



Accredited Africa Training Institute for Capacity Development

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COURSE BROCHURE

International Law Economic Diplomacy Fundamentals Training

Law, Military Science and Security / Sovereignty of the State

Unit Standard 114844 · NQF Level 5 · 5 Credits · 2 Days

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course equips learners with a foundational understanding of international law as it applies to economic diplomacy, enabling them to navigate the legal frameworks governing cross-border trade, investment, and diplomatic negotiations. It focuses on the intersection of public international law, treaty obligations, and economic policy to foster effective participation in global economic governance.

Category	Law, Military Science and Security
Subfield	Sovereignty of the State
Unit Standard	114844
Accreditation	SAQA Accredited · NQF Level 5 · 5 Credits
Duration	2 days
Training Method	Online, On-Campus, In-House
Certificate	Issued via AATICD LMS – verifiable online

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Apply principles of international law to economic diplomacy scenarios, including trade agreements and investment treaties.
- Analyze the role of international organisations (e.g., WTO, UNCTAD) in shaping economic diplomacy.
- Evaluate the legal implications of sanctions, trade remedies, and dispute resolution mechanisms.
- Demonstrate understanding of treaty negotiation processes and state responsibility in economic relations.
- Implement strategies for compliance with international economic law in cross-border transactions.
- Design a basic framework for integrating international law into national economic diplomacy policy.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Professionals in government, trade promotion agencies, diplomatic services, and private sector executives involved in international business or economic policy.
- It is also suitable for postgraduate students seeking practical insights into the legal dimensions of economic diplomacy.

COURSE OUTLINE

Day 1: Foundations of International Law and Economic Diplomacy

- Introduction to international law: sources, subjects, and hierarchies.
- Overview of economic diplomacy: definitions and stakeholders.
- International economic institutions: WTO, IMF, World Bank, and UNCTAD.
- Core principles of international trade law: GATT, GATS, and TRIPS.
- Investment law fundamentals: bilateral investment treaties and dispute resolution.
- Sovereignty and jurisdiction in economic affairs.
- Case study: South Africa's participation in regional economic communities (SADC, AU).

Day 2: Advanced Applications and Practical Integration

- Sanctions and countermeasures in international law.
- Dispute settlement mechanisms: ICJ, WTO, and investment arbitration.
- Negotiating economic agreements: bilateral and multilateral approaches.
- Emerging issues: digital trade, climate change, and sustainable development.
- Role of economic diplomacy in South Africa's foreign policy.
- Practical exercise: simulated trade negotiation or dispute resolution.
- Integrating international law into diplomatic practice: ethics and compliance.

ASSESSMENT & CERTIFICATION

Delegates are assessed through exercises and a final test. A mark of **50% or above** earns an **AATICD Certificate of Completion**, issued digitally with a unique verification code. This course carries **5 NQF credits** at **NQF Level 5**.

PRICING (PER DELEGATE, EX-VAT)

Delegates	Training Method	Price per Delegate	Total
1	Online	R 16,200.00	R 16,200.00
1	In-House	R 21,000.00	R 21,000.00
1	On-Campus (Pretoria)	R 24,300.00	R 24,300.00

UPCOMING SESSIONS

Start	End	Method	Venue
10 Aug 2026	11 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Durban, South Africa
10 Aug 2026	11 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Pretoria, South Africa
10 Aug 2026	11 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Cape Town, South Africa
12 Aug 2026	13 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Abu Dhabi, UAE
12 Aug 2026	13 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Dubai, UAE
12 Aug 2026	13 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Mauritius
18 Aug 2026	19 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Pretoria, South Africa
18 Aug 2026	19 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Durban, South Africa

Contact us if no suitable date is listed – on-demand sessions can be arranged for groups.

HOW TO GET A QUOTE OR APPLY

1. **Get an instant quotation online:** visit www.aaticd.co.za, open the page for this course (Unit Standard 114844) and click **Get A Quote / Apply**. Select your training method and number of delegates – your quotation is generated immediately and emailed to you with the course brochure attached.
2. **Apply by email:** send the course title, your preferred training method (Online, In-House or On-Campus Pretoria), the number of delegates and your preferred dates to apply@aaticd.co.za – our team will reply with a formal quotation.
3. **Apply by phone or WhatsApp:** call **+27 12 004 8389** or WhatsApp **+27 65 077 6310** and we will prepare your quotation and reserve your seats.
4. **Confirm your booking:** accept the quotation and settle the invoice. As soon as payment is confirmed your delegates are enrolled and receive their AATICD LMS login details by email, along with joining instructions for their chosen training method.

Group discounts apply automatically – the more delegates you enrol, the lower the price per delegate. No payment is required to request a quotation.

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