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Entrepreneurship development course for field trainers



In accordance with its role of enhancing the skills of field mission trainers and providing technical guidance towards their delivery of training and learning initiatives for missions, the Department of Peace Operations Integrated Training Service delivered an Entrepreneurship Development course.

The course was attended by 23 trainers of Integrated Mission Training Centres (IMTCs) from 9 to 13 March, at the Regional Service Centre in Entebbe, Uganda.

The introductory course on Entrepreneurship Development was the first in the series of courses to be held in the future for IMTC trainers of mission planning and delivering career development, transition, or pre-retirement training interventions for national and international staff.


Those trained could deliver awareness sessions on aspects of the course for other staff to enhance their career development.

The training is intended to offer learners insight into what it takes to start and successfully run a business.

Participants' comments given during the evaluation of the course included:

- *Great fundamental course to business start-ups. I will be writing a business plan and transferring the learning.*
- *Thank you for this opportunity and*
- *The training was very important and equipped us with many ideas on how to create our own businesses. We know how to make business plans and create own business as an entrepreneur.*

"Especially for a mission like UNAMID, the course is very much needed. The course equipped me with the necessary skills as facilitator as well as building new ideas for the enterprise development fair that we are conducting," said Mohammed Hussein Aboh of UNAMID.

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