



To:
The ICT Professionals of Bhutan

Sub: Invitation for btNOG 5 Training

Dear Sir or Madam:

Introduction

Bhutan Network Operators Group (**btNOG**) is an informal group/platform set up in 2014 under the initiatives of DrukNet/Bhutan Telecom (BT). It provides an educational, learning and interactivity forum for ICT professionals working in Bhutan in technologies related to the fields of Networking, Systems, Network Services and Internet – over a 5 days event composed primarily of very subjects-specific and hands-on training, which will be lead and delivered by world’s leading instructors.

Schedule

The 5th edition of the event, **btNOG 5 is scheduled from 4-8 June 2018 at Royal Institute of Management (RIM), Simtokha, Thimphu, Bhutan**. This time, it is organized by an informal group of wider ICT community of Bhutan so as to share the tasks of BT who was solely burdened with hosting the past events. Our consideration of ICT community encompasses any individuals or organizations involved in the ICT activities – services, businesses, policies and regulations.

Courses

To directly address today’s needs and practical applicability at the workplace organizations of Bhutanese ICT professionals, we have designed three very relevant training courses on: **Campus Network, Wireless and IPv6**. The courses will cover from theoretical design considerations to real world deployment and operation of the subjects covered. Participants/trainees will learn to practically implement, operate, troubleshoot and support network/IT services adopting international best standards and practices – to drive an increase in network services usability. All courses are highly focused on the enterprise type of ICT infrastructures in Bhutan, i.e. government and corporate offices, colleges and institutions, and private business establishments.

Fee

btNOG is a non-profit initiative and the fees collected help to cover just some portion of the costs. Taking consideration of the affordability of Bhutanese individuals/organizations, a fee of only **BTN 9,500 per head** is set.

Registration

As the seats are limited to only first 20 seats for Wireless and 28 participants each for other courses, we would like to request you to kindly register as immediate as possible at nog.bt or nog.bt/btnog5 followed by payment of the fee.

Detailed Information and Contact Points

More information on btNOG 5 can be obtained from website: nog.bt/btnog5, email: secretarit@nog.bt, or calling in person to: Mr. Urpan Adhikari on 77103879, Mr. Choki Wangda on 77141717 or Mr. Ganga R. Dhungyel on 77107710.

Support

We (the btNOG Community) seek and request your kind support in nominating/sending your ICT professionals - as many as possible to the aforementioned trainings.

Thanking you so much in advance.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tshering'.

Tshering NORBU, Lead Coordinator / Chair
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