

Training Seminar for Personnel of New Gwadar International Airport, Pakistan Project Profile

Name	Training Seminar for Personnel of New Gwadar International Airport, Pakistan		
Organizer	Academy for International Business Officials (AIBO), Ministry of Commerce, P. R. China		
Time	July 8 to 27, 2026 (20 days)	Language	English
Invited Participants	Pakistani technical personnel		
Number of Participants	29 persons in total		
Requirements for the Participants	Age	Under 45	
	Health	Participants should be in good health, and provide a health certificate or medical examination form issued by a local public hospital. Participants should be free of diseases prohibited by Chinese laws and regulations to enter the country, free of other serious chronic diseases such as severe hypertension, cardiovascular and cerebrovascular diseases, and diabetes, mental diseases or infectious diseases that may pose a significant public health risk, not in the period of recovering from major surgery or acute illness, not severely physically disabled nor pregnant.	
	Language	Participants should be capable of listening, speaking, reading and writing in English that can meet the requirements of the class.	
	Others	Family members or friends shall not follow	
Host City	Beijing	Local Temperature	Average temperature in Beijing in July: 23°C-33°C
Cities to Visit	Pending	Local Temperature	/
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About the Organizer	<p>The Academy for International Business Officials (AIBO) is an educational and training institution directly under the Ministry of Commerce of the People's Republic of China. Established in 1980, AIBO is located in Changping District, Beijing, about 30 kilometers from Beijing Capital International Airport. It boasts comprehensive infrastructure to provide services such as accommodation, catering, training and meetings for trainees.</p> <p>One of the main responsibilities of AIBO is to implement human resources development and cooperation projects, especially training courses for officials. The Academy serves as the main base for China's foreign aid training, offering both off-line and on-line training in China and overseas.</p> <p>Backed by the Ministry of Commerce and in close cooperation with China's top think tanks,</p>		

	<p>research institutes and universities, AIBO brings together a large number of China's top experts and scholars to provide intellectual support for foreign aid training. It has developed a number of high-quality foreign aid training projects in the fields of trade and investment, international economic cooperation, governance and public management, which have proved to be fruitful.</p> <p>Since 1998, AIBO has successfully held over 2,500 training sessions for officials from developing countries (including 147 ministerial seminars), benefiting nearly 84,000 trainees from other developing countries around the world.</p> <p>AIBO will adhere to the guidance of Xi Jinping Thought on Socialism with Chinese Characteristics for a New Era, and take the important concepts, including a community with a shared future for mankind, pursuing the greater good and shared interests, and sincerity, real results, amity, good faith, mutual benefit and inclusiveness, as strategic guidance and fundamental principles to be followed. It will facilitate the joint efforts in implementing major initiatives such as the Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) and the Global Development Initiative (GDI), and continue to help developing countries accelerate their development by sharing China's experience and programs.</p>
About the Project	<p>Background: The Aid Project for the New Gwadar International Airport in Pakistan is a major landmark project under the Belt and Road Initiative and the China-Pakistan Economic Corridor. The project is located approximately 26 km northeast of Gwadar city center, covering an area of about 18 square kilometers. Its scope includes the airport's airfield area, terminal area, and supporting facilities, comprising 35 individual units, with an investment limit of RMB 1.7 billion. Once completed, the airport will be capable of accommodating large passenger aircraft such as the Boeing 747 and Airbus A380.</p> <p>Despite challenging local conditions, including extreme heat, high salinity, strong cyclones, and complex geological features combining collapsible and soluble soils, the project maintained strict safety standards and risk prevention measures while ensuring high quality. Construction was successfully completed on August 31, 2024. A completion ceremony was held at the Prime Minister's Office in Pakistan on October 14, 2024, attended by Premier Li Qiang and Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif, who both addressed the event. In January 2025, the new international airport was officially inaugurated. Currently, the new international airport has fully replaced the old one and plays a vital role in Pakistan's comprehensive transportation system.</p> <p>Purpose: This seminar aims to ensure the effectiveness of airport project assistance, support subsequent airport operations, and focus on training Pakistani personnel. It will assist Pakistani counterparts in equipment commissioning, system debugging, and routine maintenance.</p> <p>Content: The seminar lectures will primarily cover an overview of China's national conditions and Chinese modernization, the governance philosophy of Chinese leadership, an introduction to China's aid project management, as well as equipment commissioning, system debugging, and routine maintenance.</p> <p>Method: Invite experts in relevant fields to give lectures on specific topics; organize discussions and exchanges between students and experts, as well as among students; and organize students to visit and exchange ideas with relevant institutions and companies in Beijing and other cities.</p> <p>(The above is the preliminary schedule, which may be adjusted according to the actual situation, and the final version will be provided upon arrival in China.)</p>
Notes	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Please prepare your passport, Chinese visa and third-party transit country visa (if necessary) before coming to China. 2. If you cannot depart on time due to special circumstances, or if there is a flight delay during the transfer, please contact the Chinese embassy or the organizer in time and inform the staff of the new flight No. and time of arrival in Beijing so that the staff can arrange pick-up for you. 3. In principle, it is not allowed to change the air tickets to China. If you really need to do so, please contact the Chinese embassy and follow the procedures to change your ticket. If you change the air ticket without consent, the organizer will report it to the Chinese embassy and the

costs and responsibilities therefore incurred shall be borne by yourself.

4. After claiming your luggage, please wait patiently at the international arrival exit (or domestic arrival exit) and the staff will pick you up with a pick-up board with your name on it. If you wait more than 15 minutes, please call the organizer immediately.

5. In case of lost luggage to be registered with the airline, please first communicate with the organizer to confirm the luggage delivery location and then fill in the registration form.

6. Dress code: Please pay attention to the weather conditions of the host city during the seminar and bring appropriate clothes. For important occasions, please dress formally (national costumes are acceptable).

7. For information about the host city (Beijing), please refer to the official website: <https://english.beijing.gov.cn/>