The IECEx RTP Program

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Trainor aims to be the preferred provider in the oil, gas and energy market in Norway and in international priority areas, offering the following products and services:

- Classroom teaching
- E-learning
- Training management
- Consultancy services
- Recruitment
- Staffing
Some of our customers
Our disciplines

- Ex – Hazardous areas
- Electrical safety / Electro technical
- Regulations and Standards
  (Norwegian and international: NORSOK, IEC etc.)
- HSE
- Automation
The need for competency is global

- Added value for your business – Advanced projects
- Less accidents
- Less errors » Reduced cost overruns
- Cost efficiency
Offering

- Competence
- Increased focus on HSE
- Expertise & Technical knowledge
  Based on decades of experience
  from both offshore and onshore industry
Trainor became the world’s first RTP in 2015

Recognized Training Provider (RTP)
The IECEx RTP Program – What is it?

- Provides confidence in Processes and Services
- Meets market needs for training
- Goal: Link training services to the IECEx scheme for Certification of Personnel Competence (CoPC)
The IECEx RTP Program – Why?

Help candidates to select training providers when needed

APPLICATION

REVIEW BY CB

EXAM

CERTIFICATE

PREPARATORY COURSE
Why RTP?

• Already offering CoPC
• Increased interest globally
• Desire to contribute
• Leads from iecex.com
• Proof of quality
Successes achieved – All Ex Training

Ex training Classroom NO

Candidates

Ex training Classroom KR

Candidates

Ex training E-learning

Candidates
Successes achieved – IECEx CoPC

Preparatory courses
Ex 001, Ex 003/006, Ex 004/007/008, Ex 009

Participants

- 2015: 100
- 2016: 400
- Total since 2014: 500

IECEx CoPC Certifications

Candidates

- 2015: 200
- 2016: 600
- Total since 2013: 700

Practical assessment lab in Norway and Korea
Currently building a new one in Vietnam
Challenges encountered

- Young system
  Still some development potential
- Competition from other schemes
- Market fragmentation
  Various preferences in different markets
Future outlook for Trainor as an IECEx RTP

- Training centers in China and Vietnam 2017
- Synergies with Trainor Certification – CB status 2017
- Global standard
- Increased recognition – Continued expansion
Suggestions for improvement

- Build loyalty
- Increased visibility
- Standardize
- Convert RTP to a certification scheme?
Committed to Safety

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