

**Tutored E-learning Course on
“Enhancing Development Effectiveness for Decentralisation and Local Governance”**

7th May - 7th July 2018

Topics of the course, methodology and timeline

The course will cover the following topics:

- 1) Introduction to decentralisation, local governance and aid/development effectiveness
- 2) Political decentralisation and political economy analysis
- 3) Administrative decentralisation
- 4) Fiscal decentralisation
- 5) Linkages between decentralisation and sector support
- 6) Designing coherent support strategies, including in fragile contexts, and monitoring change

A detailed overview of the schedule and activities is available [here](#).

The **target group** of this course are development professionals in the field and at HQ level who have been working on (and around) Decentralisation and Local Governance (DLG) for 2 - 5 years, sector specialists experienced in decentralised settings as well as practitioners from public and local administration and CSOs.

The **methodology** of the course is designed to include self-paced content study and activities such as individual assignments, peer-to-peer consultation and webinars. There will be a tutor to guide participants through the course and to provide general support as well as a DLG expert for providing thematic expertise.

The **timeframe** envisioned for the course is two months with an estimated total learning time of around 30 hours, depending on previous knowledge and on the depth participants decide to study the modules. This translates into approx. four hours per week.

Application procedure and deadline

Please click [here](#) to apply. The **deadline** for applications is 8th April 2018. Selected applicants will be informed until 17th April. DeLoG member staff have priority for the 35-40 slots available. Should space remain, the course will be opened to other qualified applicants and DLG practitioners.

*This course, like all courses conducted by DeLoG, will be **free of charge** for all participants and the member organizations they represent. The language of instruction is English.*

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