



Sustainable Development Application Form

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Project Name: Vocational training project through Tailoring, Catering, and Pastry Making

Local Country Partner: Evangelical Congregational Church in Angola (IECA)

Location: Huambo, Angola

Person at DOM responsible for and accountable for this project:

Marco Cable, Executive, Africa Office

Partner's History/Relationship with the Project:

The Evangelical Congregational Church in Angola (IECA) is a longstanding partner of Global Ministries, founded in 1880. Since its beginnings, IECA is committed to be an agent of change, prioritizing social development. Improvements have been made in the lives of many people through projects of rehabilitation, education, training, literacy, health, peace, and reconciliation.

Angola was ravaged by a 27-year civil war, which devastated its people. The church's commitment to peace and reconciliation was in the forefront in the post-war days. Many of Angola's people still suffer from extreme poverty, malnutrition, disease, and hunger, and there is a lack of hospitals and schools as a result of the war. Many rural Angolans fled to the coast or to refugee camps during the war, but these areas had harsh living conditions and lacked opportunities for education and basic services. Basic skills and many opportunities for improvement were not available for nearly two generations of Angolans.

The Church is guided by two areas: spiritual and social development. Spiritual development is run through the Christian education and evangelism department, while social development takes place through the IECA's Department of Social Assistance, Studies and Projects (DASEP). Activities of the DASEP include implementing sustainable development programs in the areas of agriculture food security, income generation, literacy, maternal care and nutrition, human rights and community organizing, water and sanitation, and community infrastructure (schools and health clinics).

Description of Project

According to Angola's National Institute of Statistics, the Huambo province has one of the highest unemployment rates in the country. In addition to a harsh economic reality for many, in Angolan society, there is a wide gap between men and women in terms of income and access to services, housing, land, and even micro-loans. In order to improve the income for families in the Huambo province of Angola, IECA is beginning a project to train 180 young adults with vocational skills, including tailoring, catering, and pastry making. This will help young adults in finding jobs and earning a fair wage.

According to the Provincial Department of Statistics and Planning, Huambo is a highly populated province with 1,948,000 people (approximately 15% of the estimated national of 12.6 million). More than half of the population

is concentrated in two cities: Huambo city (822,000 people) and Caála (239,000 people). Also, approximately 22% of the population are children under five years of age.

The Evangelical Congregational Church in Angola has a center of professional training in Huambo City. Therefore, this project will increase the number of young adults receiving vocational training and have the opportunity to grow professionally.

Target Population (children, women, farmers, urban poor, etc.):

The target population will be the most vulnerable young adults, primarily women, in Huambo city.

How many persons are/will be served? (please give as specific a figure as possible)?

This project will provide vocational training for 180 young adults at the IECA vocational training center, divided into two groups. One group will meet in the morning and one group will meet in the afternoon for a three-month program.

Key Objectives:

The overall objective of the project is to empower young adults with life skills and vocational skills that will promote self-reliance and job creation.

Specifically, the objective of the project is to train young adults in the trades of catering, pastry making, and tailoring.

Key Activities:

1. Contract instructors for tailoring, catering, and pastry making courses
2. Select 180 young adults (primarily women) from local IECA churches and the community for these new courses
3. Purchase equipment and supplies
4. Provide the courses to 180 participants

Duration of Project:

One year

Project Budget

Total Budget: \$13,100

Amount Requested from Week of Compassion: \$10,000

Is this a one-time request or an on-going request?

This is a one-time request for initial costs associated with initial costs to begin two new courses at the vocational training center in Huambo.

Is the project financially supported by ecumenical or outside partners? If so, what percentage does it cover for this project?

24% of the project budget is provided through outside support.

Please list partners who are funding this project:

IECA receives funds for their educational, vocational, and leadership training programs from the United Church of Canada, Global Ministries, the Waldensian Church of Italy, the United Nations Development Program, and People in Need (Czech Republic).

Does this project/partner receive funding from UCC OGHS, if so how much?

No

What is the overall percentage of fund requested that will be used for administration/overhead?

Of the funds requested, 0% will be used toward administration and overhead.

Please attached a detailed, itemized budget and cost breakdown for the requested funds.

Budget	Cost
Pastry Making/Catering	
Gas oven	\$400
Stove	\$300
Food Mixers	\$250
Metal Table	\$150
Dishes, pots, and utensils	\$800
<i>Including casserole dishes, rolling pins, baking trays, forms, pastry bags</i>	
Instructors for Pastry making/Catering	\$2,000
Tailoring	
Five Sewing machines	\$3,200
Needles, Measuring tape, Scissors	\$200
Fabric	\$800
Instructors for Tailoring	\$2,000
Administration	\$2,000
Building Maintenance, Classroom utilities	\$1,000
Total	\$13,100

Dates and project names of previous proposal submissions:

Fall 2017: Empowering Women in Malanje

Please attach the organization’s audited financials or recent financial report.

No financial statement attached.

How do you plan to monitor, evaluate, and report back to Week of Compassion? *(Please note that future funding is contingent upon reporting. In addition to reporting, please provide stories of transformation and photos.)*

The new courses will be monitored continuously during the implementation and course delivery. IECA will designate a project coordinator to monitor the program formally each month through reports, surveys, photos, case studies, testimonies, and tracking new businesses formed. Specific measurements are outlined in the table on the next page.

A narrative and financial report on the use of Week of Compassion Sustainable Development funds will be provided to Global Ministries one year following the receipt of funds.

What will be observed?	What is measured?	Who will be involved?	Outputs
1. 180 young adults (primarily what will be observed?	Number of young adults what is measured?	Coordinator, instructors, who will be involved?	Photography; Outputs
1. Select 180 young adults	Number of students	Lifeskills Training	List of applicants

women) trained on vocational skills (catering, pastry making, and tailoring)	completing the course and number of businesses formed	students	Reports; new businesses
2. Young adults (primarily women) who complete the program are contributing to their household income.	Household incomes	Project coordinator, students	Case study reports; testimonies
Expected Results			

If granted, is there a deadline by which to receive funding?
 As soon as funds are available.

If granted, please provide full information for how (wire transfer, check, etc.), where, and to whom funds should be sent:

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Designation: Tailoring, Catering, and Pastry Making vocational training of the Evangelical Congregational Church of Angola