



LANGUAGE: Available in English, Spanish, and Portuguese

TIME COMMITMENT: 8 - 10 hours per week for five weeks

LOCATION: Virtual

2020 EDITIONS:

- March 31st
- July 7th
- October 20th

How to Apply: to register, go to www.iadb.org/esgcourses

Registration is US\$50 if paid three weeks prior to the start of the course. After this date, registration costs \$100.

Group discount available for groups over 4 people. To request it, please use the INDES HELP form in the registration page.

Biodiversity in Environmental Impact Assessment

Online Course



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DELIVERY FORMAT OF THE COURSE

This course is offered in an **instructor-led** format. The online instructor-led courses are offered in a personalized mode with no more than 35 students in each class. Start and finish dates are clearly marked. Besides the online tools used for interaction in the virtual environment, courses provide students with continuous support from a technical assistant, the tutor, and a program coordinator, who are experts in the course topics, and can offer effective feedback in all course activities and promote relevant discussion.



This course provides a knowledge base on accepted good practices for the effective incorporation of biodiversity into the process of Social and Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA). These good practices have been created to ensure that the biodiversity information included in EIAs provides a precise and adequate analysis of the impact on biodiversity, providing a basis for the development of effective mitigation measures to ensure that these impacts are handled in an appropriate manner.

The course is divided into five modules:

- Development and biodiversity;
- Good practices for biodiversity baseline data collection;
- Good practices for biodiversity impact assessment;
- Effective measures to mitigate impacts on biodiversity; and
- Biodiversity and the challenge of sustainable development.

Who should take this course?

The Biodiversity in EIA Course is primarily intended for people involved in the evaluation of Social and Environmental Impact Assessments (EIAs) and management plans for government approval but may also be useful for those who are responsible for writing EIAs.

Please note that this course will have one optional synchronous session during module 2.