



## Program calendar

### July

#### *ROC*

##### **Multicountry observational study mission on Value-adding Technologies for Fruit and Vegetables, 14–18 July.**

► Objectives: To review recent developments in the management of fruit and vegetables; learn about modern technologies and strategies for fruit and vegetables; observe the best practices in the host countries; and discuss and formulate strategic approaches to adopt the identified valuable-adding technologies for fruit and vegetable management.

► Participants: Managers, officials, or researchers in private enterprises, the public sector, or producers' associations involved in developing and disseminating value-adding technologies for fruit and vegetable processing.

#### *Indonesia*

##### **APO Alumni Forum, 14–16 July.**

► Objectives: To take stock of the activities of APO societies/alumni or productivity associations in member countries; and motivate NPOs to develop and/or strengthen APO alumni activities in their countries.

► Participants: NPO heads/senior coordinators in charge of alumni relations, officer bearers of APO alumni associations, or former participants with strong leadership and initiative.

#### *Malaysia*

##### **Training of trainers in Good Agriculture Practices (GAP) and Benchmarking: GLOBALGAP for Fruit and Vegetables, 14–23 July.**

► Objectives: To acquaint participants with the key concept and understanding of GAP, GLOBALGAP, and benchmarking for harmonization of GAP standards; and provide training on how to develop a GAP scheme.

► Participants: Trainers or consultants of research and training institutions, representatives of quality assurance/certification bodies, NPOs, or other organizations, or academics directly involved in training fruit and vegetable producers, retailers, exporters, and importers in GAP.

#### *e-Learning Course*

Energy Efficiency (based on the Global Development Learning Network of the World Bank platform).

Phase 1: 9–12 June for Bangladesh, Cambodia, Lao PDR, Thailand, Vietnam, and Mongolia

Phase 2: 7–10 July for India, I.R. Iran, Nepal, Sri Lanka, and Pakistan

Phase 3: 22–25 July for Fiji, Malaysia, Philippines, and Indonesia

► Objectives: To acquaint participants with the concept, principles, and fundamental elements of energy management including energy audits, energy efficiency measurement, and development of preliminary energy management plans for industries.

► Participants: Energy professionals, industry managers especially from SMEs, building engineers/architects, energy managers/consultants, and energy auditors.