

**2021**

## TRAINING CALENDER CATALOGUE

### Private Sector Development



### Governance & Leadership



### Research



### Monitoring & Evaluation



### Mobile Data Technology



### Legal and Policy Development



# About Us

Taran Consulting Ltd. is a mission-driven leader in research, evaluation and program implementation in the fields of Research, Governance, and Private Sector Development and Legal & Policy development.

Having developed its rigorous approach to solving complex challenges, the company is regularly ranked as one of the top in research and Consulting firms in the regions.

The company has multiple offices Somalia. We bring together a diverse team from various professions of management science. Our team pairs local market knowledge with Taran's global expertise to help Public and Private sector in successfully tackle their greatest challenges they face.

In all what we do, it is the people and unique philosophy of Taran Research & Consulting Ltd that truly set us apart from other management consulting firms.

## MISSION

Providing decision-makers with the best available knowledge to make strategically proactive decisions in the framework of native wisdom that positively impact the future of indigenous peoples through capacity building, advocacy, research and documentation on issues of economic, management, law, leadership and governance.

## VISION

Pioneering Excellency by adopting multi disciplinary approach, agile and innovative improvement solutions delivered at the best quality on time.

## ENGAGE

Engage with your advisor at every age. Build a life - long relationship built on a foundation of trust.

## DEFINE

Define realistic long-term goals to pursue your financial dream.

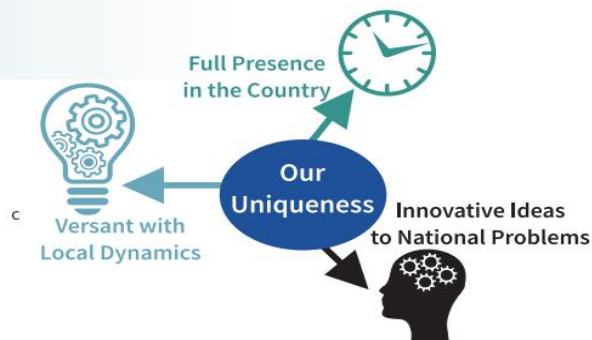
## BUILD

Build a solid financial foundation and create a plan personalized just for you.

## PRESERVE

Preserve your wealth and create a financial legacy that lasts for generations to come.

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## Our Core Values

**Trust:** The Primary clients of the services provided by Taran are Public and Private organizations. Their being organizations exerts us the responsibility to acknowledge them as such and treat them with respect and trust. In this regard, all interactions by Taran are characterized by mutual trust – respect of our Institution and us and for our Clients.

**Acclimate:** National problems require indigenous solutions informed by global best practices. We believe getting used to the environment we operate in is essential in all what we do.

**Rational:** we believe that reasoning is the fundamental source of knowledge for argument. The essence of communities lies in their capacity to entwine their diversities into a common strength against adversities. Taran applies at all times the principle of being rational.

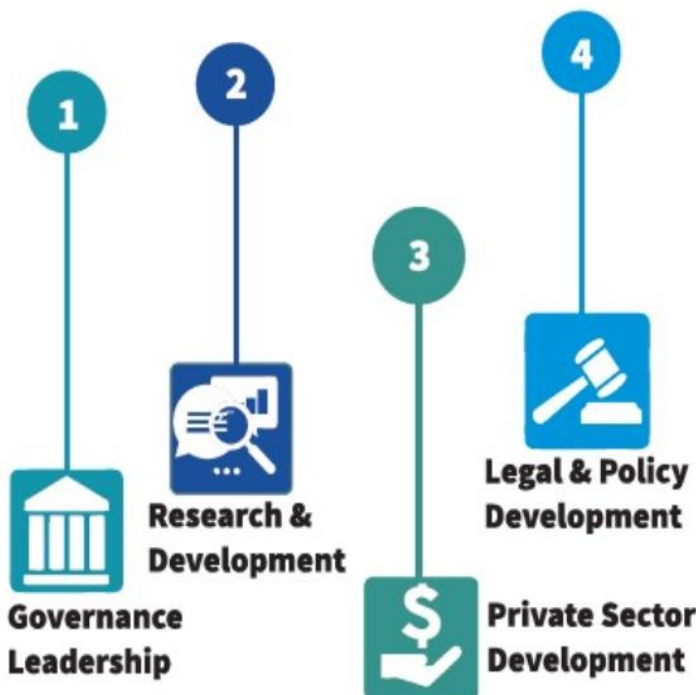
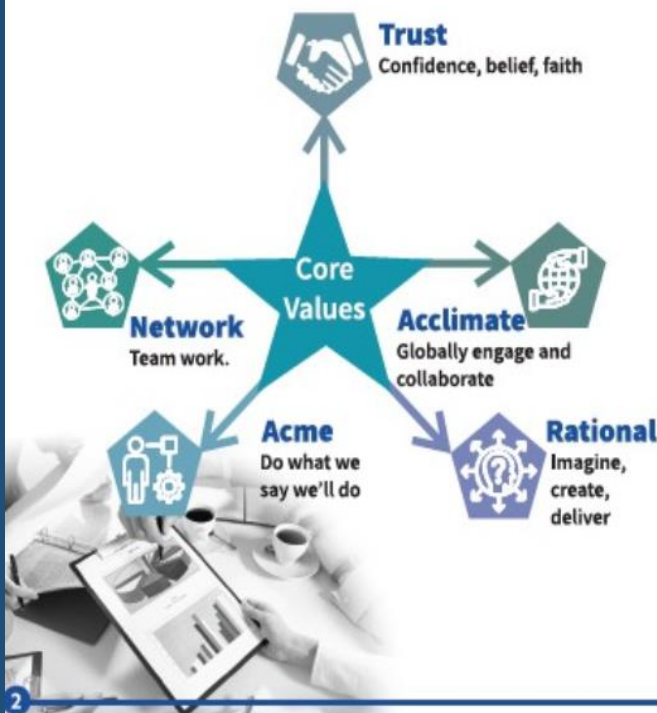


**Acme:** We believe in achieving highest level or degree of attainment in areas of our practices. We consciously uphold and promote the dignity of all our clients in all our dealings.

**Network:** we believe in teamwork as success depends on relations with others. Tight network with our stakeholders is vital to the success of our clients and us. These core values are what our name Taran stands for.

## AREAS OF EXPERTISE AND RESEARCH

Taran Research and Consulting Limited Works at forefront with the most pressing issues offering robust and data driven policy scenarios and options to help policy makers the information they need to make sound decisions. With the broader research topics, the company's main areas include:



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S.N	NAME OF COURSE	DURATION	DATES	OBJECTIVE OF THE COURSE
1	TRAINING COURSE ON RESEARCH DESIGN DATA MANAGEMENT AND STATISTICAL ANALYSIS USING SPSS	5 days	1st – 6 <sup>th</sup> Aug.2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVE:</b> By the end of the course, the participant will be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Understand the terms and concepts of statistical data</li> <li>2. Design and conduct a research</li> <li>3. Use SPSS for data analysis</li> <li>4. Manage research data using software</li> <li>5. Carry out statistical tests using software</li> <li>6. Writing reports from survey data</li> </ol>
2	TRAINING COURSE ON DATA MANAGEMENT AND STATISTICAL ANALYSIS USING STATA	5 days	5th –9th Sep. 2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b> By the end of this course the participants will be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Understand statistical terms and concepts</li> <li>2. Learn the usage of Stata in analyzing data</li> <li>3. Practice using Stata software by applying simple and complex data management project</li> </ol>
3	TRAINING COURSE ON PANEL DATA MODELS USING STATA	5 days	10 <sup>th</sup> -14 <sup>th</sup> oct. 2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b> At the end of this course the participants will be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Analyze linear, nonlinear, and dynamic panel data estimators using STATA</li> <li>2. Implement linear, nonlinear, and dynamic panel data estimators using STATA.</li> </ol>
4	TRAINING COURSE ON QUANTITATIVE DATA ANALYSIS WITH STATA	5 days	1 <sup>st</sup> -6 <sup>th</sup> Nov. 2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b> By the end of this course the participant should be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Understand workflow use commands</li> <li>2. Manage, edit, and structure large databases</li> <li>3. Generating descriptive statistics</li> <li>4. Creating powerful publication-quality graphs</li> <li>5. Data Analysis/Estimations</li> </ol>
5	INTERNATIONAL ACADEMIC WRITING	5 days	22nd – 26 <sup>th</sup> Aug.2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b> By the end of this course, the participant should be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Understand the art and techniques of literature reviews</li> <li>2. Mastering citation rules</li> <li>3. Understanding different styles of citations and references</li> <li>4. How to critique a literature</li> </ol>

6	ARGUMENTATION AND CRITICAL THINKING	5 days	13th-17th Sep. 2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b> On successful completion of this course, students will be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Understand the difference between argument and rhetoric</li> <li>2. Recognize what counts as evidence in deductive, inductive and abductive arguments respectively</li> <li>3. Identify errors (particularly the classic fallacies) in arguments.</li> <li>4. Write clearly structured essays in which arguments are set out, then criticized or defended.</li> <li>5. Understand and analyze arguments, both written and spoken</li> <li>6. Engage in argumentation with their peers in a productive and constructive manner</li> </ol>
7	TRAINING COURSE ON QUANTITATIVE DATA ANALYSIS WITH SPSS	5 days	24th -29th Oct. 2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b> By the end of this course the participant should be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Performing operations with data: define variables, recode variables, create dummy variables, select, and weight cases, split files.</li> <li>2. Building charts in SPSS: column charts, line charts, scatterplot charts, boxplot diagrams.</li> <li>3. Performing the basic data analysis procedures: Frequencies, Descriptive, Explore, Means, Crosstabs.</li> <li>4. Testing the hypothesis of normality</li> <li>5. Detecting the outliers in a data series</li> <li>6. Transform variables</li> <li>7. Performing the main one-sample analyses: one-sample t-test, binomial test, chi square for goodness of fit</li> <li>8. Performing the tests of association: Pearson and Spearman correlation, partial correlation, chi square test for association, loglinear analysis</li> </ol>
8	TRAINING COURSE ON EXCELL		18th -24th Oct. 2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b> By the end of this course, the participant will be to <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Understand advance function of excel</li> <li>2. Preparing data for analysis</li> <li>3. Data validation</li> </ol>



				<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. Methods of summarizing data</li> <li>5. Report visualization techniques</li> <li>6. Decision making with excel data</li> <li>7. Extended uses of Data Validation</li> </ol>
9	TRAINING COURSE ON DATA MANAGEMENT AND ANALYSIS FOR QUALITATIVE DATA USING NVIVO	5 days	18th -24th Oct. 2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b> By the end of this course the participants will be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Determine the approaches of qualitative analysis</li> <li>2. Differentiate the various methods used in collecting qualitative data</li> <li>3. Develop a project using NVIVO</li> <li>4. Develop a qualitative data analysis framework using NVIVO</li> <li>5. Undertake qualitative data analysis using NVIVO</li> <li>6. Create a qualitative report</li> </ol>
10	TRAINING COURSE ON RESEARCH DESIGN Kobo TOOLBOX MOBILE DATA COLLECTION GIS MAPPING DATA ANALYSIS USING NVIVO AND STATA	10 days	15th -19 Nov. 2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b> Understand and appropriately use statistical terms and concepts to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Design and Implement universally acceptable Surveys</li> <li>2. Convert data into various formats using appropriate software</li> <li>3. Use mobile data gathering tools such as kobo toolbox</li> <li>4. Use GIS software to plot and display data on basic maps</li> <li>5. Qualitative data analysis using NVIVO</li> <li>6. Write reports from survey data</li> <li>7. Put strategies to improve data demand and use in decision making</li> </ol>
11	TRAINING COURSE ON MICROSOFT ACCESS	5 days	22nd-27th oct. 2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b> by the end of this course, the participant will be able to <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Restructure data into appropriate tables to ensure data dependency and minimize redundancy</li> <li>2. Write queries to analyze and summarize data</li> <li>3. Create and revise macros and Customize reports</li> <li>4. Maintain databases using Microsoft Access tools</li> <li>5. Build and work with online databases.</li> <li>6. Create and publish web databases.</li> </ol>

12	INTERNATIONAL TRAINING ON MONITORING AND EVALUATION FOR DEVELOPMENT RESULTS	7 days	6th -13th Dec. 2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVE.</b> By the end of this course, the participant will be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Develop a monitoring and evaluation system</li> <li>2. Understand management of operations from insight into multilateral corporation</li> <li>3. Gain familiarity into measures such as credibility, reliability, validity, and precision.</li> <li>4. Learn the usage of data analysis software package (Stata)</li> <li>5. Establish strategies in data collection</li> <li>6. Understand the use of GIS and GPS in data collection</li> <li>7. Interact with individual from all over the world with similar goals of obtaining monitoring and evaluation skills</li> </ol>
13	TRAINING COURSE ON PROJECT PERFORMANCE EVALUATION	8 days	20th-28th Sep.2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b> By the end of this course the participants will be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Understand the difference between monitoring and evaluation</li> <li>2. Identify project indicators for evaluation</li> <li>3. Design and plan for an evaluation</li> <li>4. Apply mixed methods of data collection during evaluation</li> <li>5. Perform both quantitative and qualitative data analysis</li> <li>6. Use findings to make evaluation conclusions and recommendation</li> </ol>
14	TRAINING COURSE ON PROJECT DESIGN USING LOGICAL FRAMEWORK APPROACH	5 days	24th-31 Aug. 2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b> By the end of the course the participants will be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Describe the importance and challenges of the Log frame approach</li> <li>2. Assess the need of stakeholders for planning projects</li> <li>3. Utilize problem tree to establish problem analysis</li> <li>4. Develop SMART indicators</li> <li>5. Create a log frame with the integration of elements of project design</li> <li>6. Apply vertical and horizontal logic to a log frame matrix</li> </ol>

<b>15</b>	TRAINING COURSE ON FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT BUDGETING AND AUDITING OF DONOR FUNDED PROJECTS	8 days	28th Nov. 3rd Dec.  2020	<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b> By the end of the participant should be to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Understand the principles and procedures of accounting in financial statement preparation</li> <li>2. Analyze and interpret financial statements information</li> <li>3. Assess the effectiveness in donor funds use and legal provisions guiding procurement function</li> <li>4. Design and implement donor funds budgets</li> <li>5. Identify projects requiring donor funding</li> <li>6. Develop project proposals</li> <li>7. Monitor and evaluate project funded by donors</li> <li>8. Understand compliance with standards, legal and administrative framework</li> </ol>
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