The U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA), is pleased to offer a public training course on the Global Justice Extensible Markup Language (XML) Data Model (GJXDM). Along with BJA, this course is sponsored by the GJXDM Training and Technical Assistance Committee (GTTAC). This course will provide practical implementation strategies for data exchanges and methodologies for using GJXDM.

GJXDM consists of approximately 2,750 reusable components that enable information exchange and reuse in multiple applications and sources. The standardization of the components results in increased interoperability from data exchanges between various information systems. For more information and updates on GJXDM, please see http://it.ojp.gov/GJXDMworkshop.

This new and improved implementer’s course is designed to provide 17 hours of training, presented over three days.

When: November 29–December 1, 2006
Wednesday 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Friday 8:30 a.m. to Noon

Where: George Washington University
Classroom 101
20101 Academic Way
Ashburn, VA 20147

This is a newly designed training class that is geared towards GJXDM implementers. Class participants will learn about key and foundational concepts regarding the use of GJXDM. Lessons presented on the first day will provide terminology and introductory information needed for using GJXDM. This foundation will be reinforced by a technical walk-through of a justice scenario.

On the second day, reference architecture and practical implementation techniques will be the focus. The class participants will do actual hands-on work by participating in sessions that will demonstrate different justice domains. During the breakout sessions, participants will learn how to build Information Exchange Package Documentation (IEPD) in a smaller group setting. A team of instructors will be provided to illustrate IEPD methodology and to answer individual questions. Various tools and techniques, such as UML modeling, mapping, Wayfayer, and Schema Subset Generation Tool, will also be covered.

On the third day, IEPDs will be worked on using the knowledge gained in the first part of the class. The training session will then wrap up with completion of the IEPD development. In addition, the instructors will spend time bringing all of the components of the training together. Each day, homework assignments and exercises will be conducted. It is strongly encouraged to bring a laptop for class work.

Registration fee is $195 per attendee. For payment, registration instructions, and rate and hotel reservation information, please visit http://it.ojp.gov/GJXDMworkshop.

Accommodations are available at the Hampton Inn Dulles Cascades, 46331 McClellan Way, Sterling, Virginia 20165. To obtain a sleeping room at the event rate of $139, please call the Hampton Inn at (703) 450-9595 or (800) HAMPTON. Please reference the GJXDM training when making your reservations. The event rate will be available until November 3, 2006.

In order to provide individual attention to participants, class size has been limited to 100 people. Participants are encouraged to register early. Registration will be on a first-come, first-served basis.

Who Should Attend?

This technical course is specifically designed for implementers, developers, and practitioners in the field. Prior XML experience is recommended.
The Institute for Intergovernmental Research® (IIR) is coordinating the course registration. To attend the course, all participants must complete the registration form and pay the registration fee.

**Registration Fee:** $195

Participants may pay by the following methods:

- **Credit Card:** Please provide the card number, expiration date, security code, and cardholder signature.
- **Check or Money Order:** Please make the check or money order payable to IIR and indicate that it is for the GJXDM Workshop.

Payment is required at the time of registration. If you are paying by credit card, your credit card statement will read IIR GJXDM Workshop.

**Questions:**
Please contact IIR at (850) 385-0600, extension 255 (8:30 a.m.–5:00 p.m., ET), or by e-mail at globalregistration@iir.com.