

Moving Europe towards a sustainable and safe railway system without frontiers.

Safety Culture Regulatory Oversight Training

OBJECTIVES

The main objectives of the course are to get acquainted with the European railway safety culture model and understand how it can be used for activities conducted by National Safety Authorities.

The training course emphasises the need to integrate safety culture in the supervision of railway undertakings and infrastructure managers to have a better understanding of their maturity in the management of safety. The relationship between safety culture and the safety management system is highlighted.

After the course, each participant should have a clear idea on how they can positively influence the national railway safety culture through their supervision activities.

METHODS

The 2-day training session has a modular structure.

The cornerstone is the European railway safety culture model and how to use it.

The following training tools are used during the course:

- Presentations with supporting materials, illustrated with real-life cases;
- Interactive dialogue between the participants and group work sessions guided by the facilitators;
- Practical role-play to foster the adoption of the concepts.

AGENDA (2 days)

Day 1

Time	Module	Training Objectives	
09:00 - 09:45	Tour de table and Introduction	Understand the benefit of this training course, present contents and practical arrangements.	
09:45-10:20	Part I: Introduction to the European railway Safety Culture Model	Get acquainted with the conception of the model and understand how it is used to support SMS.	
Break (30')			
10:50-12:30	Part I: Introduction to the European Railway Safety Culture Model	Understand the model and learn how to use it thought practical exercises.	
Lunch (60')			
13:30-13:55	Part II: Introduction to the regulatory oversight activities	Understand how the NSA can positively influence safety culture through Oversight activities	
13:55-14:40	Part II: Introduction to the Safety Culture Oversight process	Understand how safety culture can be positively influenced through NSA Oversight process	
Break (30')			
15:10-16:30	Part II: Data collection: Document review	Understand how safety culture can be positively influenced through NSA Oversight process with specific focus on document review data collection	

Day 2

Time	Module	Training Objectives	
08:30-09:45	Part II: Data collection:	Understand how safety culture can be positively influenced	
	Document review	through NSA Oversight process with specific focus on	
		document review data collection	
Break (30')			
10:15-12:15	Part II: Data collection:	Understand how safety culture can be positively influenced	
	Observations	through NSA Oversight process with specific focus on	
		observations data collection	
Lunch (45′)			
13:00-14:30	Part II: Data collection:	Understand how safety culture can be positively influenced	
	Interviews	through NSA Oversight process with specific focus on	
		interviews data collection	
Break (20')			
14:50-16:00	Part II: data analysis,	Understand how the collected data can be used to build a	
	reporting and	safety culture picture and to positively influence safety	
	communication	culture.	
16:00-16:15	Conclusion and		
	feedback		