

Women in Nuclear Security Initiative (WINSI)

Webinar Series Education as a Key to Addressing the Gender Equality Gap in Global Nuclear Security



1st webinar organized by the IAEA Division of Nuclear Security in cooperation with Amity University, Noida, Uttar Pradesh, India

Monday, 7 March 2022

Scheduled at: 13:00 Vienna (Austria) Time Duration: 3 hours

Information Sheet

Background

The IAEA Division of Nuclear Security established the <u>Women in Nuclear Security Initiative (WINSI)</u> in March 2021, with the mission to support the achievement of gender equality in nuclear security both within the IAEA's Division of Nuclear Security and the global community of practice. WINSI aims to promote and strengthen the involvement of women in nuclear security and related fields worldwide as well as to enhance the attractiveness of nuclear security jobs and careers to women, especially for the next generation.

To support this initiative, WINSI has organized and hosted the following webinars:

- The Role of the IAEA in Strengthening Capacity of Women in Nuclear Security Worldwide
- Women in Information and Computer Security in the Nuclear World
- Women in Nuclear Security Inspections
- Women in Nuclear Security Law Enforcement

Throughout 2022, WINSI, in partnership with four renowned international universities, will host four webinars with the aim to establish an international forum where knowledge on existing programmes and opportunities in nuclear security education will be shared. This series of webinars aims to also connect students (women and men) with their peers and experts worldwide. The quarterly webinars will focus on the role of education as a key to developing and promoting more young women in the field of nuclear security. Each webinar will provide the opportunity to learn about existing nuclear security education programmes in a specific region of the world.

Starting from Asia and the Pacific region, Amity University in India will host the first webinar on 7 March 2022, by inviting experts and students from the region to share their experiences and discuss how the regional nuclear security educational programmes contribute to the increase of women representation in this field. The second webinar will focus on nuclear security education opportunities in North and South America (Purdue University, USA, Q2-2022), the third one in Africa and the Middle East (Mansoura University, Egypt, Q3-2022) and the last one in Europe (Hertie School, Germany, Q4-2022).

Objectives

The objectives of the International Nuclear Security Education Forum Webinars are to:

- provide an overview of nuclear security education programmes offered by the host university and in the region;
- provide an overview of the IAEA's programme of assistance to Member States in nuclear security education and gender equality work;
- enhance the attractiveness of studying and pursuing careers in the field of nuclear security;
- discuss career opportunities for women in nuclear security;
- share the experiences of the young generation and hear their expectations;
- facilitate sustainable capacity-building, cross-learning and knowledge-sharing in the field of nuclear security.

Target Audience

The primary audience of the webinar are students pursuing education in the field of nuclear security; recent university graduates of nuclear security-related programmes interested in careers in the field of nuclear security; prospective students interested in applying for bachelor and/or master level programmes on nuclear security; faculty members leading educational programmes in nuclear security; nuclear security professionals working in competent authorities, academics, and other organisations involved in the national nuclear security regime. Members of Women in Nuclear Global, Regional and National Chapters, and individuals interested in learning about education opportunities in the field of nuclear security are most welcome to join.

Working Language

English

Registration

Please register for the first webinar using this link not later than the 7th of March, at 11:00 CET.

Once you have successfully registered, you will receive an email confirming your participation in the webinar and containing information on how to access the WebEx-hosted meeting.

You can test whether you are able to access the WebEx platform using the following link: <u>https://www.webex.com/test-meeting.html#</u>. Please contact your IT department if the test fails.

For more help, contact Anna Gredinger, Nuclear Security Information Officer, Division of Nuclear Security (Email: <u>A.Gredinger@iaea.org</u>).

Webinar Programme

13:00 – 13:15	Opening Remarks
	Ms Elena Buglova, Director, Division of Nuclear Security, IAEA
	Ms Balvinder Shukla, Vice Chancellor, Amity University, Uttar Pradesh, India
13:15 – 13:20	Introduction
	Ms Arpita Datta, Faculty AINST, Amity University, Uttar Pradesh, India
13:20 - 13:40	Gender Equality at the IAEA
	Mr Peter Frobel, Director, Division of Human Resources, IAEA
13:40 - 14:00	Nuclear Security Education Programme at the IAEA
	Ms Oum Keltoum Hakam, Education Officer, Division of Nuclear Security, IAEA
14:00 – 14:40	Perspectives from India and Japan
	Ms Alpana Goel, Director AINST, Amity University, Uttar Pradesh, India
	Mr Hiroshi Sagara, Tokyo Institute of Technology, Japan
14:40 – 15:00	Women in Nuclear Southeast Asia (WiNSEA)

Ms Sabariah Kader Ibrahim, Malaysia

- 15:00 15:30 **Young Generation Perspectives Panel** Ms Nabila Zaman, *University of Dhaka, Bangladesh* Ms Chalamalla Lkshitha, *Amity University, Uttar Pradesh, India* Ms Wahyu Amalia Nurbaiti, *Gadjah Mada University, Indonesia*
- 15:30 15:55 **Questions & Answers**
- 15:55 16:00 **Closing Remarks**