# 1. Company-wide Quality Control & Productivity Improvement

### 1. PURPOSE OF THE COURSE

To enable the Mexican participants to contribute quality control and productivity improvement in Mexican companies and industries by understanding theories and methods of business management, such as management policy, production control human resources development, and fundamental improvement ways which are practiced in industries in Japan.

### 2. TRAINING PROGRAM

(1) General Orientation and Japanese Language Program

The General Orientation and Japanese language program are organized at the Chubu International Center of JICA prior to the technical training to assist the participants in understanding Japan and adjusting themselves to life in Japan, and thus to facilitate effective training.

# (2) Technical Training

- A. Process of Learning and Application
  - 1) Lectures and exercises by faculty
  - 2) Demonstration of Model Company/Organization (on-site investigation or case study, field practice)
- B. Deeping Understanding Level
  By reviewing subjects learn through group discussion supported by the faculty.

\*Any form of internship in company or organization is not included in the training.

- C. Curriculum (Subject to minor change)
  - 1) Outline of Japanese Industrial Structure (Industrial Structure, Industrial Development History, Local Industries)
  - 2) Profit Maximization (Problem Solving Methods, Policy Management, Project Management, Vision, Profit Maximization)
  - 3) Efficiency Improvement Activities (Genba Kaizen, TQM, TPS, TPM, JIT, Cost Reduction)
  - 4) Value Creation Activities (Customer Satisfaction, New Products Development, New Business)
  - 5) Supporting Activities (Motivation, Safety Management, Environmental Control)

#### 3. NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS TO BE ENROLLED

Maximum 12 persons

<sup>\*</sup> The above mentioned curriculum is subject to minor change.

# 4. TRAINING DURATION from April 1, 2020 to August 29, 2020

(1) Arrival

April 1, 2020

(2) Briefing

April 2, 2020

(3) General Orientation and Others

April 3 to April 7, 2020

(4) Japanese Language Program

From April 8 to May 15, 2020

(5) Technical Training

From May 18 to August 28, 2020

(6) Departure

August 29, 2020

#### 5. TRAINING INSTITUTION

(1) General Orientation/Japanese Language Program

Chubu International Center (JICA Chubu), JICA

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URL: https://www.jica.go.jp/chubu/english/office/index.html

\*This is the participants' principal accommodation in Japan.

(2) Technical Training

To be informed before the technical training starts

### 6. CONDITION OF APPLICATION

- (1) Applicants should be those who have more than three (3) years of occupational experience and are engaged in the field of production management and quality control at present, or are going to engage in this field in the near future in any industry. More experience on respective field is preferable.
- (2) Applicants should be those who are graduated from university or have the equivalent background.
- (3) Applicants must have an adequate ability in English conversation to be able to perform satisfactorily in the course.
- (4) Applicants should be between twenty-six (26) and forty-five (45) years of age.
- (5) Applicants must be of sound mind and body. Pregnant women can not be accepted.
- (6) Applicants must not be presently serving in the military.