Program calendar

November

Japan

Multicountry Observational Study Mission on Branding of Local Food and Agricultural Products, 9–16 November 2010.

▶ Objective: To study approaches of the Japanese public and private sectors to establish and promote brand names of foods and agricultural products and to formulate strategies for adopting them in member countries.

▶ Participants: Farmers, representatives of farmers' associations, managers of food enterprises, and government officials or researchers involved in promoting the domestic food industry.

Malaysia

Training Course on Development of Productivity Practitioners (DPP): Advanced Program, 29 November–17 December 2010.

▶ Objective: To provide productivity practitioners with advanced knowledge and skills enabling them to deliver promotional, training, and consulting services on productivity techniques to organizations.

▶ Participants: NPO staff or those from similar organizations who attended DPP: Basic and with more than two years' experience in productivity improvement projects.

Philippines

Training Course on Development of Productivity Practitioners: Basic Program, 1–26 November 2010.

Objective: To provide productivity practitioners with basic knowledge and skills enabling them to provide training, consulting, and promotional services to NPO clients.
Participants: Those who have more than two years' working experience with NPOs or related agencies.

Germany

Mission to a Nonmember Country on GLOBALGAP for Greater Market Access for Agrifood Products, 1–5 November 2010.

▶ Objective: To study the latest trends and developments in good agricultural practices (GAP) and GLOBALGAP standard implementation and certification and identify the best practices in Germany.

▶ Participants: Senior government officers, managers of farms/firms, academics, professional staff of quality assurance/certification bodies, or consultants who are involved in the promotion of GAP and GLOBALGAP.

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