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Democratizing education through inclusion and equal rights



Universal education

Free of charge, always accessible, offered as a global public good

Digital & Social inclusion

Promoting gender & social equality

Climate and environment-friendly

Reduced carbon footprint

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+ 1000
partners
worldwide

+ 1000
Multilingual
certified
courses

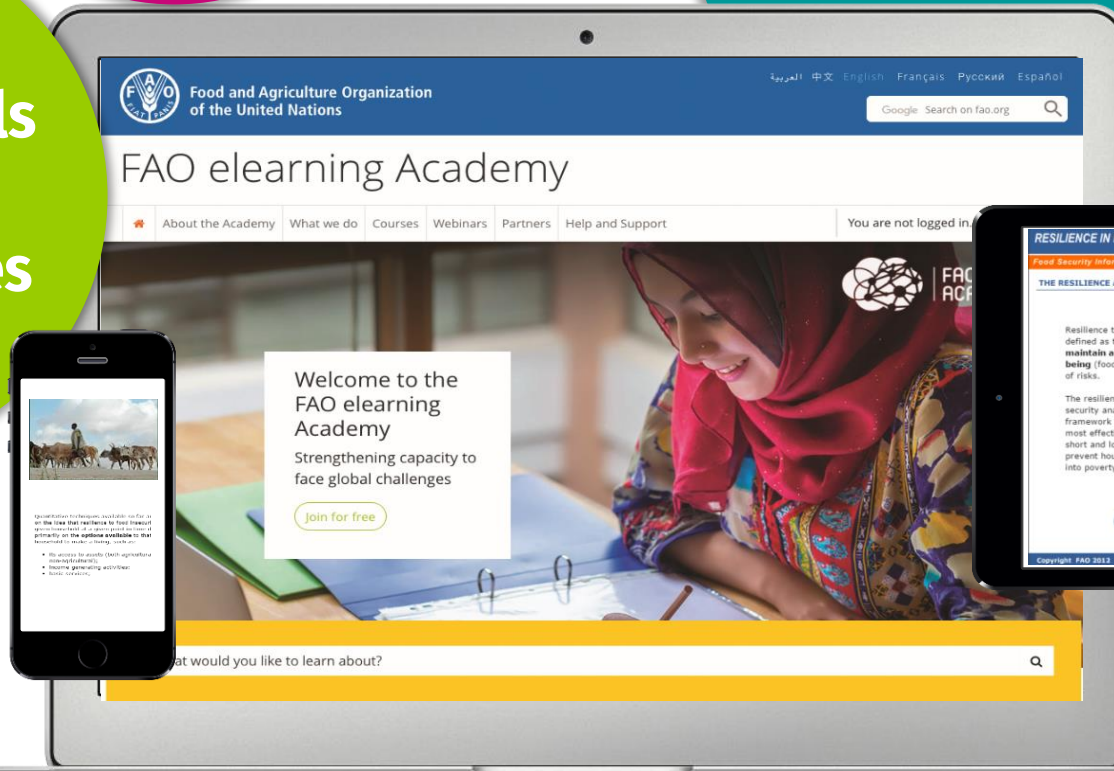
Global
Public
Good

± 2 million
learners
throughout the
world

Everyone
Anytime
Everywhere

Transfer skills
and
competencies

SDGs



Free of
charge



Uptake, impact and scaling up capacity development for sustainability

UN and Development Agencies

AFAAS • UNICEF • UNITAR • UNHCR • WFP •
EU COMESA • CILSS • BMZ • IICA • IICA • UNU
• ITC-ILO
UN-OCHA • IAEA • UNDP • NEPAD
ECOWAS • PRIMA • CIHEAM • IFRC

Supporting staff development

Universities & Academic Institutions

ICBA • UNIMED • CRUI • LUISS University
IGNOU • La Sapienza • AVU • COL •
RUFORUM • Open University of Catalonia •
UDUAL • University of Pretoria • Anhalt
University

Enhancing University Curricula

Private Sector

RaboBank • Coldiretti • Telefonica • Orange •
Coca Cola • Danone • Unilever • IKEA • Eataly
• Google • Rockefeller • ENI • Mars
Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation •

Compliance

FAO
elearning
courses

NGOs and CSOs

Future Food Institute
• GRET • APC • Action Aid • World Vision Int.
Welthungerhilfe • INIT

Enriching capacity development activities

The **FAO elearning Academy** offers a wide variety of free, multilingual and certified courses organized into **25 thematic areas**.



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 Agricultural risk management and resilience	 Carbon footprint and greenhouse gas emissions	 Child labour and youth employment	 Climate change and environment	 Communication and capacity development	 Decent rural employment	
 Farmer field schools	 Fisheries and aquaculture	 Food security, nutrition and health	 Food losses and waste	 Food safety	 Forests and landscape restoration	
 Gender and social protection	 Livestock, animal health and production	 Mechanization	 Migration	 Plant health and protection	 Plant production, pre-breeding and crop improvement	
 Responsible governance of tenure	 Responsible investments in agriculture	 Rural poverty reduction	 Soils and water management	 Sustainable Development Goal indicators	 Sustainable food systems	 Trade and markets

Diversified Delivery Methods and Pedagogical Models



Certified
Online
Tutored
Courses



Online Technical
Webinars



Mobile
Learning



University
Learning
Programmes



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Certified Blended
Learning
Programmes



Face
to Face



Self-paced
Courses



MOOCs

Why are digital badges important?

- Drivers of educational reform
- Equitable, inclusive and transparent access to education
- Motivating life-long learning
- Greater employment opportunities
- Progress talent within organisations



What are digital badges?

Visible and transparent

- Allow an alternative way to get visible validation for skills acquisition and achievements
- Showcase a personalised life-long learning journey

Stackable micro-credentials

- Granular collection of acquired skills, competencies and knowledge
- Both formal and informal learning activities

What are digital badges

Shareable / portable

- Badges can be collected from multiple sources, on and off-line, into a badge wallet
- Display skills and achievements on social networking profiles, job sites, e-portfolio, websites, etc

Verifiable and transparent

- Verifiable against inherent metadata links back to the issuer, criteria and verifying evidence
- Can be verified for both authenticity and for the learning activity that they represent

WHAT IS THE VALUE OF A DIGITAL BADGE?



It shows the world the knowledge and skills you demonstrated to achieve your certificate from a respected, credible source.



It helps you publicize your accomplishments on social media, on your website and in your email signature.



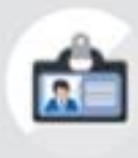
It demonstrates that your knowledge is up to date.



WHO WILL NOTICE?



Clients



Employers



Prospective clients



Colleagues

WHERE CAN I USE A DIGITAL BADGE?



Twitter



Facebook



LinkedIn



Website

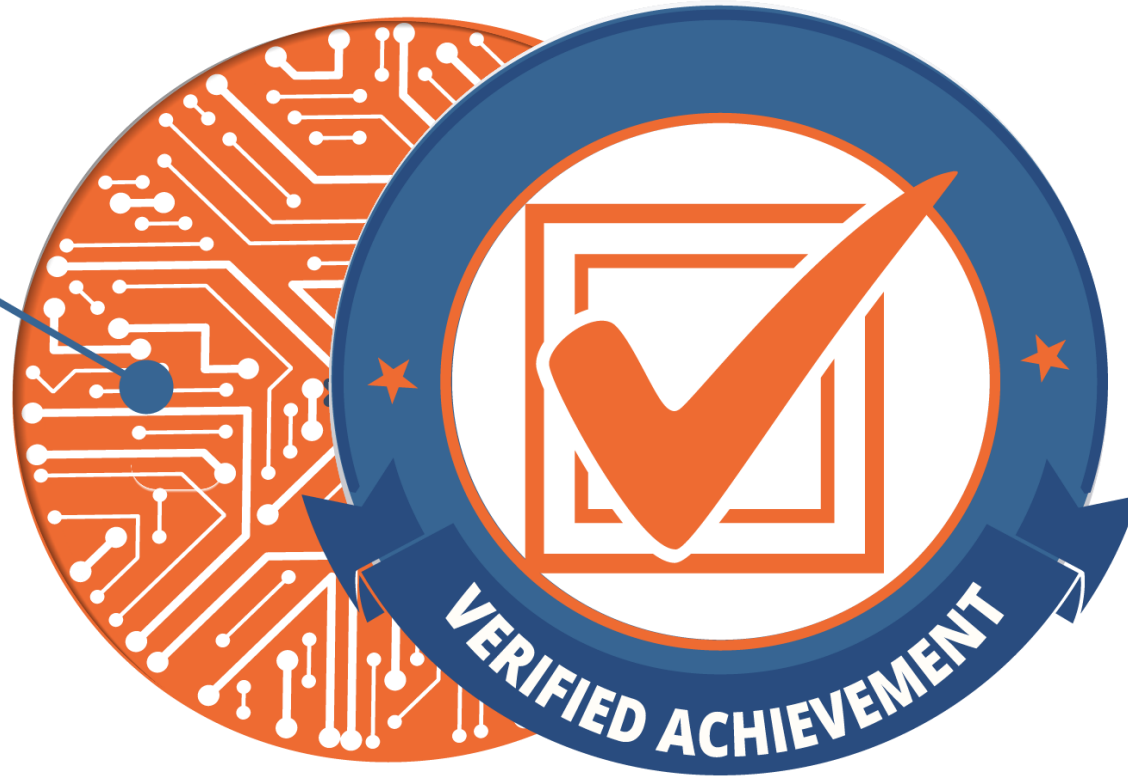


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OPEN BADGES

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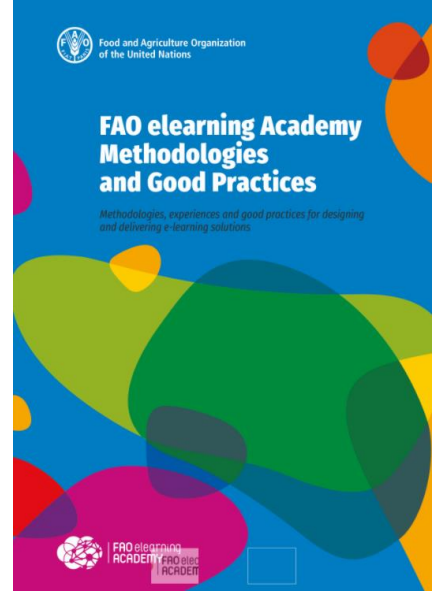
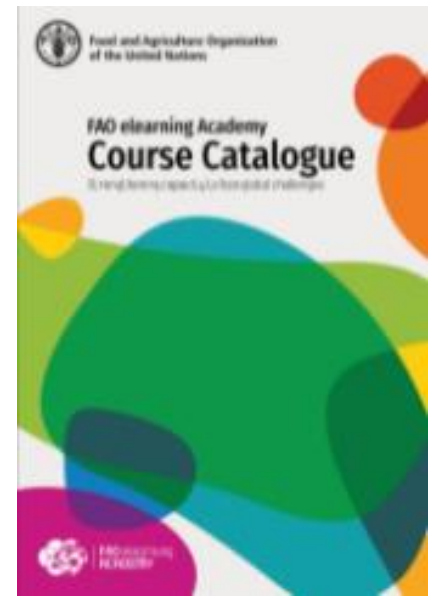
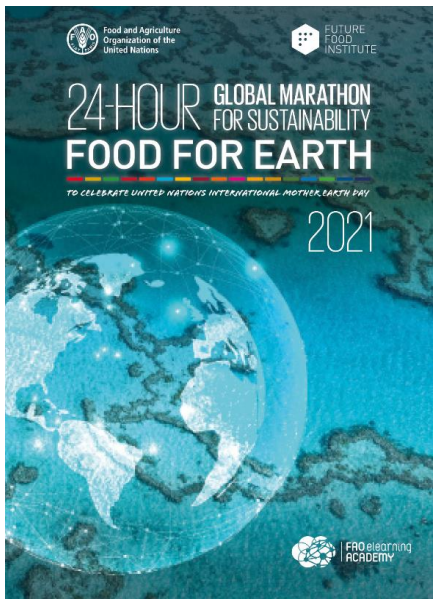
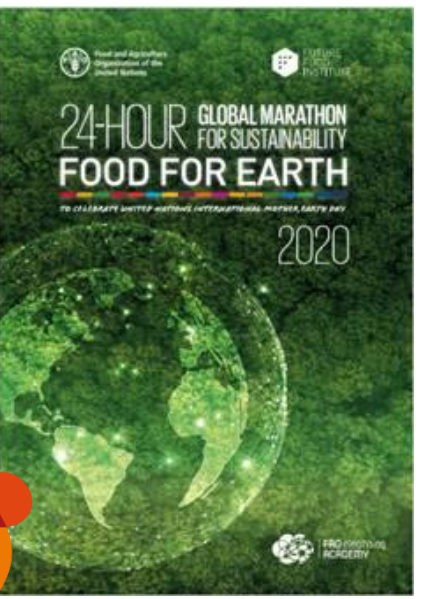
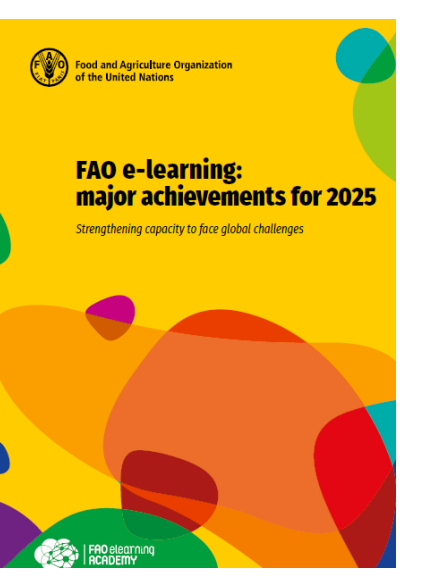
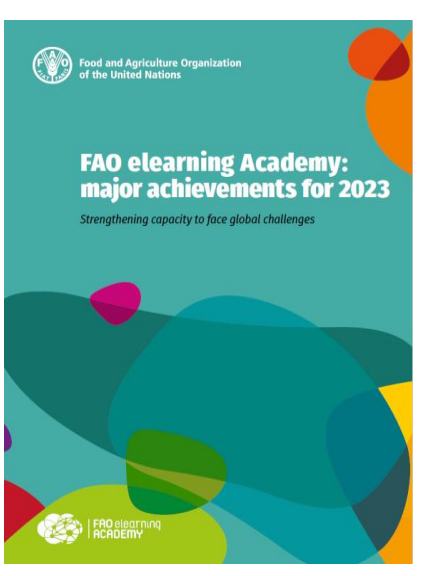
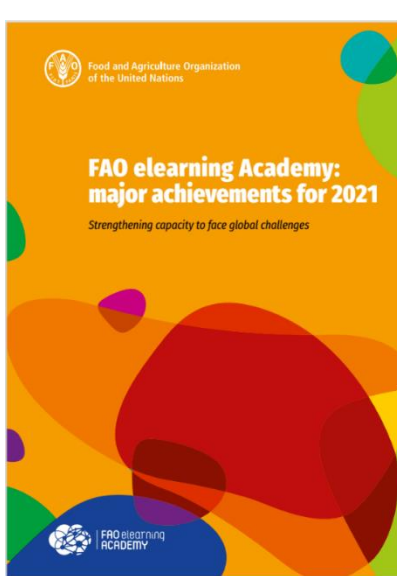
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Digital Signature	Recipient
Evidence	Verification



FAO digital badges are issued on passing (75%) a final scenario or competency-based test

FAO elearning Academy Digital Badges





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