

## Seminars and Trainers (UN/DESA)

21 February 2001

### (1) **Seminar 1: Potentials of E-Government for Developing Countries**

Topics: What the new information technologies can do to improve government effectiveness, efficiency and accountability, to provide a better civil service delivery, to reengineer government, to increase transparency and citizen's participation in public administration, and to stimulate public-private partnership building, and, accordingly, to promote good governance.

#### Candidates of Co-Trainers:

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| <b>Mr. Ken Cochrane,</b><br>CIO,<br>Information and Technology<br>Canada Customs and Revenue<br>Agency,<br>Canada          | 875 Heron Rd.<br>Room 5140, HQ<br>Ottawa, ON KIA OL5<br>Tel: 613-954.8983<br>Fax: 613-957.9058<br><a href="mailto:ken.cochrane@ccra-adrc.gc.ca">ken.cochrane@ccra-adrc.gc.ca</a> | <b>Confirmed.</b> CV received. |
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### (2) **Seminar 2: E-Government Implementation**

Topics: The critical success factors in e-government implementation, the methodologies and management of e-government implementation, the knowledge and skills needed in e-government implementation along with the indispensable infrastructure, equipment, technologies and standards, and the main difficulties and challenges in e-government implementation in developing countries.

#### Candidates of Co-Trainers:

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### (3) Seminar 3: Contribution of E-Government to Economic and Social Development

Topics: Importance of e-government in promoting national competitiveness and in attracting foreign investment; importance of government information services to the public; development of nation-wide government networks; promotion of distant learning and medical services; provision of social services in one-stop-shops and fostering national cultural identities.

#### Candidates of Co-Trainers:

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| <b>Ms. Ceres Prates,</b><br>Secretary of State for<br>Management<br>Government of Brazil<br>Brazil   | Secretaria de Gestao<br>Ministério do Planejamento,<br>Orçamento e Gestao<br>Bloco K, 4 andar, Gabinete<br>Brasilia, DF, Brazil<br>ZIP: 70363-020<br><br>Ministry of Planning, Budget and<br>Management<br>Government of Brazil<br>Phone # 55 61 429-4905<br>Fax # 55 61 429-4917<br>(celular) 99712293<br><a href="mailto:ceres.prates@planejamento.gov.br">ceres.prates@planejamento.gov.br</a> | <b>Confirmed.</b> CV received.<br><br><u>Contact person:</u><br>Joao Marcelo Borges<br>Assistant to the Secretary<br>Secretariat of Management<br>Ministry of Planning, Budget<br>and Management<br>Government of Brazil<br>Phone: +55 61 429-4905<br>Fax: +55 61 429-4917<br><a href="mailto:joao.borges@planejamento.gov.br">joao.borges@planejamento.gov.br</a> |
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### (4) Seminar 4: E-Government Strategies and Priorities in Developing Countries

Topics: Identification of the priorities in e-government implementation; a possible set of e-government development strategies, such as pilot project implementation, implementation by incremental steps, and evolution instead of revolution; short-term and long-term planning; organizational aspect of e-government management, outsourcing, etc.

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| <b>Mr. Costis Toregas,</b><br>President, Public Technologies<br>Inc. (PTI)<br>USA  | 1301 Pensylvania Avenue NW<br>8th Floor<br>Washington, DC 20004<br>Tel: (202) 626-2411<br>Fax: (202) 626-2498<br><a href="mailto:toregas@pti.org">toregas@pti.org</a> | <b>Confirmed.</b> Trying to adjust<br>schedule to fit days of Naples<br>seminars. |
| <b>Mr. Subir Hari Singh, JS,</b><br>Head of Electronic Governance<br>Division, Ministry of<br>Information Technology,<br>The Government of Indi<br>India | Tel: (91) 11- 4360160 (o)<br>(91) 11- 4648664 (h)<br><a href="mailto:subir@mit.gov.in">subir@mit.gov.in</a>   | <b>Confirmed.</b>   |

**(5) Seminar 5: Public and Private Partnerships**

Topics: The role of the private sector in e-government development; how to promote partnerships building between the public and private sectors in order to stimulate e-government implementation in developing countries, how partnerships and self-funding portals can be effective to leverage information assets while providing improved public service; best practices at both national and local levels in developed countries.

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| <b>Dr. Lyle Wray,</b><br>Executive Director,<br>Citizens League of Minnesot<br>USA | 708 South Third Street #500<br>Minneapolis, MN 55415<br>Tel: 612-338-0791<br>fax: 612-338-0791<br><a href="mailto:lwray@citizensleague.net">lwray@citizensleague.net</a> | <b>Confirmed.</b> CV received.                           |
| <b>Mr. David A. Ademicael,</b><br>Major Accounts Manager,<br>Cisco Systems         | <a href="mailto:dandemic@cisco.com">dandemic@cisco.com</a>   | <b>Confirmed.</b> Nomination will<br>come the next week. |

**(6) Seminar 6: E-Government New Regulatory Paradigm**

Topics: The relevant laws and regulations for facilitating and securing e-government development in state; trends in Internet fraud, fighting cybercrime, ethics in the cyberworld; privacy and government's responsibilities; protection of intellectual property; and legitimacy of digital documents and signatures.

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| <b>Mr. Lance J. Hoffman</b><br>Professor,<br>Computer Science Dept.<br>George Washington<br>University,<br>USA  | Academic Center, Phillips Hall, 7th<br>floor<br>801 22nd St. NW<br>The George Washington University<br>Washington DC 20052<br>202 994-4955<br>Tel: (202) 994-4955<br>Fax: 202 994-4875<br><br><u>Home address:</u><br>7104 44th St.<br>Chevy Chase MD 20815-6039<br>Tel: 301 656-6205<br>Fax: 301 652-0158<br><a href="mailto:hoffman@seas.gwu.edu">hoffman@seas.gwu.edu</a> | <b>Confirmed.</b> CV received.<br>Runs the Cyberspace Policy<br>Institute |
| <b>Mr. Francis A. McDonough</b><br>Deputy Associate<br>Administrator<br>Office of Intergovernmental<br>Solutions<br>General Services<br>Administration<br>USA | Tel: (202) 501-0291<br><a href="mailto:Frank.mcdonough@gsa.gov">Frank.mcdonough@gsa.gov</a>  | <b>Confirmed.</b>   |

### **Terms of Reference of the Trainers:**

- (1) To prepare, in consultation with UN/DESA/DPEPA, an outline of the contents for the assigned seminar;
- (2) To prepare necessary training materials for the assigned seminar, to be distributed to the trainees during the seminar;
- (3) To prepare an one hour or more lecture in the training course, to be delivered at the training seminar;
- (4) To conduct one (or two, if requested) training seminar assigned between 12 – 14 March 2001, in Naples, Italy, and to chair the Q/A session during the seminar;
- (5) To participate the 3rd Global Forum taking place from 15 to 17 March 2001, in Naples, Italy.