

## CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

# Virtual Security Risk Management Workshop

18-22 March 2024

The UNHCR Regional Centre for Emergency Preparedness | eCentre is pleased to call for applications to a virtual Security Risk Management (SRM), which will be organized from 18 to 22 March 2024.

### What is this workshop about?

Development and humanitarian actors are increasingly called upon to work and manage projects in high-risk security environments, including during the response and recovery phases of humanitarian emergencies. Awareness of the threats and risks — and how to respond appropriately to security incidents — can be a matter of life or death. It's equally important that managers and staff are able to anticipate, analyse, take steps to reduce security risks and ensure operation continuity.

The SRM will address the basics of security risk management, providing managers with practical tools to analyse and address security risks in the field. Current cases from high-risk environments will be discussed, along with best practices and lessons learned. The workshop will be highly interactive, involving short presentations, discussion and group work designed to apply and reflect upon the development of core skills.

### Who is this workshop for?

This SRM online workshop is designed for humanitarian and development professionals at Senior levels, who manage operations, projects, personnel and assets in complex security environments. Participants will include: UNHCR, UN agencies, NGOs and Governments.

### What are the main themes of the workshop?

- The current security environment for aid workers
- Latest developments in the UN Security Management System
- Identification, assessment of security threats, analysis of security risks and identification and implementation of appropriate measures to mitigate risks
- Assessment of programme criticality
- Security planning
- Critical Incident Management Virtual Exercise (Remote Exercise Management)
- Centrality of Protection
- Duty of care

### What you will gain from attending the workshop?

- A better understanding of contemporary risk management practices and how to apply these in your duty station and ensure continuity of the operation
- Knowledge of tools to better assess security risk, take steps to mitigate it, and respond to security incidents when they do occur
- Greater confidence in your ability to manage risk and respond to security issues in diverse situations

**How to apply and other details:** If you are interested in attending this workshop, please fill out the attached application form and send it to [nishimur@unhcr.org](mailto:nishimur@unhcr.org). The deadline is **14 February 2024**.

**Language:** Please note that this workshop will be conducted in the English language; participants must therefore be highly proficient in written and spoken English language.

**Internet:** Strong internet connectivity is required.

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