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Summary

The purpose of this paper is to propose United Nations backing for an international toponymic training course to be organized by the Asia-Pacific Institute for Toponymy (APIT) in collaboration with the Committee for Geographical Names in Australasia and the New South Wales Geographical Names Board. The paper outlines the content and structure of the course and provides details concerning the proposed dates, location and participating lecturers, drawn both from APIT and from the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names Working Group on Toponymy Courses.