via email.
  - Selected participants attending the full training receive a certificate of completion.
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- Daily start time:
    - 8am Costa Rica/Guatemala/Honduras
    - 9am Ecuador/Colombia/Mexico/Panama/Peru
    - 10am Bolivia/Dominican Republic/Paraguay/T&T
    - 11am Argentina/Brazil/Uruguay
    - 3pm Paris/France

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“The training helped widen my network with people from different areas with a common interest in fostering energy efficiency deployment. Besides, it provided a set of different examples of energy efficiency policies implemented in different countries, which enabled me to see some opportunities to explore and propose in my organisation.”

**Alumnus, 2017 Latin America Training Week, Brazil**

# Where we work

The IEA's Energy Efficiency in Emerging Economies (E4) Programme works closely with six of the world's largest emerging economies on energy efficiency, namely Brazil, China, India, Indonesia, Mexico and South Africa.

The programme also works within emerging regions, such as ASEAN, Latin America and Africa, supporting energy efficiency through established political and trading relationships.

## Get Involved



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