

# 1982-2007 25 years of UNGEGN toponymy courses

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## venues, organizers and participants

The objective of UNGEGN training courses in toponymy is to train personnel of local names authorities of topographic agencies to collect, process and standardize geographical names and help in the dissemination of these standardized names through the production of gazetteers.

Diploma for the Vienna toponymy course, 2006



### Venues of International toponymy courses 1982-2007



List of toponymy courses organized by the PanAmerican Institute of Geography and History (PAIGH):

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| 1987 Panama City, Panama    | 1999 Guatemala City, Guatemala         |
| 1989 Quito, Ecuador         | 2000 Asunción, Paraguay                |
| 1990 Santiago, Chile        | 2001 Bogotá, Colombia                  |
| 1991 Aguascalientes, Mexico | 2002 San Salvador, El Salvador         |
| 1992 Rio de Janeiro, Brazil | 2003 Quito, Ecuador                    |
| 1993 Tegucigalpa, Honduras  | 2004 Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic |
| 1995 Lima, Peru             | 2005 Panama City, Panama               |
| 1996 Asunción, Paraguay     | 2006 Santiago, Chile                   |
| 1997 La Paz, Bolivia        | 2007 Rio de Janeiro, Brazil            |
| 1998 Lima, Peru             |  |

List of UNGEGN toponymy courses:

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| 1982 Cisarua, Indonesia     | 1998 Pretoria, South Africa                             |
| 1985 Rabat, Morocco         | 2000 Pretoria, South Africa                             |
| 1988 Québec, Canada         | 2002 Enschede (Netherlands)/ Frankfurt/Berlin (Germany) |
| 1989 Cipanas, Indonesia     | 2003 Khartoum, Sudan                                    |
| 1992 Pretoria, South Africa | 2004 Maputo, Moçambique                                 |
| 1993 Pretoria, South Africa | 2004 Bathurst, Australia                                |
| 1995 Pretoria, South Africa | 2005 Malang, Indonesia                                  |
| 1996 Pretoria, South Africa | 2006 Vienna, Austria                                    |
| 1997 Riga, Latvia           | 2006 Maputo, Moçambique                                 |
| 1998 Windhoek, Namibia      | 2007 Tunis, Tunisia                                     |



Participants Pilot course in toponymy, Cisarua, Indonesia 1982



Lecturers 1st toponymy course for Southern Africa, 1992



Participants Enschede/Frankfurt/Berlin toponymy course 2002



Handing out diplomas at the Enschede/Frankfurt/Berlin toponymy course, 2002

### UNGEEN divisions involved in providing lecturers and material for UNGEGN courses:

- East Mediterranean Division (other than Arabic): Israel
- Asia South-East and Pacific South-West Division: Indonesia, Australia, New Zealand
- Africa South Division: Moçambique, South Africa
- United Kingdom Division: United Kingdom
- USA/Canada Division: United States, Canada
- Arabic Division: Algeria
- Baltic Division: Estonia
- Dutch- and German-speaking Division: Austria, Germany, Netherlands, South Africa
- Division francophone: Canada, France
- East Central and South-East Europe Division: Hungary

Participants in the Khartoum toponymy course, 2003



Banner Maputo toponymy course, 2004



Participants in the Bathurst toponymy course, 2004



Participants in the Malang toponymy course, 2005



Participants of the Tunis toponymy course, April 2007

