Training Topics:

Accent Neutralization:

I. Pronunciation of individual vowels and consonants:
   - Understanding Vowel and Consonant sounds
   - Practice articulating both long and short vowels
   - Pronunciation exercises

II. Word stress patterns:
   - Dividing words into syllables
   - Stressed and unstressed syllables
   - Word stress patterns

III. Intonation, rhythm, and linking:
   - Neutral or “unmarked” patterns for statements and questions
   - Content vs. function words
   - Rhythm and linking
   - Word clustering/grouping and Powerful Pauses

IV. Elements of Spoken Communication:
   - Inflection
   - Intonation
   - Syllable Stress

Practice Exercises:
   - Reading exercises to practice pronunciation, inflection and enunciation
   - Spoken communication exercises to practice elements of pausing, inflection and pronunciation
   - Individual and group activities that enable participants to practice their learning

Training Hours:

The duration of the training will be 16 hours spread across 2 days