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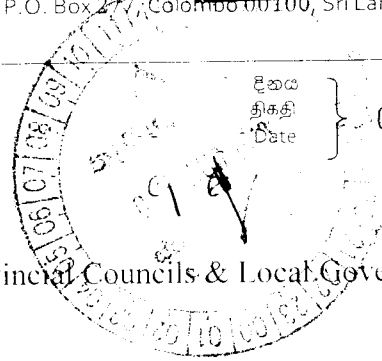
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07 August 2019



**Secretary**

Ministry of Internal and Home Affairs, Provincial Councils & Local Government

Dear Sir/Madam

**Seminar on the Belt & Road Construction & Advancement for Sri Lanka  
– from 10 to 30 October 2019 - China**

The Government of China has invited nominations from eligible Government Officials in Sri Lanka for the above training programme. The officials who attended in a training programme funded by the Chinese Government within 02 years are not entitled to apply for this training programme.

Therefore, you are kindly requested to submit **12 nominations (06 from Ministry of Home Affairs & 06 from Ministry of Provincial Councils & Local Government)** along with the following documents **on or before 10 September 2019**.

1. Duly filled Application Form.
2. A copy of the passport (The expiry date of the passport shall be not less than 6 months from the ending of the Seminar).
3. Duly filled ERD Form 2
4. Medical Report (All the applicants without considering the age have to provide the medical report).

Application Form, ERD Form 2 and the Medical Report in this regard could be downloadable at [www.erd.gov.lk](http://www.erd.gov.lk).

General conditions for Chinese training programmes.

- Age limit is under **45** for Director or under Director Level and under **50** for Director General's level.  
(If overage officers are being nominated, a recommendation on nominee's working ability and health condition is required. This should be submitted by nominee's Department or Institution, addressing to the Commercial Counselor of Chinese Embassy in Sri Lanka. However this should not guarantee that the overage nominations will be accepted all times).

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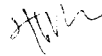
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- Should send only the requested number of nominations.
- One official can apply only for one programme at once.
- Applications will not be accepted after ERD closing date.
- Some training programmes could be cancelled or postponed.
- Scheduled dates of the training programmes could be changed due to unavoidable circumstances occurred by the Chinese government.
- Selected Participants may be informed by the Embassy of the People's Republic of China in Sri Lanka most probably within one week before the training programmes begin.
- All the selected participants must wear a formal dress when they meet the officials at the Embassy of the People's Republic of China in Sri Lanka and they should be there on time.
- Air Tickets may be issued most probably one day before the departure.
- Course details may be given to the participants on the day before they leave the country or may be received in China.
- Selected participants should participate in all the lectures & all events conducted under the training programme.

Your early attention in this regard is highly appreciated.

Yours faithfully



**L. A. Y Darshanie de Silva**  
Director / TA Division  
*for Director General*

	<p>个人承担。</p> <p>4、航班落地提取行李之后，请在国际到达出口（或国内到达出口）耐心等待，工作人员会持写有研修班名字的接机牌接机。如等待超过 15 分钟，可以与项目联系人电话沟通。</p> <p>5、如遇托运行李丢失需向航空公司登记，请先与项目联系人电话沟通确认行李送达处后再填写登记表。</p> <p>6、着装要求：请关注研修班举办地天气情况，携带相应衣物。研修班重要活动需着正装（民族服装亦可）。</p>
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## Seminar on “The Belt and Road” Construction and Advancement for Sri Lanka

### Project Description

Full Name	Seminar on “The Belt and Road” Construction and Advancement for Sri Lanka		
Organizer	Fujian Foreign Trade and Economic Cooperation Officials’ Training Centre		
Holding Time	October 10 - October 30, 2019	Language	English
Invited Participants	Officials and representatives from economy related industries		
Planned Number of Participants	30		
About the	Age	Under 45 for officials at or under director’s level; under 50 for officials at director general’s level	

Participants	Health	In good health with health certificate issued by the local public hospitals; without diseases with which entry to China is disallowed by China's laws and regulations; without severe chronic diseases such as serious high blood pressure, cardiovascular/cerebrovascular diseases and diabetes; without mental diseases or epidemic diseases that are likely to cause serious threat to public health; not in the process of recovering after a major operation or in the process of acute diseases; not seriously disabled or pregnant		
	Language	Fluency in listening, speaking, reading and writing in English		
	Others	Participants who come to China for training are not allowed to bring spouses or relatives.		
Host City	Fuzhou City, Fujian Province	Local Temperature	Autumn: 23 -32	
Cities to Visit	Beijing Municipality; Tianjin Municipality; Quanzhou City, Fujian Province	Local Temperature	Beijing Municipality: 8℃-19℃ Tianjin Municipality: 9℃-19℃ Quanzhou City: 20℃-25℃	
Notes				
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About the Organizer	<p><b><i>Fujian Foreign Trade and Economic Cooperation Officials' Training Centre</i></b> (hereinafter referred to as "<b><i>the Centre</i></b>") operates directly under the Department of Commerce of Fujian Province. It is a provincial authority responsible for human resources development programs for developing nations sponsored by the Ministry of Commerce of the People's Republic of China and cadre training, business and on-the-job training of staff members working with the provincial government's foreign trade functions, etc. The Centre was granted the titles of "National Human Resources Training Base for African Countries" by the State Council in March, 2008 and "Training Base of International Business Officials, MOFCOM" by the Ministry of Commerce in May, 2010.</p> <p>Since 2001, the Centre has successfully organized 63 training programs and received 97 delegations for business tours, investment attraction and product exhibitions at the request of the Organization Department, Personnel Department, Office of Attracting Foreign Talents and other relevant departments of the Fujian Provincial Party Committee as well as 285 state-owned</p>			

	<p>enterprises, joint ventures and private companies based in Fujian Province. Through the programs, more than 1500 civil servants at different levels, professionals and senior managers received training and conducted investment and product promotions abroad. Besides, drawing on the preferential policies introduced by the Central Government, the Centre has promoted the International Marketing Fund for Small and Medium-sized Enterprises and organized 17 seminars of various subjects for 581 managers from all sorts of enterprises.</p> <p>In 2004, the Centre began running human resources development programs for developing countries under the direction of the Ministry of Commerce of the People’s Republic of China. By the end of 2018, the Centre has organized 351 training programs for 9127 government officials and professional technicians from 132 developing countries, including the Seminar on Sports Facility Management and Maintenance for Sri Lanka, Seminar on Youth Business Initiation Capacity for the “Belt and Road” Countries, Training Course on Tunnel Engineering and Technology for Nepal, Seminar for Vietnamese Officials of Three Provinces, Seminar for Senior Diplomats of Latin American Countries, Seminar on Export-oriented Economy, Seminar on Female Capacity Building, Seminar on Economic Development and Planning Analysis of Cities and Towns for Developing Countries, Seminar on Tackling Trade Barriers, Seminar on Commerce and Industry for Federation of Yemen Chambers of Commerce and Industry, Seminar for Local Government Leaders of Portuguese-speaking Countries, Seminar for Local Government Leaders from Members of Shanghai Cooperation Organization, etc. Lectures and field trips specifically designed for the theme, orderly implementation of the schedule, and quick response to emergency have ensured the positive effect of seminars and training courses, allowing participants to broaden their horizons, improve their professional and practical abilities, and build friendship with the Chinese people.</p>
<p>Seminar/ Training Course Content</p>	<p><b>Purpose:</b> This seminar held by the Chinese government aims to enhance mutual understanding, deepen friendship, and establish a platform for promoting communication and cooperation on the BRI with Sri Lanka.</p> <p><b>Content:</b> This seminar includes lectures and field trips. All lectures are given by government officials or experts, covering topics such as “About China”, “Foreign Relations of China”, “Understanding ‘the Belt and Road Initiative’”, “Opportunities for cooperation and development under the BRI”, “Identification and Evaluation of Entrepreneurial Opportunity under the BRI”, and “Resources-collecting of Social Organizations”.</p> <p>In addition, participants will visit cities outside Fuzhou, where they will meet with local government officials, visit enterprises and organizations, and exchange ideas to better understand China’s BRI, and at the same time seek opportunities for broader cooperation.</p> <p>The content shown above is subject to changes and finalized version shall be provided upon the official’s arrival.</p>

**Tips:**

1. Please get ready the passport, the visa to China and the transfer visa to a third country if necessary.
2. The organizer will receive you at the airport, please inform the Chinese embassy or the organizer of the changes in time if your flight is delayed or changed in order to make corresponding changes in reception.
3. In principle, any alteration to air tickets is not allowed. If there is a need, please contact the Chinese embassy and reissue the air tickets according to the related regulations and procedures. If you change the air ticket without consent, the organizer will inform the Chinese embassy and the costs and responsibilities therefore incurred shall be borne by yourself.
4. The organizer will have your flight itinerary to Fuzhou and meet you with the name of this seminar written in the sign at the exit of INTERNATIONAL ARRIVAL (or DOMESTIC ARRIVAL) of the airport upon your arrival. Please claim your luggage and wait for the pickup. If you wait more than 15 minutes, please call the organizer immediately.
5. In case of lost baggage to be registered with the airline, please first communicate with the organizer to confirm the baggage delivery location and then fill in the registration form.
6. Please pay attention to weather condition in the host city and carry the appropriate clothing. As for the dress code: On important occasions (e.g.: opening ceremony and closing ceremony), please dress formally (national costumes are acceptable). For the lectures and meetings, semi-formal dress is acceptable. For sightseeing and shopping, casual dress and comfortable shoes are necessary.