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Training of trainers in managing agricultural cooperatives

« Managing your agricultural cooperative »

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Structure

I. Introduction
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III. Evaluation
IV. Circulation in Arab countries
V. Conclusion
I. Introduction

- Scourge of poverty and hunger
- Youth unemployment
- Exclusion of women

- Deviation
- Immigration
- Informal sector

Social and solidarity economy: associations, cooperatives and mutuals. Decent work and protection of the legal, social and health insurance.

South-South and triangular cooperation

E-learning
II. Display case

1. Online Platform
2. Training of trainers
3. On managing agricultural cooperatives
4. For agronomists around the world
5. Launched in 2012, International Year of Cooperatives
II. Display case

6. Duration of training: 12 consecutive weeks, twice each year, according to demand

7. Ten local and national languages: Swahili, Indonesian Bahasa, Sinhala & Tamil, Nepalese, English, Spanish, French, Chinese and Arabic

8. The cost of training: 1200 $

9. Three-way partnership

10. Organism overseeing the Project:
II. Display case

1. Objectives
It covers managerial challenges that many agricultural cooperatives face, intent management and the management of the affairs of its members.

2. Formative content
- Educational curriculum
- Cooperative management

3. Partners
- Southern countries
- Northern countries
- UN organizations

4. Beneficiaries since 2012
- Youth: high qualified
- Agricultural cooperatives
- Africa, Asia and Latin America, including the Arab countries
III. Evaluation

1. Beneficiary
   - Simple methods do not require a significant investment
   - Without absence from work
   - Cost within the reach of the beneficiary
   - Beneficiary can help in training

2. Agricultural cooperatives
   - Adopt the principles and values of the cooperative
   - The art of administration and management of the Member affairs
   - Expand the framework of cooperative services

3. Partners
   - Rich experience of partners in the field
   - Project formative scalable and creativity

4. Program regulator
   - 926 beneficiaries
   - Flexible configuration, development skills
   - Africa, Asia, Latin America
   - Egypt and Tunisia
IV. Steps mainstream experience in Arab countries

1. Browsing legislation cooperative with ILO R.193
2. Taking into account the specificities of Arab States
3. Partnership to consolidate by Arab organizations
4. Guide for the management of agricultural cooperatives
5. Arab media and educational institutions
V. Conclusion: The cooperative “is more than a firm”

1. Who among us does not know what sports team wears this shirt?

We all know that this shirt is a shirt of the FC Barcelona.

2. But who among us knows that this club is in the form of a cooperative?

Cooperative members: fans and lovers of this football team (175 000 members!)

2. Cooperatives are not known to the public, even in countries where they prosper.

Solution: information, training and education.
v. Conclusion

«... Nothing more than education in its ability to influence and change »

His Highness the Princess Moza Bint Nasser chairperson of the Qatar Foundation
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