

ISO 14001 CQI-IRCA Lead Auditor training under SCP Project

The ISO 14001 standard is an internationally recognized standard that designs the requirements for organizations that want to improve their environmental and operational performance. As an agency responsible for auditing the environmental standards of entrepreneurs and manufacturers, possessing knowledge and skills in auditing an organization against the ISO 14001 standards is essential. ISO 14001 CQI-IRCA Lead Auditor training course will help to gain knowledge of environmental management system standards, management system audit and third-party certification, and the business and societal benefits of improving environmental performance (PR315 Course Specification). The role and responsibilities of an auditor are to plan, conduct, report, and follow up on an environmental management system audit in accordance with ISO 19011 and ISO/IEC 17021, as applicable.



To support the capacity of agency responsible for auditing the environmental standards, the office along with GIZ, through the support of the SCP Project organized a 5 day ISO 14001 CQI-IRCA Lead Auditor Training from 16th- 20th September, 2024 at Hotel Norkhil, Thimphu. A total of 10 participants from the Bhutan Standards Bureau and the Department of Environment and Climate participated in the training to build their capacity as a lead auditors. The training was conducted by a certified trainer, Ms.Chooi Lean Yin from IQCS Certification Malaysia.