Adadale Polytechnic College



Hybrid DREAM Event

TVETs: Creating employment opportunities with Lowland programs

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Creating Skill, Business and Job opportunities

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1. Ongoing training programs: content and enrolment

- ► Training program: Basic Masonory Training (BMT) against tuition fee per trainee
- The content of the training

S.n	Type of course (competencies)	Course code	Credit hours
1	Carry out measurement and simple calculation	EIS BBCW1 02 1118	10hrs
2	Use construction hand and power tools	EIS BBCW1 04 1118	10hrs
3	Read and interpret plans & working drawing	EIS MAS2 03 0518	35hrs
4	Setting out profile set up building work	EIS BBCW1 06 1118	50hrs
5	Shape natural stone	EIS MAS2 04 0518	40hrs
6	Laying masonry unit	EIS BBCW1 10 1118	136hrs
7	Preparing mix mortar & concrete	EIS BBCW1 09 1118	10hrs
8	Basic Afar literacy & numeracy skills	-	55hrs
Total Credit Hours			346 Hrs



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- ► Enrolment : Male 22 and Female 03 Total **35 trainees** participated and completed the course
- Based on 35 trainees, the costs of the overall course are broken down to individual tuition fees
- Each institution, project or program is invited to send trainees against the payment of an indivudal tuition fee



2. Experiences: employment opportunities created

- We have already conducted nine rounds of Basic masons training (BMT) in collaboration with GIZ-SDR.
- In each round, we trained an average of 35 trainees; a total of 315 graduated



3. Experiences: connecting with main lowland programs

- We have not been trained in this way before
- The training we gave in the region was like any other Tvets, not in a unique and well-studied way connecting with main lowland programs and integrating into the real needs of the pastoral and agro-pastoral communities for livelihood options
- In this case, we want to be aware of the blessings (in the low land) that we have and look at the training programs that we provide.
- In the low land areas having an opportunities for employment creation with related problems or challenges in Afar such as:
 - Deforestation
 - Flood hazard
 - Land degradation
 - ✓ Soil erosion by wind & water
 - Overgrazing
 - Encroachment (Prosopis juliflora, Parthinium etc.)
 - Range land degradation etc



4. Experiences: connecting with other educational initiatives

- We have long-term experience in urban employment opportunities
- We have graduated with a number of short courses on urban employment opportunities with governmental and non-governmental organization.



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- The types of careers we offer are as follows
 - Mason work
 - Construction finishing work
 - ✓ Kitchen Operation
 - Hairdressing
 - ✓ Basic Apparel Production
 - Cobble stone training
 - Mobile maintenance
 - ✓ Basic computer training
 - ✓ Gypsum work
 - House and office furniture making
 - Metal work production
 - Plumbing work
 - Painting and plastering work
 - ✓ Office equipment and supply maintenance etc......



5. Reflection: strength, weakness, opportunities and threats

Strength

- What we started with in a new way of training modality is to make ourselves independent
- ✓ We can look at ourselves and see our strengths and weaknesses
- We know how to sell ourselves (products and services)
- We now how to identify our environment and its good job opportunities
- ✓ It gave us the opportunity to carry out a project
- ✓ It also gives experience to others governmental and non-governmental organization.



Weakness

- Security challenge
- Budget release process
- > Trainees awareness gap
- Punctuality



Threats

- Natural disaster in the area like flooding
- Regional and national security challenges



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Opportunities

- > The first short training course against tuition fee
- > Job opportunity created for part-time consultants and trained trainees
- > Further development of additional courses

Picture challenges in the low land







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Opportunities







Thank you