



Guidance on UN and UNV mandatory courses

For UN Volunteers

Learn all about your UN and UNV mandatory courses. And complete them before you start your UN Volunteer assignment. You are responsible for checking the requirements and ensuring you are up to date with mandatory training.

Know the rules, there's no excuse!

Why

Familiarize yourself with the UN standards, values, and regulatory requirements, so you know about your obligations and rights during the UN Volunteer assignment.



What

A set of UN system-wide mandatory and UNV core e-courses to ensure familiarity and compliance with key regulations, rules, and processes during your assignment.



How

These courses are easily accessible on UNV learning platform, [eCampus](#), in UN languages. Upload certificate of completion / information to your profile on [UVP](#) - scroll down for more info.



Access your mandatory online courses on [eCampus](#)



1. [BSAFE*](#)

BSAFE is the online security awareness training. It is **mandatory** for ALL UN personnel: staff, interns, UN Volunteers. It is **highly recommended** for dependents.



2. [Prevention of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse \(PSEA\)*](#)

Become aware of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (SEA), and a range of measures to combat such misconduct. Understand what the impact of SEA on victims is, and the consequences for UN Personnel who commit SEA.



3. [United to Respect: Preventing Sexual Harassment and other Prohibited Conduct*](#)

Learn about UN's policy and procedures on harassment with a focus on creating a harmonious working environment, free from intimidation, hostility, offence and any form of discrimination or retaliation.



4. [Know your Obligations and Rights](#)

Sexual exploitation and abuse, sexual harassment, and other types of misconduct are prohibited behaviors for all UN personnel. Learn about your obligations, rights, and systems in place to effectively prevent, respond to and stop these from happening.



5. [Volunteering for the Sustainable Development Goals \(SDGs\)](#)

Your UN Volunteer assignment links to sustainable development. Learn about the different ways in which people volunteer worldwide, and how volunteering contributes to achieving the SDGs and the 2030 Agenda.



6. [Ethics and Integrity as UN Volunteer](#)

Familiarize yourself with the obligations placed upon you by the Charter of the United Nations, the UNV Regulations and Rules, and other administrative issuances; and you will be equipped with the knowledge to make ethical decisions more confidently.



7. [Cultural Awareness: Working in Cross-cultural Environment](#)

As a UN Volunteer, you will need to adapt to new social and organizational cultures. This course will help you be aware of different cultures and how to communicate and work with colleagues from all over the globe.

Where to update completion info?

***e-courses 1 to 3:** Upload certificate of completion to [UVP](#) via tasks in your [dashboard](#), or on the [assignment page](#) prior to starting your UN Volunteer assignment.

e-courses 4 to 7: Update completion info on these courses to your UVP profile under "[Qualifications >> Other Qualifications](#)" within 3 months of starting your assignment.

Also, visit [UN Volunteer Onboarding Portal](#) for detailed guidance.

Any questions? | contact us via [eCampus](#)

