

Specialist training for organisations and their partners in how to do **quality policy research**

Sessions offered:

- How to carry out **quality research** on the **internet**
- How to write a **report** or briefing from start to finish
- Writing skills for the **media** / press releases
- Tailoring work to **different audiences** (policy-makers, media, parliamentarians)
- How to **interview government officials**
- How to do **effective research** in the field

Formats to suit different needs:

- 1-3 day 'one-off' course or ongoing 'mentoring' with a team or person
- With a team working on the same issue or different issues
- For those with rudimentary skills who need the basics or those with good skills who want to improve

Issue focus:

- Generalist training covering different issues (eg tax, agriculture, climate)
- Training on one specific issue in detail, such as tax, agriculture, extractives, trade

A tailored approach:

- Customized to individual needs
- Participatory
- Gender-sensitive
- Culturally-sensitive

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