

Ambassador of India

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Excellency,

Greetings from the Embassy of India, Zagreb!

We had informed last year about the prestigious Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC) Programme run by the Government of India, as a skills development tool for enhancing bilateral relationship with other countries. Regrettably, I did not receive a single nomination from your office for 2016-17.

I am writing to request you to nominate suitable candidates for undertaking training programmes under ITEC in the specialized fields of your requirements for 2017-18. The details about these courses can be accessed at http://www.itecgoi.in.

The ITEC courses have been divided into seven broad categories for easy identification; Accounts, Audit, Banking and Finance Courses; IT, Telecommunication and English Courses; Management Courses; SME/Rural Development Courses; Specialized Courses; Technical Courses; and Environment and Renewable Energy Courses.

I may remind that the facilities provided by the Government of India to the ITEC participants are as follows:

- > Excursion fare/economy class return international air ticket
- > Visa on Gratis basis
- Course Fee
- Accommodation
- ➤ Living Allowance, Book Allowance, Study tours, etc.

The following are the eligibility criteria for the candidates:

- The candidate should possess working knowledge of English to follow the course.
- Candidate should be in the age group of 25-45 years.
- Only 2 candidates per course are allowed to participate.
- The admission to any course is purely on first-come first-serve basis.

For 2017-18, 10 slots have been allocated in total for whole of Croatia, keeping in mind its specific requirements. If need be, we will be happy to consider extending the number of slots. I do hope that there will be a better response for 2017-18.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Embassy of India, Zagreb for any additional details that you may require.

We continue to look forward to building a sustainable partnership with the city of Varazdinske Toplice.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurance of my highest consideration.

(Sandeep Kumar) Ambassador

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