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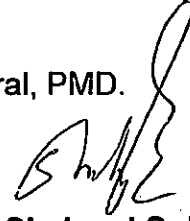
Subject: - WMO Education and Training Opportunities (2025)

WMO Secretariat vide their letter No. 01069/2025/SI/ETR dated 14th February, 2025, has announced "WMO Education and Training Opportunities (2025)" at various universities/ institutions in the field of meteorology, hydrology, and climatology. Details are available at WMO website:

<https://community.wmo.int/en/fellowships-applications>

2. Eligible officers/officials may apply directly to the university/ institution for securing of an "Acceptance Letter" with expenditure details. Candidate(s) (having Acceptance Letter) submit their "WMO Fellowship Nomination Form (FNF)" along with supporting documents (complete in all respect) through their respective Directorate for consideration and processing with WMO. *Application may reach to this office well-ahead of closing date.*

3. This issues with the approval of Director General, PMD.



(Dr. Shahzad Sultan)
Deputy Director (Coordination)
For Director General, PMD

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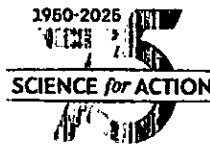
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Annexes: 2 (available in English only)

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Action required: For information and appropriate action, as required

Dear Sir/Madam,

In response to Goal 4 of the *WMO Strategic Plan 2024–2027* (WMO-No. 1336) which, inter alia, addresses the need to “develop and sustain core competencies and expertise”, I am pleased to advise you of the Education and Training opportunities that WMO plans to support in 2025. Members interested in nominating suitable candidate(s) are required to review the “Compendium of WMO fellowships and training opportunities (2025)” which can be downloaded from the WMO community website and to follow the instructions carefully. WMO Fellowship and training opportunities are desirable to support nominations coming from National Meteorological and Hydrological Services (NMHSs) of least developed countries (LDCs) as well as developing countries, countries with economies in transition, small island developing States (SIDS), and countries more vulnerable to natural disasters.

The 2025 fellowships are proposed by 15 WMO Education and Training Partners from 13 countries, with a wide variety of education and training opportunities in meteorology, hydrology, and climatology. Unless otherwise stated in the Compendium, any candidate applying for a fellowship to undergo studies in any institution must first secure an acceptance letter from that institution or be in the process of obtaining one before submitting their nomination to WMO (fel@wmo.int).

Furthermore, please note that for guidance on the choice of institutions for your candidate(s), you are advised to consult the partners listed in the Compendium (Annex II) and WMO Regional Training Centres (RTCs) website, which respectively contain information on fellowships and training opportunities available from institutions and countries that have a special agreement with WMO. Before the submission of nominations, you are invited to carefully read the Guide on nominations for fellowships and training (Annex I), as well as the criteria for the award of fellowship and training sponsorships that can be found in the *Guidelines for Applying for a WMO Fellowship* (WMO-No. 1104)

Due to WMO budgetary constraints, I would encourage you to be selective when proposing candidates considering the WMO requirements in terms of qualification. You may, therefore, consider paying particular attention to how your request aligns with your NMHS needs in human resource capacity building, considering gender equity issues.

To: Permanent Representatives of Members with WMO
cc: Hydrological Advisers

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