

**Ministry of External Affairs
DPA II Division
ITEC COURSE PROPOSAL SUMMARY**

1. Course details

Course Title	ITEC Programme on Leadership Competencies in Logistics and SCM			
Stream	Management			
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Course Duration:	From	23/11/2026	to	29/11/2026 ; One Week
No. of days of training	One Week (Offline)			
Accommodation	Type: University Guest House	Distance from Campus: 50 mtr	within campus: 50 mtr	
Airport (nearest)	Location:	Vadodara	Distance from campus/ accommodation	10 kms
Batch Size	Minimum participation = 30		Maximum participation = 50	
Study tour	Type of visit	Places to visit (with location)		No. of days
	Educational	Industry visit in Vadodara/ High-speed Rail at Ahmedabad		01
	Cultural/ Heritage	Statute of Unity, Ekta Nagar (Dist-Narmada)		01

2. Financial proposal

S. No.	Fee component	Unit	Per participant cost (Rs.)	Total Cost for 50 participants
1	Course Fee	per week per participant	15,000/-	7,50,000/-
2	Study tour charges	per participant	10,000/-	5,00,000/-
3	Other charges (for Project, etc.)	per participant	5,000/-	2,50,000/-
4	Accommodation charges (inclusive of taxes)	per day/night per participant	2,500/- (17,500 per week)	8,75,000/-
5	Airport pick-up and drop charges (inclusive of taxes) – for both ways*	per participant	up to 1400/-	70,000/-
6	Living allowance	per day per participant	1,500/- (10,500/- per week)	5,25,000/-
7	Book allowance	per participant	5,000/-	2,50,000/-
8	Valedictory/ inaugural allowance	per participant	300/-	15,000/-
Course Duration (in weeks)		1 Week	Rs. 64,700/-	Rs. 32,35,000/-
Participants (Maximum)		50		

* The participants generally arrive at Ahmedabad International Airport due to limited availability at Vadodara Airport. The university has to arrange pickup/drop from/to Ahmedabad airport, which is located approximately 125 km from the campus.

3. Training Schedule: Enclosed herewith separately.

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Leadership Competencies in Logistics and SCM

About the Program:

Supply Chain Management requires the effective management of the flow of materials, information and finances as they move from supplier to manufacturer to wholesaler to retailer and finally to the consumer. To better compete in a global economy, organisations are finding that a well-managed supply chain is the key to managing cash flow and ultimately business success.

In today's dynamic business landscape, efficient and adaptable logistics and supply chain management (SCM) are no longer just cost centres – they are strategic differentiators. Leading these crucial functions requires a unique blend of competencies that go beyond operational expertise. Effective logistics and SCM leaders are not just process managers; they are strategic thinkers, collaborative builders, and data-driven decision-makers who can navigate an ever-changing environment.

Target Audience: This program is designed for mid-level logistics and SCM professionals aspiring to leadership roles.

Learning Objectives:

- Define key leadership competencies for logistics and SCM success.
- Develop strategies to align logistics/SCM with overall business goals.
- Enhance communication and collaboration skills to build effective teams.
- Improve decision-making through data analysis and risk management.
- Foster a culture of continuous improvement within logistics/SCM operations.

Delivery Method:

- Interactive lecture with case studies
- Interactive workshop with group exercises and simulations
- Lecture with case studies, hands-on data analysis exercises using real-world logistics/SCM data sets.

Program Structure:

Date	Day	Session 1 10:30 – 11:45	Session 2 12:00 – 13:15	Session 3 14:30 – 15:45	Session 4 16:00 – 17:15
TBD	Monday	The Evolving Landscape of Logistics & SCM ○ Recent trends and challenges in the logistics and SCM industry ○ Evolving roles of the logistics/SCM leader		SCM and Logistics issues in Rail/Road	SCM and Logistics issues in Sea/Air
TBD	Tuesday	Supply chain alignment/ strategy/ metrics		Data-Driven Decision Making for Logistics/SCM	IT competencies for SCM
TBD	Wednesday	Warehousing and Automation	Supply Chain Contracts	Supply Chain Revenue Management	
TBD	Thursday	AI/ML Competencies and Predictive Analysis for SCM		Sourcing and Procurement	Transportation and Routing
TBD	Friday	Inventory Management	Managing Supply Chain Risk	Supply Chain Sustainability	Key leadership competencies for the success of SCM
TBD	Saturday	Industry Visit			
TBD	Sunday	Cultural/ Heritage Visit			

Classroom Venue:

Session Break Timings:

10:15 – 10:30 (Tea/Coffee Break)

13:15 – 14:30 (Lunch)

15:45 – 16:00 (Tea/Coffee Break)


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