



SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES OAS-CITEL-CULLEN

Partnerships Program for Education and Training (PAEC)

ANNOUNCEMENT

- Courses:
 - 1. Masterclasses in European Digital Economy Regulation
 - 2. Masterclasses in European Telecommunications Regulation
- Modality: Onsite Brussels, Belgium
- Language of instruction: English
- Benefits of scholarship: FULL SCHOLARSHIP, accommodation, airplane tickets and food
- Course dates:

Name of the course	Deadline to apply	Course dates
Masterclasses in European Digital Economy Regulation	August 31, 2017	October 3 to 4, 2017
Masterclasses in European Telecommunications Regulation	September 17, 2017	October 23 to 27, 2017

ABOUT CULLEN

Cullen International tracks, analyses and benchmarks regulation in four sectors – telecommunications, media, digital economy, and postal - covering developments across Europe, Americas, the Middle East and North Africa. Our cross-sectoral Competition Law service complements our regulatory expertise, following cases at EU and national levels

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ABOUT CITEL

The Inter-American Telecommunication Commission (CITEL) is an entity of the Organization of American States established by the General Assembly in its resolution AG/RES. 1224 (XXIII-O/93), in keeping with Article 52 of the Charter of the Organization. CITEL has technical autonomy in the performance of its functions, within the limits of the Charter of the Organization, the Statute of CITEL, and such mandates as the General Assembly of the Organization may assign to it.

Contributing to the region's economic and social development is the objective of all elements of the work of CITEL, whether it is coordinating the rules needed to facilitate infrastructure deployment and telecommunication service delivery; harmonization of the radio frequency spectrum to reduce the cost of providing wireless services; information and communication technology (ICT) training; or helping countries devise telecommunication development strategies.

ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP

Benefits: Full scholarship – including: inscription, airplane tickets, accommodation and food

Eligibility Requirements:

- Be a citizen or permanent resident of an OAS Member State
- Have obtained a university degree by the time of applying for the Scholarship.
- Be in good physical and mental health to complete the program successfully.
- English Proficiency
- Not be an OAS staff or individual who maintains employment contracts with the OAS or a staff
 of a Permanent Mission to the OAS or immediate relatives of a staff of a Permanent Mission to
 the OAS.
- Not received other scholarship from Partnerships Program for Education and Training, from the Professional Development Scholarships Program or any other OAS scholarship.

Required Documents:

- University Degree Bachelor's degree
- Transcripts Certificate of grades obtained
- 2 recommendation letters
- CV max. 4 pages
- Copy of valid passport
- Proof of English Proficiency, if applicable students whose native language is not English will be required to submit one of the following as proof of English proficiency:
 - ✓ A copy of an official transcript verifying completion of studies in an English speaking university in the last five years;
 - ✓ A test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) with a score of 570 or higher for the paper based test, 230 for computer-based test, or an internet-based TOEFL (IBT) score of at least 89;
 - ✓ IELTS 6.5, or the equivalent
- Essay: the essay should not exceed 500 characters (not words), including spaces.

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Describe how participating in this course will directly impact and enhance your professional skills in your current job position or future career.

Note: All documents must be submitted in English

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCESS

To apply for this scholarship opportunity, you must submit a scholarship application online through the OAS Fellowship Management System.

- You are required to upload the documents above where indicated in the online application form. Please note that all supporting documents must first be combined into ONE PDF document before it can be uploaded in the application form.
- Complete the Online Scholarship Application and submit the PDF document with all required documents. After submitting the online application, you will receive an e-mail confirming that the application was submitted.

Click here for the Online Scholarship Application Form

NOTE: The OAS will only consider complete applications.

Results

The results will be announced in September. Please note that only selected candidates will be contacted.

OAS contact information

- For questions about the courses please contact Carolina Limbatto <u>carolina.limbatto@cullen-international.com</u>
- Questions about this scholarship opportunity should be sent to Scholarships@oas.org
- * Please include in the subject of the e-mail the name of the course for which you are applying

IMPORTANT

If you have received other scholarship from Partnerships Program for Education and Training or from the Professional Development Scholarships Program or if you have an OAS scholarship, you are not eligible to apply for this scholarship.