

“I found the WINS Academy programme to be all embracing. It has helped in changing my perception about security as a whole. I gained a lot in the programme and have decided to put my knowledge to practice by encouraging my colleagues to participate in the WINS Academy”.

– RONKE AYO IMORU, Nigeria Atomic Energy Commission, Academy Graduate in Science and Engineering for Nuclear Security



FOCUS ON

WINS 6 YEAR REVIEW PUBLICATION

Over 500 members participated in the 2014/2015 WINS Members Satisfaction Survey, which closed on January 25, 2015. This year again, results indicate strong satisfaction with our activities and publications. Fully 99.4 % of our members said that WINS provides a valuable forum. More importantly, 91.9 % said they had modified their approaches to security because of WINS. This figure is particularly significant to us: We invite you to send us real-life examples of how your interactions with WINS have helped you change your attitudes towards nuclear security. We will select 20 of our members’ testimonials and quotes and publish them in our upcoming 6-Year Review Publication. This publication will provide an overview and review of WINS’ activities and achievements since our launch in 2008. [Use this link](#) to send us your feedback.

WINS ACHIEVES ISO2990:2010 CERTIFICATION

WINS is pleased to announce that it has been awarded ISO 29990:2010 Certification. The purpose of the certification is to improve and standardise the quality of education and training in non-university settings, including corporate training, vocational schools and life-long learning programmes. Only a few organisations worldwide have been awarded this certification to date, putting WINS in an elite group of educational leaders. The award recognises WINS’ efforts to create a high quality professional development training and certification programme in the field of nuclear security. According to Roger Howsley, WINS’ Executive Director, *“We are extremely proud that we have received ISO 29990 accreditation because it demonstrates that our professional certification programme is in compliance with internationally recognised standards for quality. As the first learning body in the nuclear industry to achieve this designation, we hope it supports the efforts of a large number of States and nuclear operators that have committed to ensuring all personnel with security accountabilities are demonstrably competent.”*

RECENT ACADEMY GRADUATES

We are proud to welcome Ronke Ayo-Imoru, Adamu Abdul, Jafaru Egieya and Mbet Akpanowo from Nigeria in the network of experts who graduated from the WINS Academy Nuclear Security Management Certification Programme.

Visit the recently updated [WINS Academy website](#) to learn more about their graduate experience.

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

WINS Workshop on Security Management Performance Metrics

March 09–10, 2015 | London, United Kingdom | [Announcement](#)

WINS Academy Module for Communicating with Civil Society

Release in March 2015 | Online | [Apply now](#)

WINS Academy Module for Security Incident Management

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HIGHLIGHT

JANUARY SURVEY: YOUR WINS EXPERIENCE

If you wish to be part of WINS’ story, share with us your experience for a chance to be published in our 6-Year Review Publication! Use [this link](#) to submit your feedback.

The full Annual Survey report will be shared in the next newsletter.



SIGN UP FOR THE WINS ACADEMY

The WINS Academy Nuclear Security Certification Programmes for Scientists, Technicians and Engineers; for Executive Managers; and for Senior Administrators and Board Directors are now available.

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2625 members from

111 countries

55 International Workshops

33 Best Practice Guides
in up to

10 Languages

4 Academy modules online

208 Academy participants
enrolled

6 WINS Academy Graduates

ISO 9001: 2008 Certification

ISO 29990:2010 Certification