



BUILDING THE NEXT GENERATION OF TAX JUSTICE CHAMPIONS





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Who we are

The International Tax Justice Academy (ITJA) is a capacity building programme with annual gathering and events held across Africa. The programme was launched in 2014. Under the motto “Building the next generation of tax justice champions”.

ITJA is designed as a pan-African initiative that seeks to inspire, empower and mobilise citizens across Africa through bridging the existing knowledge gap on tax justice in Africa.

What we do

The International Tax Justice Academy provides participants with a deep understanding of tax governance and its relationship to economic development, poverty reduction, and social justice. By the end of the learning process, participants are expected to have gained knowledge and skills to enable them participate actively in promotion of tax justice both at the national and international levels. The program covers a range of topics, including tax policy and administration, transfer pricing, financial secrecy, international tax cooperation among others.

How we do it

ITJA is an ongoing capacity building process that draws upon evidence-based research and is taught by experts primarily from the African continent. Participants learn about the role of civil society in promoting tax justice and how to effectively engage with policymakers and other stakeholders. The initiative embraces a hybrid approach to learning, with an interactive online learning platform and a website to perpetuate and build on the in person annual learning event that brings together learners and experts once a year.

Where we are

Since its inception in 2016, the ITJA has provided capacity building opportunities for individuals to acquire the necessary skills to engage in sustained advocacy, dialogue, and debate on tax justice issues.

The program has reached **over 320 participants, drawn from CSOs, trade unions, media, and academia**. It has since contributed enormously to raising awareness, strengthening policy capacity, and public mobilisation. ITJA has structured its engagement with learners through a training curriculum that addresses capacity needs of learners at Basic, Intermediary and advanced levels. It gives participants access to information and a dialogue platform to deepen their understanding of tax governance and its relationship to economic development, poverty reduction, and social justice.





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