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Reskilling, Upskilling and New-skilling (RUN) Project 2024

The world of work is constantly changing, requiring that employees are ready and equipped to function in this new environment. In this regard, through its partners, the Transformation Implementation Unit (TIU) is providing access to tailored training under the Reskilling, Upskilling, and New-Skilling (RUN) Project. This is open to all public sector employees. The project offers employees a flexible suite of online development courses and certification programmes regardless of role, level or location.

The project has three (3) components:

- 1. **Reskilling**: Training for employees seeking to learn a new set of skills or obtain credentials in a new field as they prepare for career growth or transition to a new role or profession.
- 2. **Upskilling:** Training employees in a new set of skills in their profession, improving how they perform their current jobs, or acquiring additional skills or new credentials to support advancing to a more responsible position.
- 3. **New-skilling:** Training for employees to help develop high-demand skills so that the employee and, by extension, the organisation becomes more agile by incorporating technological advances.

The courses are accessible now until April 2025. Employees can log on and complete ondemand, self-paced, pre-assigned e-learning courses at their convenience.

In addition to professional certifications, learners can win prizes throughout the period, including recognition for completing the courses and programme(s).

Details on the courses, including how to register, are available on the TIU's website at https://publicsectortransformation.gov.jm/run-project/.

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