



Foreign Assistance Monitoring and Evaluation Distance Learning Course

This course was developed by the Office of the Director of US Foreign Assistance (F) in close collaboration with State, USAID and the Foreign Affairs Evaluation Work Group, with representation from the Office of the Director of US Foreign Assistance, the Department of State, USAID, OGAC, and MCC. Previously this group has published an Evaluation Glossary, Standards and Guidelines (available on www.foreignassistance.net). This course is a basic primer on monitoring and evaluation for anyone who has such responsibilities around the world. It is available on the FSI website, Diplopoedia, USAID University, Foreignassistance.net and DAC web-site.

F is making this course available to anyone interested in monitoring and evaluation; as such, users are free to download the course to their website or computer. Agencies are free to adapt the course to their needs. We do request that you give appropriate credit to the Office of the Director of US Foreign Assistance.

F is pleased to announce that it has started the process to develop a second course which will primarily focus on rapid data collection methods for evaluations. The proposed course will be designed to expose the trainees to the following five rapid data collection methods -- systematic literature review, mini-surveys, focus group discussions, key informant interviews and direct observation methods.

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