

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

HOW TO PAY THE TRAINING FEE?

Payment can be done upon registration or online deposit via SEAFDEC/AQD's nominated bank in Iloilo City, Philippines. Credit card payments are not accepted.

WHAT ARE INCLUDED IN THE TRAINING FEE?

The training fee is inclusive of the registration fee, training kit & materials, accommodation, airport pick-up & send-off services and field trips. Airfare, food & other related expenses are NOT included.

WHAT ARE THE TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS?

You may email us the flight details/itinerary for airport transfer schedule. You will be picked up from Iloilo International Airport by SEAFDEC staff or a designated SEAFDEC driver. Airport send-off services will also be provided.

WHAT ARE THE PASSPORT/VISA REQUIREMENT?

You must secure a valid passport good for the duration of the course and if required, a 47 (A)2 or 9(A) travel visa for entry to the Philippines if the stay exceeds 30 days. Participants are responsible for visa and related fees.

DO YOU ISSUE A CERTIFICATE?

A Certificate of Training will be awarded after the course. A separate Certificate of Appearance or Participation can also be availed upon request.

ATTEND OUR HANDS-ON TRAINING!
INQUIRE NOW!

To apply, kindly contact:

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AQUACULTURE DEPARTMENT
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SOUTHEAST ASIAN FISHERIES DEVELOPMENT CENTER
AQUACULTURE DEPARTMENT

Training Course on Marine Fish Hatchery

The 37-day training course consists of



Lectures



Hands-on
practical sessions



Group
Discussions



Field Trips

- ✓ Broodstock management
- ✓ Larval rearing
- ✓ Hatchery operations
- ✓ Natural food culture
- ✓ Feed development
- ✓ Health management



ABOUT THE TRAINING

Why join the marine fish training course right now?

- Aquaculture technologies developed by SEAFDEC/AQD on various marine fishes are already adopted by fish farmers.
- SEAFDEC/AQD is an international aquaculture research center offering science-based technical trainings based on the output of its research programs.

What can be learned from the course?

Participants will gain technical knowledge and skills on broodstock management, spawning and larval rearing of marine fishes, such as milkfish (*Chanos chanos*), Asian sea bass (*Lates calcarifer*), groupers (*Epinephelus coioides*, *E. fuscoguttatus*), mangrove red snapper (*Lutjanus argentimaculatus*), rabbitfish (*Siganus guttatus*), or pompano (*Trachinotus blochii*).

Specific objectives for participants

1. To be able to properly apply broodstock development, management and spawning techniques.
2. To be able to produce natural food organisms for fish larvae.
3. To be able to practice proper techniques in collecting and transporting marine fish eggs and fry.
4. To be able to apply larval and nursery rearing techniques.

What to expect in the training period?

ACCOMMODATION

Participants will stay in shared two-bed airconditioned apartments at the Tigbauan Main Station. Apartments have provision for private toilet and bath, Wi-Fi, and self-service laundry machines. The accommodation cost is already included in the training fee. Trainees who prefer to be alone in a room will shoulder additional costs, subject to availability of rooms. For more information and arrangements, contact our housing supervisor, Ms. Cheryl Sitchon - cgbalacanta@seafdec.org.ph.

FOOD

A cafeteria run by a private concessionaire is available within the Tigbauan Main Station. Local diners, grilles and restaurants are available in the towns of Tigbauan (3 km east of the station) and Guimbal (5 km west of the station). Trainees with food restrictions or want arranged meals may make prior arrangements with the cafeteria manager.

TRANSPORTATION

Airport pick-up and send-off services will be provided to participants. Transportation for travel outside of the training schedule shall be on the account of the participants. Public transportation is accessible within the area in going to nearby towns or to Iloilo City (25 km away).

WEEKENDS

Some activities may be done during the weekends (hatchery activities) but when the work is done, participants are free to go to attend to their personal needs. Tours and field trips may also be scheduled during weekends.

INTERNET

The apartment building is reasonably covered with Wi-Fi internet connection. There are also hot spots within the complex where participants can access the internet.

SECURITY

Security staff are on duty 24 hours a day throughout the complex.

