



## ONLINE TRAINING ON

# EIA: A REQUIREMENT BEYOND CLEARANCE

**COURSE DATE:** December 7–16, 2020

**LAST DATE TO APPLY:** December 3, 2020

**COURSE FEES:** INR 2000

In 1994, an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Notification was brought in with an objective to minimize the adverse impacts of developmental projects. But it has become a mere clearance process. This is, in part, a result of weakening of the Notification through amendments. But another factor is also responsible for the enfeeblement of EIA.

There are three important stakeholders in an EIA study: project proponent, consultant and regulators. Each of them has a role to play in identifying and quantifying the impacts of a project and implementing appropriate mitigation measures. A good EIA study can actually prove beneficial to the project proponent and save them the cost incurred due to non-compliance. However, there is a lot of ignorance on the mechanism of EIA and this also leads to its non-optimal implementation.

In order to make the process of EIA substantial, clearer and deeper understanding is the need of the hour. To this end, Centre for Science and Environment, is organizing a 10 day-long online training course on the topic.

### COURSE OBJECTIVE:

The online course has been designed to capacitate environmentalists and prospective environmentalists to develop a better understanding of the EIA process.

The course will be conducted through presentations, recorded videos, discussion with experts and reading material.



### KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Consequences of poor EIA reporting
- Methodology for EIA preparation
- Methodology for data collection
- Evaluation, interpretation and validation of data
- Analysis of socio-economic impacts
- Preparation of Environmental Management Plans
- Case studies on good environmental practices
- Review and evaluation of EIA reports
- EIA legislation: India and developed countries

### WHO CAN APPLY?

- Industry professionals, environment consultants and environment engineers
- Researchers and academics
- Students aspiring to work in the field of environment

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