



Empowering Global Changemakers:

A Force for a Sustainable Future

Why UNITAR?

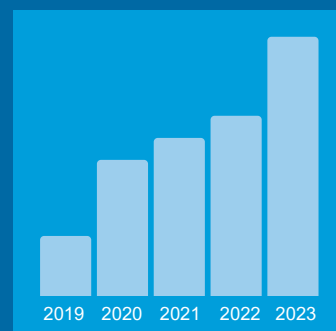
UNITAR, the principal training arm of the United Nations, supports individuals and organizations with training and capacity development to enhance global decision-making and support action at the country and community levels for a better future.

Our interactive programmes focus on building practical skills and are tailored to the needs of the participants. Through practical training, engagement with peers and mentoring, participants learn how to put their new skills and knowledge to use and bring about real transformation in their communities.

2023 UNITAR Reach

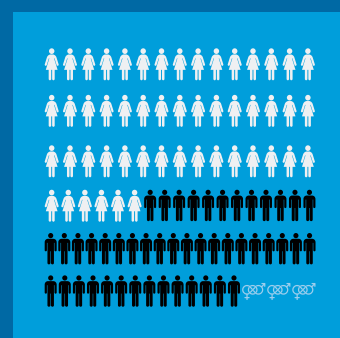
400,985* Learners

UNITAR enhanced the capacity of over 400,000 individuals through its learning services and training programmes in 2023 (44% increase from 2022).



54% Women

More than half of our participants self-identified as women, 45% as men, and 1% as non-binary.



86% from Developing Countries

37% of participants were from least developed countries, landlocked developing countries and small island developing states, 49% were from other developing countries, and 14% from developed countries.



* Only includes learners from trainings with specific learning objectives. It does not include participants of large conferences, public lectures and side events.

The Division for Prosperity:

Innovating With Purpose

Scan the QR code for more information
www.unitar.org/prosperity



UNITAR PILLARS



The Division for Prosperity is one of the programmatic divisions of UNITAR and consists of the Technology, Finance and Trade Programme Unit and the Hiroshima Office. Driven to “leave no one behind”, we deliver creative, cutting-edge learning solutions to promote inclusive and sustainable economic growth.

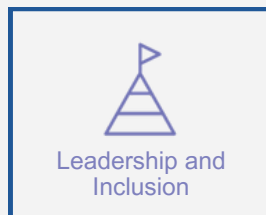
We strive to reach society’s most vulnerable people, especially women and youth. Our training programmes have a global reach, serving individuals and institutions in 101 countries, including least developed countries, small island developing states and areas affected by conflict or in post-conflict recovery.



Trainings that Makes a Difference

Tech-enabled, digitally forward trainings that blend the collective UN experience with latest industry trends and teaching methodologies

Key Training Areas



Tailored and relevant

We customise the course content and delivery to the needs of those we serve, supplemented by language contextualisation, local coaches and mentoring sessions.



Experiential learning

We combine theory with expert-led sessions, peer learning, webinars and guest lectures and promote hands-on learning through case studies, quizzes, site visits, group projects and individual assignments.



Accessible and flexible

In addition to high-tech tools like virtual reality, we use low-tech solutions such as radio and flexible learning platforms to enable easy access to trainings, even in complex socioeconomic conditions or remote areas with limited stable internet.



World-renowned expertise

We partner with renowned academic institutions, think tanks, private sector entities, recruitment agencies, governments and country experts to ensure our trainings align with the job market.



Exponential impact

We reinforce practical training with follow-up and sustained engagement to empower learners to use their new skills and to teach others.



Diverse and inclusive

We promote diversity and inclusion through the course content and in the mix of participants, local resource persons and coaches.

Partnering for Measurable Impact

Data speaks. Emotions echo.

We are committed to delivering agile programmes that deliver measurable impact and build momentum for future growth.

We track progress through:

Impact Reviews

We conduct quarterly impact reviews with our partners to assess early outcomes, identify areas for improvement and inform the next phase of programming.

Lean Impact Frameworks

We co-create lean impact frameworks with our partner organizations, prioritizing 3 to 5 key metrics that are easy to track and communicate.

Feedback Loops

We embed short feedback loops in our learning journeys to rapidly gather participant insights and feedback, enabling us to correct course in real time, as needed.

Shared Learnings

We synthesize insights into annual impact snapshots, sharing learnings with the wider ecosystem to enhance credibility and enable strong partnerships.

Metrics Matter, But Stories Shine.

We love to spotlight inspiring stories of transformation. Sharing individual journeys of alumni success through compelling multimedia narratives helps validate our approach and inspires more changemakers to join our learning community.



Our Global Footprint

Division for Prosperity
2023 & 2024

Active programming in 101 countries

Continent	Countries	Thematic Areas
Africa (46 Countries)	Algeria, Angola, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Egypt, Eritrea, Eswatini, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Ivory Coast, Lesotho, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Rwanda, São Tomé and Príncipe, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Seychelles, South Africa, South Sudan, Tanzania, The Democratic Republic of Congo, The Republic of the Congo, Togo, Zambia, Zimbabwe	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application Development • Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning • Blockchain for Businesses • Climate Resilient Economies • Data Science • Digital Literacy and Cybersecurity • Digital Reskilling for Women • Digital Transformation • Entrepreneurship and Innovation • Financial Literacy & Planning • FinTech for Entrepreneurs • Food Security • Programming & Coding • Public Health and COVID 19 Recovery • Sustainable Livelihoods • Women and Youth Empowerment
Americas (11 Countries)	Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Peru	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application Development • Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning • Blockchain for Businesses • Agribusiness SME Development • Entrepreneurship and Innovation • Financial Literacy & Planning • Food Security • Programming & Coding • Women and Youth Empowerment
Asia and Oceania (38 Countries)	Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Brunei, Cambodia, China, Cook Islands, Fiji, India, Indonesia, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kiribati, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Maldives, Mongolia, Marshall Islands, Micronesia, Myanmar, Nauru, Niue, New Zealand, Pakistan, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Samoa, Singapore, Solomon Islands, South Korea, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Tokelau, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, Viet Nam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application Development • Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning • Blockchain for Businesses • Climate Resilient Economies • Entrepreneurship and Innovation • Financial Literacy & Planning • Food Security • Nuclear Disarmament and Non-Proliferation • Programming & Coding • Tsunami-based Disaster Risk Reduction • Women and Youth Empowerment
Europe (2 Countries)	Poland, Switzerland	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital Reskilling for Women (Ukrainian Evacuees) • Women and Youth Empowerment
Middle East (4 Countries)	Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Lebanon	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application Development • Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning • Blockchain for Businesses • Data Science • Digital Literacy and Cybersecurity • Digital Transformation • Entrepreneurship and Innovation • FinTech for Entrepreneurs • Health Security and Economic Development • Programming & Coding • Women and Youth Empowerment



Digital Futures

Empowering women and youth through digital upskilling and reskilling

Trainings in frontier technologies for professional excellence



Focus Topics

- Digital Literacy
- Data Science
- Programming & Coding
- Applications Development
- AI & Machine Learning
- Cybersecurity
- Women's Empowerment in the Digital Economy

Regions

Afghanistan, Iraq, Poland, Latin America, North and Central Africa, Anglophone Africa and the Sahel region

“The programme has reshaped how I approach my work. I’ve integrated new tools and techniques into my daily tasks, which has improved my problem-solving abilities. The knowledge I gained has made me more adaptable and better equipped to handle the challenges of today’s business environment.”



Iryna Markina
Sales director, Ukraine



Social Innovation and Entrepreneurship

Resilient Ideas for Sustainable Entrepreneurship (RISE) Lab

Trainings focusing on building innovative businesses with a social impact



“I learned many things that I needed to know as an entrepreneur and businesswoman. One crucial thing I gained was the confidence I needed.”



Ayesha Oriakhil
Businesswomen and entrepreneur,
Afghanistan

- Innovation, Entrepreneurship & Social Entrepreneurship
- Financial & Digital Literacy
- Leadership & Communication
- Gender Equality & Empowerment
- Planning & Risk mitigation
- Networking & Fundraising
- Project & Business Operations
- Coaching & Mentorship

Focus Topics

Regions

Afghanistan, Egypt, Ethiopia, Iraq, Jordan, Kenya, Lebanon, South Sudan and other African and Middle Eastern countries.



Finance and Trade

Digital financial inclusion

Trainings in financial inclusion, business finance and FinTech



Focus Topics

- FinTech & Innovation
- Blockchain & Trade Finance
- Financial Literacy
- Financial Analysis
- Lending Methodologies
- Measuring Performance
- Digital Finance

Regions

Tanzania, Zambia, Zimbabwe, the Sahel region, other African countries, Latin America & the Caribbean, Middle East

“

I write my data now differently. I write them with a background now, I am aware of every term and its meaning and more importantly, its impact. It is no longer just a mindset of getting the job done rather, [about] what it implies to our region.



Hosam Eldin Mahdy
Chief statistician, Egypt

”



Leadership, Equality & Development (L.E.A.D. Future)

Empowering women & youth and enabling disaster risk reduction

Trainings focusing on leadership, empowerment and disaster management



The programme has been an excellent platform to receive vital information from professionals all around the world. Each module was well-written, designed and delivered. I had the opportunity to understand and learn many important aspects on sea and human security.



Shirleyyna Aipa
University tutor, Papua New Guinea

- Disaster Risk Reduction Project Planning
- Developing Policy Brief
- Sea and Human Security
- Inclusive Early Warning Systems
- Youth Empowerment
- Leadership & Inclusion
- Gender Equality & Women's Empowerment

Focus Topics

Regions

Asia and Pacific countries, Iraq, Jordan, Lebanon, and other African and Middle Eastern countries



Anti-Corruption & Combating Crime

Educating women and youth in developing regions

Trainings promoting transparency, anti-corruption and public service



Focus Topics

- Anti-Money Laundering & Countering Terrorism Financing
- Combating Financial Crime
- Anti-Corruption
- Fundamentals of Transparency
- Public Service
- Law Enforcement
- Leadership

Regions

North and Central Africa, Latin America and the Sahel region

“UNITAR's anti-corruption training programme helped me identify what measures I can take as an individual and as part of my organization to help combat corruption.”



Francine-Blanche Mengué
School guidance counsellor, Cameroon



Hiroshima and Peace

Nuclear disarmament and non-proliferation

Trainings focusing on nuclear negotiations and advocacy



“UNITAR's training programme on nuclear disarmament and non-proliferation helped me zero in on the key topics of negotiation that I can implement in my daily work.”



Diane Shayne Lipana
Diplomat, Philippines

- Global Trends in Nuclear Negotiations
- Negotiation Strategies
- Cross-Cultural Communication
- Challenges & Opportunities in Disarmament and Non-Proliferation
- Youth Empowerment for Nuclear Disarmament

Focus Topics

Regions

Worldwide, with a special focus on the Asia-Pacific region

Together We Are Stronger

UNITAR partners with diverse governmental, public and private entities across all continents to realize country-level ambitions of a self-reliant and empowered workforce for sustainable social and economic success.

Partnership Opportunities



Funding our training programmes

Monetary donations enable us to continue delivering innovative and customised learning experiences open to all individuals. With expert instructors, interactive content and flexible scheduling, we ensure a dynamic and rewarding educational journey.



Executive trainings and certificate programmes

We design and deliver bespoke programmes for governments, public organizations and private corporate entities. Our comprehensive curriculum combines theory and practice, empowering learners with valuable skills and credentials to advance their professional careers.



Employment partnerships

Our programmes prioritize collaboration with employment partners, recognizing their vital role in shaping curriculum relevance and industry alignment. By fostering strong relationships, we ensure graduates are equipped with skills in demand by employers, facilitating seamless transition into the workforce.

Your contributions to UNITAR not only empower individuals to become transformative changemakers today, but also foster the development of intergenerational knowledge and wealth within communities.

We invite visionary organizations from across the globe, from all industry sectors, to collaborate with us in shaping an inclusive, resilient and future-ready world.

Together, let us enable every world citizen with 21st-century capabilities to become empowered changemakers, equipped to drive sustainable economic development and social prosperity. Join us in our mission to leave no one behind!

Contact

Mihoko Kumamoto

Director

Division for Prosperity

UNITAR

prosperity_directoroffice@unitar.org

Our socials



