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Dear colleagues:

**Announcement of GMA Courses 2016**  
**Metrology and Quality (MnQ)**

April 25 (Mon) – April 29 (Fri), 2016 Daejeon, Korea

It is my great pleasure to announce that Global Metrology Academy (GMA) of KRISS is ready to host a group course of **Metrology and Quality (MnQ)**. Scheduled to take place for a week of April 22-29, 2016, the MnQ course will present the key strategic issues of metrology. It covers national measurement system, standardization, conformity assessment and legal metrology, QMS requirements, reference data, KC-CMC-traceability and uncertainty in measurement.

*The target audience* who would most benefit from the course includes *directors of NMIs and quality managers* of metrology laboratories, among others. *High-level government officials* who are in charge of making policies on the national quality infrastructure are strongly recommended to come and enjoy the valuable programs to be delivered by professional experts in the selected subjects. For effectiveness, it is strongly recommended that each country could find a couple of participants at least; one from the metrology laboratory and the other from government officials.

The MnQ course accommodates **around 20 participants, whose applications are due by February 29, 2016** as announced earlier. Enclosed please find the course outline and application form, which present the provisional program, qualification and requirements for application, and the financial arrangements. As usual, two different categories of the tuition fees are applicable to the economic performance of the applicant's country. For any inquiry about applications, please feel free to contact Mr. Sangwook Seo at [swseo@kriss.re.kr](mailto:swseo@kriss.re.kr).

With all my best wishes!

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosures:

1. Draft Course outline of GMA-GT-2016-02 (Metrology and Quality)
2. Application/Nomination Form
3. Overview of GMA Courses 2016

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