



Health, Safety and Environment

Reserves management, monitoring and evaluation

Course Introduction

This training program aims to enhance the capacities of participants in managing nature reserves and protecting biodiversity. Participants will acquire the skills needed to develop effective plans and programs, follow up on their implementation and evaluate them. The program targets reserve managers, government employees, researchers, and investors in the field of environment.

Target Audience

- Nature reserve managers
- Environmental government officials
- Researchers in the fields of biodiversity
- Investors in environmental projects

Learning Objectives

- Preparing participants to develop plans and programs to protect protected areas and follow up on their implementation and evaluation procedures.
- Raising the capacities of participants in the management and protection of biodiversity.
- Prepare and develop plans and programs for the protection of nature reserves.
- Recognize the basic principles of evaluating the effectiveness of management for reserves and their applications.
- Training on how to manage nature reserves and monitor biodiversity.
- Provide basic information for managers at all levels.
- Provide participants with basic information in utilizing available resources and making effective decisions.
- Improve communication and collaboration between reserve managers and investors.

- How to use management effectiveness assessments to adapt and improve reserve management.
- Developing work methods and procedures and keeping abreast of technical developments.
- Methods of preparing databases, documents and specialized reports on protected areas

Course Outline

- **DAY 01**

- Introduction to Protected Area Management**

- Definition of protected areas:**

- Basic concepts.

- Protected area management tasks:**

- Key responsibilities and functions.

- Types of protected areas and protection systems:**

- Various classifications.

- **Day 02**

- Developing plans and policies:**

- Developing plans for the management and protection of protected areas
 - Developing policies and programs to manage protected areas

- Evaluating the effectiveness of reserve management

• Day 03

Meta-evaluation and methods:

- Meta-evaluation of sanctuary management effectiveness (METT):
- The concept and importance of meta-evaluation.

METT-4 (METT-4):

- Steps and procedures.

Ways to conserve and manage the reserve's natural resources:

- Effective strategies and case studies.

• Day 04

Nature reserve management and biodiversity monitoring

- Monitoring, surveillance, and data collection:
- Tools and methods.
- The role of awareness-raising in protecting protected areas.

• Day 05

Methods of conducting surveys:

- Field data collection techniques and how to apply monitoring techniques on the ground.

Confirmed Sessions

FROM	TO	DURATION	FEES	LOCATION
May 26, 2025	May 30, 2025	5 days	4250.00 \$	UAE - Dubai
Sept. 22, 2025	Sept. 26, 2025	5 days	4950.00 \$	Norway - Oslo
Dec. 22, 2025	Dec. 26, 2025	5 days	4250.00 \$	UAE - Dubai