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REPORT OF THE INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMME FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF COMMUNICATION (IPDC) ON ITS ACTIVITIES (2010-2012)

OUTLINE

Source: Article 10 of the Statutes of the International Programme for the Development of Communication (IPDC).

Background: This report is submitted to the Intergovernmental Council of the International Programme for the Development of Communication (IPDC) in pursuance of Article 10 of its Statutes adopted at the 21st session, which stipulates that the Director-General shall submit to the Council, at each of its sessions, a report on the implementation of the Programme.

Purpose: The present report covers IPDC's activities during the period between the 27^{th} (2010) and 28^{th} (2012) sessions of the Council. It provides an overview of important decisions and initiatives of the Council, IPDC projects and the financial situation of the Programme.

INTRODUCTION

The International Programme for the Development of Communication (IPDC), which was created in 1980, is the only intergovernmental programme in the UN system mandated to mobilize international support in order to contribute to sustainable development, democracy and good governance by strengthening the capacities of developing countries and countries in transition in the field of electronic and print media. Since its creation, IPDC has channelled more than US\$ 100 million to over 1500 media development projects in some 140 countries.

Its unique role has been continuously reaffirmed through resolutions adopted by the United Nations General Assembly, including the most recent one *Resolution A/RES/66/81*, "*Information in the service of humanity*", adopted on 9 December 2011 at the 66th session of the General Assembly, which urges all countries, organizations of the United Nations system and all other stakeholders concerned "to provide full support for the International Programme for the Development of Communication of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, which should support both public and private media."

27th SESSION OF THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL COUNCIL OF THE IPDC AND THE FOLLOW-UP TO ITS DECISIONS

The overall responsibility for the Programme lies with the **Intergovernmental Council of the IPDC**, which meets every two years to assess the work carried out by the Programme. It consists of representatives from 39 Member States elected by the General Conference of UNESCO.

The 27th session of the Intergovernmental Council of the IPDC was held at UNESCO Headquarters, Paris from 24 to 26 March 2010. (Final Report available at: <u>http://unesdoc.unesco.org/images/0018/001896/189697m.pdf</u>).

In accordance with the Council's rules of procedure, the **Bureau of the IPDC Intergovernmental Council** was elected. Its composition is as follows:

Chairperson:	Mr Raghu Menon (India)	Vice-Chairpersons:	Egypt / Yemen Thailand Venezuela
Members:	Namibia Russian Federation United States of America	Rapporteur:	Mr Mamadou Koumé (Senegal)

Following the report submitted by the Director-General on the Safety of Journalists and the Danger of Impunity, the Council adopted a **Decision** which led the Director-General decided to organize a UN Inter-Agency Meeting on journalists' safety at UNESCO Headquarters in Paris on 13 and 14 September 2011. Representatives of United Nations agencies, programmes and funds as well as Member States, professional associations and NGOs drafted a comprehensive UN Action Plan to improve the safety of journalists and combat the impunity of crimes committed against them. This document is being submitted for endorsement to the 28th session of the Council and will subsequently be presented to the bodies in charge of UN-wide coordination. The latest Director-General Report on the Safety of Journalists and the Danger of Impunity is also presented to the Council. It includes her condemnations of the assassinations of journalists in 2010-2011 as well as the responses received by Member States on the status of the judicial enquiries conducted on each of the killings condemned by UNESCO between 2006 and 2009.

The application of the UNESCO-IPDC **Media Development Indicators** (**MDIs**), which were endorsed by the IPDC Intergovernmental Council in 2008 as an "important diagnostic tool" for assessing media landscapes, has gained momentum. In March 2011, the IPDC Bureau decided to set aside US\$ 100,000 in the IPDC Special Account to be used for this purpose. Through a combination of both Regular Programme and IPDC funding, MDI-based assessments have now been completed in Bhutan, Croatia, East Timor, Ecuador, Jordan, the Maldives, Mauritania and Mozambique, while others are still on-going in 11 countries, including Egypt and Tunisia. These assessments have made it possible to identify media development gaps at national level, provide evidence-based recommendations on how to address them, and guide the formulation of media-related policies.

UNESCO has now developed a new tool – a set of **gender-sensitive indicators for media** (GSIM)designed to evaluate gender mainstreaming in media, both in terms of how women are represented in media content and the extent to which they participate in the management structure of media. The IPDC Bureau was briefed on a proposal to present the final draft of the GSIM indicators to the Council for discussion at its 28^{th} session. The CI sector is also planning to develop more detailed and refined subindicators on other thematic issues besides gender in coming years.

A thematic debate on "Free, independent and pluralistic media: the enabling role of the State" was organized at the 27th Council session, in which three examples of good practice in this area were presented: the Media Development and Diversity Agency in South Africa, the new Uruguayan Law on Community Broadcasting, and the Indonesian Press Council. Member States took advantage of this debate to share information about their respective national media environments and ways in which positive State intervention has helped to foster media pluralism and freedom of expression.

178 PROJECTS APPROVED FOR FINANCING

Two annual meetings of the Bureau of the IPDC Council were organized at UNESCO Headquarters in Paris, in March 2011 and February 2012 respectively. The main purpose of the meetings was to select the media development projects to be financed by IPDC in 2011-2012. A total of **223 project proposals were prepared for submission for the Bureau's consideration** by media organizations worldwide. Proposals were developed following the IPDC guidelines for project preparation and with reference to the Media Development Indicators. Expert assistance was provided by the UNESCO professionals based in 33 field offices and at Headquarters. Among the 223 projects proposals considered, the IPDC Bureau approved **178 projects (31 regional, 1 interregional and 146 national projects from 86 countries) for a total amount of US\$ 4,485,960** (for the list of the approved projects, please see the annex). The projects approved by the IPDC Bureau in 2011 and 2012 can be broken down as follows:

REGIONS	NUMBER OF PROJECTS	TOTAL FUNDS (IN US\$)	% BY REGION
AFRICA	72	1,655,080	37
ASIA AND THE PACIFIC	43	1,056,385	23,5
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN	36	800,195	17,8
ARAB REGION	24	892,150	19,9
EUROPE	2	49,150	1
INTERREGIONAL	1	33,000	0,8
GRAND TOTAL	178	4,485,960	100%

COUNTRY	NUMBER OF PROJECTS	AMOUNT US\$	COUNTRY	NUMBER OF PROJECTS	AMOUNT US\$
AFRICA			ASIA AND	THE PACIFIC	
REGIONAL	12	344850	REGIONAL	9	237050
BOTSWANA	1	12100	BANGLADESH	3	85800
BURKINA FASO	2	40150	BHUTAN	1	13750
BURUNDI	1	13200	CAMBODIA	2	40700
CAMEROON	1	22000	CHINA	1	27500
CAP VERDE	1	27500	EAST TIMOR	1	37400
CENTRAL AFR. REPUBLIC:	1	27500	INDIA	1	33000
CHAD:	2	60500	IRAN	1	17600
CONGO	1	22000	KAZAKHSTAN	1	17600
CONGO (DEM. REP.)	1	26400	KYRGYZSTAN	2	45100
DJIBUTY	1	33000	LAO PDR	2	50600
EQUATORIAL GUINEA:	1	13750	MALDIVES	1	22000
ETHIOPIA:	4	89100	MONGOLIA	2	66000
GABON:	2	39050	MYANMAR	1	16500
GHANA:	2	41800	NEPAL	3	72600
KENYA	2	48950	PAKISTAN	3	82500
LESOTO	1	22000	PAPUA NEW GUINIA	2	47300
LIBERIA	2	39500	SAMOA	1	10285
MADAGASCAR	2	44000	SOLOMON ISLANDS	2	40700
MALAWI	3	39600	SRI LANKA	1	19800
MALI	2	42900	TONGA	2	45100
MAURITIUS	1	27500	VIETNAM	1	27500
NAMIBIA	1	27500			
MOZAMBIQUE	1	11550			
NIGER	2	36300	-		
NIGERIA	2	51700	LATIN AMERICA	AND THE CARI	BBEAN
RWANDA	2	36300	REGIONAL	6	143550
SENEGAL	2	37400	ARGENTINA	1	15400
SIERRA LEONE	1	30800	BOLIVIA	2	55550
SOMALIA	2	41800	BRAZIL	2	55550
SOUTH AFRICA	2	46200	CHILI	1	16500
SWAZILAND	1	15400	COLOMBIA	2	66165
TANZANIA	3	79200	CUBA		16500

TOGO	1	13860	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	2	35750
UGANDA	4	97020	ECUADOR.	2	50360
ZIMBABWE	2	51700	EL SALVADOR	1	17050
			GRENADA	1	17600
ARAB R	ARAB REGION			2	54010
REGIONAL	4	254710	JAMAICA	1	17600
ALGERIA	1	15400	MEXICO	2	40700
EGYPT	2	52800	PANAMA	2	35200
JORDAN	2	41250	PARAGUAY	1	16500
IRAQ	2	49500	PERU	1	22660
LEBANON :	2	27500	ST. LUCIA	1	22000
MAURITANIA	2	32450	TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	1	14300
MOROCCO	1	14850	URUGUAY	2	36850
PALESTINE	4	68200	VENEZUELA	2	50400
SOUTH SUDAN	1	26400	EUROPE		
TUNISIA	3	309090	ARMENIA	1	18150
			BELARUS	1	22000
			INTERRE	GIONAL	
			INTERREGIONAL	1	33000

FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE IPDC

In accordance with IPDC's procedures, the Bureau allocates funds to projects only on the basis of financial resources already available at the moment of its proceedings. This practice helps to avoid any deficit in the IPDC budget and to proceed with the launching of the projects immediately after the Bureau's meeting. During the period between 2010 and 2012, a total of US\$ 4,277,467 was received from 13 donor countries which was used for the financing of the 178 projects approved in 2011-2012.

		55 th Bureau,	56 th Bureau,	Total
		(22-24 March 2011)	(22-24 February 2012)	
1.	Andorra	52,344	42,368	94,712
2.	Belgium	142,653 (FIT)	-	142,653 (FIT)
3.	Denmark	275,000	275,000	550,000
4.	France	27,127	38,000	65,127
5.	Finland	267,738	266,666	534,404
6.	India	530,000	-	530,000
7.	Israel	15,052	-	15,052
8.	Netherlands	-	66,666	66,666
9.	Norway	166,945	174,709	341,654
			276,420 (FIT)	276,420 (FIT)
10.	Spain	443,787	130,000	573,787

11.	Sweden	36,737	103,656	140,393
12.	Switzerland	482,456	-	482,456
13.	USA	200,000	264,143	464,143
	TOTAL	2,639,839	1,637,628	4,277,467

IPDC SPECIAL INITIATIVE: Building centres of excellence in journalism education in Africa

Having recognized journalism education as a major issue to be addressed in Africa, UNESCO in 2007 identified 20 institutions with the potential to become centres of excellence and of reference in this area. In 2010-2011, within the framework of the IPDC initiative, over US\$ 700,000 was allocated to purchase equipment, textbooks and organize training-of-trainers workshops for the centres, including three workshops on pedagogical methodologies coordinated by the Deutsche Welle Akademie in cooperation with UNESCO in which all participants from all the centres took part.

EVALUATION OF RECENT IPDC PROJECTS

The projects submitted to IPDC are considered to be a part of the long-term programme implemented by IPDC in each country. Every two years, the IPDC Bureau makes a selection of implemented projects to undergo an **external evaluation.** The reports on seven evaluated IPDC projects were presented and discussed during the 27th Council session. At its 55th meeting, the Bureau decided to increase the funds allocated from the IPDC Special Account for this purpose in order to enable the IPDC Secretariat to reinforce the evaluation of IPDC projects and ensure adequate follow-up. The biennial allocation was thus increased from US\$25 000 (53rd IPDC Bureau meeting, March 2009) to US\$40 000 in view of financing the missions of independent evaluators to complete at least 12 evaluation reports on completed projects per biennium. In accordance with this decision, 16 evaluation reports have been completed for submission to the 28th session of the IPDC Council.

UNESCO-IPDC PRIZE FOR RURAL COMMUNICATION

The Nepal Forum of Environmental Journalists and the Kenyan Arid Lands Information Network are the co-winners of the 2012 edition of the UNESCO-IPDC Prize for Rural Communication, which recognizes meritorious and innovative efforts to improve communication for rural communities in developing countries. The award ceremony is to take place during the 28th session of the IPDC Council. The Prize, which involves a cash award of US\$ 20,000, is granted every two years following a recommendation by the Bureau of UNESCO's International Programme for the Development of Communication (IPDC), which acts as prize jury.

PROJECTS APPROVED BY THE IPDC BUREAU AT ITS 56TH MEETING (22-24 FEBRUARY 2012)

Regions	Number of	IPDC Special	IPDC Funds-	Total Funds	%
	projects approved for financing	Account (in US\$)	in-Trust (in US\$)	(in US\$)	by region
Africa	33	724,350	-	724,350	33,5%
Asia and the Pacific	21	511,500	-	511,500	24%
Latin America and the Caribbean	18	387,310	-	387,310	18%
Arab region	12	237,600	276,420	514,020	23%
Interregional	1	33,000	-	33,000	1,5%
GRAND TOTAL	85	1,893,760	276,420	2,170,180	100%

	AFRICA	PROJECT NUMBER	AMOUNT ALLOCATED (INCL.10%PSC)
1.	LIBERIA: CAPACITY BUILDING FOR WOMEN COMMUNITY RADIO JOURNALISTS	IPDC/56 LIR/01	34100
2.	LIBERIA: MEDIA DEFENSE AND SAFETY OF JOURNALISTS	IPDC/56 LIR/02	15400
3.	NIGERIA: BUILDING COMMUNITY RADIO	IPDC/56 NIR/01	27500
4.	SIERRA LEONE: PROMOTING CREDIBLE ELECTIONS REPORTAGE THROUGH THE INDEPENDENT RADIO NETWORK (IRN)	IPDC/56 SIL/01	30800
5.	DJIBOUTI: APPUI A LA CREATION DE L'ECOLE SUPERIEURE DE JOURNALISME A L'UNIVERSITE DE DJIBOUTI	IPDC/56 DJI/01	33000
6.	ETHIOPIA: CAPACITY BUILDING OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JOURNALISM AND COMMUNICATION AT MEKELLE UNIVERSITY	IPDC/56 ETH/01	33000
7.	ETHIOPIA: CAPACITY BUILDING OF MEKELLE FM 104.4 IN TIGRAY	IPDC/56 ETH/02	16500
8.	REGIONAL: PAN-AFRICAN CONFERENCE ON JOURNALISTS SAFETY AND TACKLING IMPUNITY	IPDC/56 RAF/01	41250
9.	BURKINA FASO : CREATION DU CENTRE MULTIMEDIA COMMUNAUTAIRE DE BONDOUKUY	IPDC/56 BKF/01	22000
10.	MALI: RENFORCEMENT DES CAPACITES DE PRODUCTION DE LA RADIO RURALE DE KAYES	IPDC/56 MLI/02	20900
11.	NIGER: FORMATION DES FORMATEURS A INSTITUT DE FORMATION AUX TECHNIQUES DE L'INFORMATION ET DE LA COMMUNICATION (IFTIC)	IPDC/56 NER/01	16500
12.	NIGER: DEVELOPPEMENT DES RADIOS COMMUNAUTAIRES DES REGIONS DE DOSSO, NIAMEY ET TILLABERY	IPDC/56 NER/02	19800
13.	TANZANIA: CAPACITY BULDING OF THE TANZANIA SCIENCE JOURNALISTS ASSOCIATION	IPDC/56 URT/02	12100

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14.	BOTSWANA: SUPPORT FOR THE CAMPAIGN ON FREEDOM OF INFORMATION	IPDC/56 BOT/01	12100
	MALAWI: TRAINING OF JOURNALISTS IN GENDER-SENSITIVE REPORTING	IPDC/56 MLW/01	13200
16.	MALAWI: STRENGTHENING THE CAPACITY OF INDEPENDENT PRIVATE RADIO STATIONS	IPDC/56 MLW/02	13200
17.	ZIMBABWE: IMPLEMENTING GENDER EQUALITY POLICIES IN SOUTHERN AFRICA	IPDC/56 ZIM/01	24200
18	REGIONAL: CAPACITY-BUILDING FOR GENDER BALANCED CONTENT PRODUCTION IN SOUTH EAST AFRICA	IPDC/56 RAF/02	22000
19.	CONGO: APPUI A LA CREATION DE L'INSTITUT DE FORMATION AU JOURNALISME ET A LA COMMUNICATION	IPDC/56 PRC/01	22000
20.	GABON: REVISION ET SENSIBILISATION AU RESPECT DES CODES D'ETHIQUE ET DE DEONTOLOGIE	IPDC/56 GAB/01	17050
21.	BURUNDI: REPORTING ON CHILDREN AND WOMEN'S RIGHTS	IPDC/56 BDI/01	13200
22.	KENYA: BUILDING THE CAPACITY OF THE COMMUNITY MEDIA IN KENYA THROUGH DEVELOPMENT AND SHARING OF LOCAL CONTENT		22550
23.	RWANDA: COMMUNICATING FOR DEVELOPMENT: CAPACITY BUILDING OF WOMEN RADIO JOURNALISTS	IPDC/56 RWA/01	14300
24.	RWANDA: EMPOWERING THE RWANDAN PEACE AND DEMOCRACY JOURNALISTS NETWORK	IPDC/56 RWA/02	22000
25.	SOMALIA: RAISING WOMEN'S VOICES IN SOMALIA THROUGH COMMUNITY MEDIA	IPDC/56 SOM/01	20900
26.	UGANDA: ASSESSING THE MEDIA LANDSCAPE IN UGANDA USING THE MEDIA DEVELOPMENT INDICATORS	IPDC/56 UGA/01	27500
27.	UGANDA: BUILDING SKILLS OF COMMUNITY RADIO EDITORS AND PRODUCERS IN DIGITAL RADIO PROGRAMME PRODUCTION	IPDC/56 UGA/02	24200
28.	LESOTHO: CAPACITY BUILDING FOR MEMBERS OF THE MAFETENG COMMUNITY MULTIMEDIA CENTRE	IPDC/56 LES/01	22000
29.	NAMIBIA: STRENGTHENING THE CAPACITY OF COMMUNITY TO ENHANCE COMMUNITY LEARNING	IPDC/56 NAM/01	27500
30.	SOUTH AFRICA: COMMUNITY RADIO AS A PARTICIPATORY DEVELOPMENT CHANNEL	IPDC/56 SAF/01	18700
31.	REGIONAL: REINFORCING THE NAMIBIAN COMMUNITY RADIOS' NETWORK	IPDC/56 RAF/04	17600
32.	CAMEROON: AMELIORATION DE L'INFORMATION SUR LE CHANGEMENT CLIMATIQUE DANS LE RESEAU NATIONAL DE RADIOS COMMUNAUTAIRES	IPDC/56 CMR/01	22000
33.		IPDC/56 RAF/05	25300
	ASIA AND THE PACIFIC		
34.	KYRGYZSTAN: THE PEOPLE'S MICROPHONE – ORGANIZING A COMMUNITY RADIO CARAVAN	IPDC/56 KYZ/01	17600
35.	REGIONAL: ABU: GENDER MAINSTREAMING IN BROADCASTING ORGANISATIONS IN ASIA-PACIFIC REGION	IPDC/56 RAS/01	33000
36.	PAPUA NEW GUINEA: BUILDING INSTITUTIONAL MEDIA TRAINING CAPACITY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF GOROKA	IPDC/56 PNG/02	22000
37.	SOLOMON ISLANDS: BUILDING CAPACITY OF SOLOMON ISLANDS BROADCASTING CORPORATION CORRESPONDENTS TO STRENGTHEN A NETWORK OF NEWS AND REPORTS FROM THE WHOLE OF SOLOMON ISLANDS	IPDC/56 SOI/01	14300

38.	TONGA: CONTRIBUTING TO ALLEVIATION OF POVERTY THROUGH MEDIA FOR OUTLYING ISLANDS	IPDC/56 TON/01	28600
39.	REGIONAL: STRENGTHENING INNOVATIVE AND GENDER INCLUSIVE USE OF COMMUNITY MEDIA PRACTICES IN THE PACIFIC REGION FOR PEACE AND SECURITY	IPDC/56 RAS/02	27500
40.		IPDC/56 CAM/01	17600
41.	CAMBODIA: CAPACITY BUILDING FOR LOCAL RADIO STAFF TO PRODUCE COMMUNITY PROGRAMMES	IPDC/56 CAM/02	23100
42.	DISTRICT	IPDC/56 LAO/01	26400
43.	THE MYANMAR PRINT MEDIA INDUSTRY	IPDC/56 MYA/01	16500
44.	VIETNAM: CAPACITY BUILDING OF ETHNIC MINORITY BROADCASTERS FOR PROMOTION OF MEDIA AND ETHNIC DIVERSITY	IPDC/56 VIE/01	27500
45.	REGIONAL : TRAINING OF TRAINERS - KNOW YOUR RIGHTS: NAVIGATING THE LAWS THAT INFLUENCE THE WORK OF THE MEDIA	IPDC/56 RAS/03	27500
46.	CHINA: PROMOTING GENDER-AWARENESS IN CHINA'S MASS MEDIA	IPDC/56 CPR/01	27500
47.	MONGOLIA: BUILDING TRAINING CAPACITY OF THE PRESS INSTITUTE OF MONGOLIA TO FACILITATE IMPLEMENTATION OF A NEW JOURNALISM CURRICULA	IPDC/56 MON/01	27500
48.	PAKISTAN: CAPACITY BUILDING OF WOMEN TV JOURNALISTS TO PRODUCE NEWS PACKAGES & NEWS BULLETINS	IPDC/56 PAK/01	29700
49.	TIMOR-LESTE: ESTABLISHMENT OF THE TIMOR-LESTE PRESS COUNCIL	IPDC/56 TIM/01	37400
50.	NEPAL: ESTABLISHING A COMMUNITY RADIO SELF REGULATION MECHANISM FOR UPHOLDING FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION	IPDC/56 NEP/01	24200
51	NEPAL: INSTIUTIONAL CAPACITY BUILDING OF TRIBHUVAN UNIVERSITY	IPDC/56 NEP/02	26400
52.	BANGLADESH: BUILDING INSTITUTIONAL CAPACITY OF THE PATHSHALA SOUTH ASIAN MEDIA ACADEMY	IPDC/56 BGD/01	25300
53.	COMMUNITY RADIO IN BHUTAN	IPDC/56 BHU/01	13750
54.	REGIONAL: AIBD : CAPACITY BUILDING OF POLICY MAKERS IN CREATING AN ENABLING ENVIRONMENT FOR PUBLIC SERVICE BROADCASTING	IPDC/56 RAS/05	18150
	LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN		
55.	BRAZIL: STRENGTHENING COMMUNITY COMMUNICATION	IPDC/56 BRA/01	20350
56.	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC: PROMOTING HIGH QUALITY JOURNALISTIC COVERAGE OF ENVIRONMENT ISSUES	IPDC/56 DOM/01	15950
57.	AND COMMUNITY MEDIA	IPDC/56 RLA/01	26400
58.	JAMAICA: BUILDING THE CAPACITY OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT AND COMMUNITY WORKERS TO USE COMMUNITY RADIO AS A TOOL FOR BEHAVIOUR CHANGE	IPDC/56 JAM/01	17600
59.	TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO: TRINIDAD YOUTH CENTRE COMMUNITY MULTIMEDIA TRAINING CENTRE AND RADIO STATION	IPDC/56 TRI/01	14300
60.	REGIONAL: EMERGENCY AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT CAPACITY BUILDING FOR CARIBBEAN BROADCASTERS	IPDC/56 RLA02	18150
61.	ARGENTINA: ESTABLISHING A NETWORK OF COMMUNITY RADIOS IN ARGENTINA AND PROMOTING GREATER WOMEN PARTICIPATION AND LEADERSHIP IN THE MEDIA	IPDC/56 ARG/01	15400

62.	PARAGUAY - CAPACITY-BUILDING AND AWARENESS RAISING FOR COMMUNITY RADIOS ON WOMEN'S PARTICIPATION IN	IPDC/56 PAR/01	16500
	PARAGUAY		
63.	URUGUAY: S CONSTRUCTION OF A REFERENCE CODE OF ETHICS FOR JOURNALISTIC PRACTICE	IPDC/56 URU/01	14850
64.	BOLIVIA: EDUCATING GRASSROOTS COMMUNICATORS FOR THE AFRO-BOLIVIAN NATIONALITY	IPDC/56 BOL/01	22550
65.	COLOMBIA: INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM REGARDING DRUG TRAFFICKING AND SELF-PROTECTION MECHANISMS FOR JOURNALISTS	IPDC/56 COL/01	36300
66.	ECUADOR: MEDIA SELF-REGULATION AND GENDER TRAINING FOR NEWS EDITORS AND JOURNALISTS	IPDC/56 ECU/01	26400
67.	PERU: TRAINING WOMEN JOURNALISTS IN ICTS AND GENDER	IPDC/56 PER/01	22660
68.	VENEZUELA: DIPLOMA PROGRAM TO STRENGTHEN TRAINING FOR COMMUNITY COMMUNICATORS	IPDC/56 VEN/01	20900
69.	REGIONAL: TRAINING PROFESSORS FOR MASTERS PROGRAMMES IN THE ANDEAN REGION WITH EMPHASIS ON STRATEGIC USE AND SOCIAL APPROPRIATION OF ICTS	IPDC/56 RLA/04	31900
70.	MEXICO: CREATION OF TWO COMMUNITY MEDIA CENTRES FOR YOUTH IN THE RURAL AND INDIGENOUS STATES OF CAMPECHE AND CHIAPAS	IPDC/56 MEX/01	19800
71.	PANAMA: COMMUNICATION, KEY ELEMENT FOR PERSONAL AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT IN INDIGENOUS COMMUNITIES	IPDC/56 PAN/01	19800
72.	REGIONAL: COMMUNITY COMMUNICATION FOR THE ERADICATION OF VIOLENCE AGAINST INDIGENOUS WOMEN OF MEXICO, NICARAGUA AND GUATEMALA	IPDC/56 RLA/05	27500
	ARAB REGION		
73.	JORDAN: CAPACITY BUILDING FOR YOUNG CITIZEN JOURNALISTS IN EASTERN AMMAN, ZARQA, MA'AN	IPDC/56 JOR/01	23650
7 - 10	LEBANON: STRENGTHENING WATCHDOG JOURNALISM	IPDC/56 LEB/01	16500
75.	EGYPT: DEVELOPMENT OF INTERACTIVE TELEVISION PROGRAMME TO STRENGTHEN FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION	IPDC/56 EGY/01	28600
76.	SOUTH SUDAN: CAPACITY BUILDING OF THE UNION OF JOURNALISTS OF SOUTH SUDAN	IPDC/56 SUD/01	26400
77.	REGIONAL: TRAINING FOR EGYPTIAN AND YEMENI JOURNALISTS TO BUILD CAPACITY IN LOCAL NEWSROOMS	IPDC/56 RAB/01	24200
, 0	IRAQ: TRAINING LOCAL JOURNALISTS IN INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM	IPDC/56 IRQ/01	30800
.,,	ALGERIE: RENFORCEMENT DE LA WEB RADIO « VOIX DE FEMMES »	IPDC/56 ALG/01	15400
80.	MAURITANIE: RENFORCEMENT DE CAPACITES PROFESSIONNELLES DE L'UNION DES FEMMES DE MEDIA DE MAURITANIE	IPDC/56 MAU/02	11550
81.	TUNISIE : RENFORCEMENT DES CAPACITES PEDAGOGIQUES DE L'INSTITUT DE PRESSE ET DES SCIENCES DE L'INFORMATION DE TUNIS (IPSI)	IPDC/56 TUN/01	19800
82.	TUNISIA: FIT: FOSTERING MEDIA FREEDOM IN TUNISIA THROUGH THE CREATION OF A DESK OFFICER TEMPORARY POSITION IN TUNISIA	IPDC/56 TUN/02	276420
83.	PALESTINE: BUILDING CAPACITY OF THE PALESTINIAN MEDIA IN CONFLICT SENSITIVE REPORTING	IPDC/56 PAL/01	19800
84.	PALESTINE: CAPACITY BUILDING OF WATTAN NEWS DEPARTMENT	IPDC/56 PAL/02	20900

85. INTERREGIONAL: INTERNATIONAL MEDIA PROJECT TO PROMOTE AND DISSEMINATE BEST PRACTICE AND RELATED SAFETY AND IMPUNITY ISSUES

IPDC/56 INT/01 33000

PROJECTS APPROVED BY THE IPDC BUREAU AT ITS 55TH MEETING (22-24 MARCH 2011)

Regions	Number of projects approved for financing	IPDC Special Account (in US\$)	IPDC Funds- in-Trust (in US\$)	Total Funds (in US\$)	% by region
Africa	39	939,730	-	939,730	40,6%
Asia and the Pacific	22	544,885	-	544,855	23,5%
Latin America and the Caribbean	18	412,885	-	412,885	17,8%
Arab region	12	201,850	176,280	378,130	16,4%
Europe	2	40,150	-	40,150	1,7%
GRAND TOTAL	93	2,139,500	176,280	2,315,780	100%

	PROJECT TITLE	BUDGET CODE	AMOUNT ALLOCATED IN US\$
	ARAB REGION		
1.	EGYPT: CAPACITY BUILDING FOR LOCAL MEDIA IN EGYPT	354EGY5001	24,200
2.	IRAQ: CONFLICT SENSITIVE JOURNALISM TRAINING IN KIRKUK	354IRQ5001	18,700
3.	JORDAN: BUILDING CAPACITIES OF WOMEN CITIZEN JOURNALISTS IN RURAL AREAS	354JOR5001	17,600
4.	LEBANON: PRODUCTION OF A CODE OF ETHICS AGREED UPON BY JOURNALISTS	354LEB5001	11,000
5.	MAURITANIA: PROFESSIONAL COURSE TO STRENGTHEN THE CAPACITY OF THE NETWORK OF MAURITANIAN FEMALE JOURNALISTS	354MAU5001	20,900
6.	MOROCCO BUILDING THE EDUCATIONAL CAPACITY OF ISIC TO INTEGRATE GENDER PERSPECTIVES IN JOURNALISM CURRICULA	354MOR5001	14,850
7.	PALESTINE: CITIZEN MEDIA : A TOOL FOR CHANGE	354PAL5001	11,000
8.	PALESTINE: ENHANCING WOMEN'S ROLES AND VOICES IN MEDIA	354PAL5002	16,500
9.	TUNISIA: BUILDING PROFESSIONAL CAPACITY OF TUNISIAN JOURNALISTS ON COMPUTER ASSISTED REPORTING AND INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM	354TUN5001	12,870
	REGIONAL PROJECTS		
10.	BUILDING FREE EXPRESSION ADVOCACY CAPACITY IN THE MENA REGION	354RAB5001	29,700

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11.	BUILDING CAPACITY OF TEACHERS AT MASS COMMUNICATIONS AND JOURNALISM FACULTIES IN THE ARAB REGION ON REPORTING DIVERSITY	354RAB5002	24,530
12.	ASSESSING NATIONAL MEDIA LANDSCAPES IN THE MENA REGION USING UNESCO'S MDIS	517RAB5000 FIT	176,280
	EUROPE		
13.	ARMENIA: SOCIAL REPORTING MEDIA: DEVELOPING CITIZEN JOURNALISM IN ARMENIA	354ARM5001	18,150
14.	BELARUS: DEVELOPMENT OF INTERNET TELEVISION WITH CITIZEN PARTICIPATION IN BELARUS	354BYE5001	22,000
	LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN		
15.	BOLIVIA: MASTER'S PROGRAMME IN JOURNALISTIC COMMUNICATION	354BOL5001	33,000
	BASED ON UNESCO'S MODEL CURRICULA FOR JOURNALISM EDUCATION	334DOL3001	55,000
16.	BRAZIL: NATIONAL TRAINING PROGRAM FOR JOURNALISTS AND PROFESSORS ON INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM BASED ON PUBLIC DATA	354BRA5001	35,200
17.	CHILE: BUILDING INSTITUTIONAL CAPACITY FOR QUALITY MEDIA TRAINING AND ACCESS TO INFORMATION	354CHI5001	16,500
18.	COLOMBIA: STRENGTHENING THE WOMEN'S NETWORK OF THE COLOMBIAN FEDERATION OF JOURNALISTS: "FECOLPER-WOMEN"	354COL5001	29,865
19.	CUBA: STRENGTHENING COMMUNITY MEDIA CAPACITIES IN <i>JAIMANITAS</i> COMMUNITY.	354CUB5001	16,500
20.	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC: TRAINING WORKSHOP ON RAISING GENDER AWARENESS THROUGH MEDIA	355DOM5001	19,800
21.	ECUADOR: TRAINING IN SECURITY, LAW, ACCESS TO INFORMATION AND SELF-REGULATION FOR JOURNALISTS WORKING IN HIGH-RISK ZONES	355ECU5001	23,760
22.	EL SALVADOR: STRENGTHENING IZCANAL COMMUNITY RADIO AND TELEVISION	355ELS5001	17,050
23.	GRENADA: CAPACITY BUILDING OF GRENADA MEDIA WORKERS	355GRE5001	17,600
24.	HAITI: SAKS FOUNDATION: ASSISTANCE TO COMMUNITY RADIOS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF PLURALISM	355HAI5001	21,010
25.	HAITI : SUPPORT FOR JOURNALIST TRAINING	355HAI5002	33,000
26.	MEXICO: CAPACITY-BUILDING OF RADIO JOURNALISTS WORKING ON GENDER VIOLENCE	355MEX5001	20,900
27.	PANAMA: WE ARE AN INVINCIBLE YOUTH	355PAN5001	15,400
28.	SAINT LUCIA: HARMONY FM COMMUNITY RADIO	355STL5001	22,000
29.	URUGUAY: SPREADING AND DISCUSSING RESULTS OF THE MEDIA DEVELOPMENT INDICATOR STUDY IN URUGUAY	355URU5001	22,000
30.	VENEZUELA: MEDIA CONTRIBUTIONS TO DEMOCRACY THROUGH PLURALITY OF INFORMATION SOURCES, CITIZEN PARTICIPATION AND "MEDIA ACCOUNTABILITY"	355VEN5001	29,700
	REGIONAL PROJECTS		
31.	CBA: MEDIA SUPPORTING DEMOCRACY WORKSHOP FOR CARIBBEAN BROADCASTERS	355RLA5001	22,000
32.	TRAINING ON MULTIMEDIA REPORTING FOR MEXICAN AND CENTRAL AMERICAN JOURNALISTS (IAPA)	355RLA5002	17,600
	ASIA AND THE PACIFIC		
33.	BANGLADESH: FLAGSHIP UN ACTION FOR COMMUNITY RADIO	355BGD5001	44,000
34.	BANGLADESH: STRENGTHENING THE CAPACITY OF BANGLADESHI		· · · · ·
	MEDIA IN DISASTER REPORTING	355BGD5002	16,500
35.	INDIA: STRENGTHENING JOURNALISTS' SAFETY AND MEDIA RIGHTS MONITORING INITIATIVES IN INSURGENCY PRONE AREAS OF INDIA	355IND5001	33,000

36.	IRAN: CAPACITY BUILDING OF MEDIA PROFESSIONALS IN REPORTING ON CLIMATE CHANGE ISSUES	355IRA5001	17,600
37.	KAZAKHSTAN: INTERNEWS: TRAINING FOR KAZAKH-SPEAKING JOURNALISTS ON ISSUES OF LIBEL AND DEFAMATION	355KZH5001	20,900
38.	KYRGYZSTAN: STRENGTHENING CAPACITIES OF COMMUNITY MEDIA IN MOUNTAIN VALLEYS OF KYRGYZSTAN	355KYR5001	24,200
39.	LAOS: BUILDING INSTITUTIONAL CAPACITY OF MASS COMMUNICATION AT NUOL	355LAO5001	24,200
40.	MALDIVES: JOURNALISM SKILLS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME IN MALDIVES	355MDV5001	22,000
41.	MONGOLIA: CAPACITY BUILDING FOR SPECIAL PUBLIC BROADCAST CHANNEL CATERING TO ETHNIC MINORITIES	355MON5001	38,500
42.	NEPAL: GIVING A VOICE TO WOMEN: ESTABLISHING THE COMMUNITY RADIO STATION "RADIO NARI AAWAJ"	355NEP5001	22,000
43.	PAKISTAN: DEVELOPING CAPACITY OF RADIO JOURNALISTS TO PRODUCE NEWS AND CURRENT AFFAIRS PROGRAMMES IN PAKISTAN	355PAK5001	19,800
44.	PAKISTAN: BASIC JOURNALISM SKILLS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME FOR DISTRICT CORRESPONDENTS IN PAKISTAN	355PAK5002	33,000
45.	PAPUA NEW GUYANA: EMPOWERMENT THROUGH COMMUNITY MEDIA AND PARTICIPATION IN THE NUKU COMMUNITY PNG	355PNG5001	25,300
46.	SAMOA: ENHANCING INSTITUTIONAL CAPACITY OF NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SAMOA, THROUGH INTRODUCTION OF RADIO IN A BOX	355SAM5001	10,285
47.	SOLOMON ISLANDS: TRAINING OF TRAINERS IN COMMUNITY RADIO IN THE PACIFIC	3558015001	26,400
48.	SRI LANKA: IMPROVE TRAINING OF JOURNALISTS BY COMPILING A COMPREHENSIVE SYLLABUS BASED ON THE UNESCO MODEL JOURNALISM CURRICULUM	355SRL5001	19,800
49.	TONGA: EMPOWERMENT OF TONGANS IN A TRANSITIONAL POLITICAL ERA THROUGH CAPACITY BUILDING FOR TBC	355TON5001	16,500
	REGIONAL PROJECTS		
50.	ADIL SOZ: PROMOTION OF PROFESSIONAL CAPACITIES OF CHIEF EDITORS OF CENTRAL ASIAN PRINT MEDIA ON THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION	355RAS5001	20,900
51.	BUILDING REGIONAL NEWS CAPABILITY BY TRAINING AND EQUIPPING TELEVISION NEWS PRODUCERS IN MICRONESIA	355RAS5002	37,400
52.	ABU: CAPACITY BUILDING FOR ABU CHILDREN'S TV PROGRAMME ITEM- EXCHANGE PRODUCERS/DIRECTORS	355RAS5003	22,000
53.	AMIC: REPORTING CLIMATIC CHANGE – TRAINING WORKSHOPS FOR ASIAN PRINT JOURNALISTS	355RAS5004	17,600
54.	AIBD: TRAINING OF JOURNALISTS ON LEGAL AWARENESS IN AN ERA OF MEDIA CONVERGENCE	355RAS5005	33,000
	AFRICA		
55.	BURKINA FASO: CENTRE OF REFERENCE (COR): TRAINING FOR LECTURERS IN THE COMMUNICATION AND JOURNALISM DEPARTMENT	355BKF5001	18,150
56.	CAP VERDE: SETTING UP OF A COMMUNITY MULTIMEDIA CENTRE IN SÃO VICENTE	355CVI5001	27,500
57.	CAR: CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE (COE): SUPPORT FOR "TRAIN-THE- TRAINER" TRAINING IN THE DEPARTMENT OF JOURNALISM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF BANGUI	355CAF5001	27,500
58.	CHAD: STRENGTHENING THE RESOURCES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION SCIENCES AND TECHNIQUES AT THE UNIV. OF N'DJAMENA	355CHD5001	38,500
59.	CHAD: TRAINING OF MEDIA PROFESSIONALS IN ELECTORAL REPORTING	355CHD5002	22,000
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60.	CONGO DR: RURAL RADIO FOR THE YOUTH AND WOMEN OF BUKAVU	355ZAI5001	26,400
61.	EQUATORIAL GUINEA: HARMONIZATION OF THE JOURNALISM AND COMMUNICATION TRAINING PROGRAMS WITH UNESCO'S MODEL CURRICULA	355EQG5001	13,750
62.	ETHIOPIA: PROFESSIONAL CAPACITY BUILDING FOR SUDE COMMUNITY RADIO	355ETH5002	12,100
63.	ETHIOPIA: TRAINING ON INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM AND DOCUMENTARY PROGRAM PRODUCTION (ERTV, ETHIOPIA)	355ETH5001	27,500
64.	GABON: ASSISTANCE WITH THE SETTING UP OF THE DEPARTEMENT OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION SCIENCES (UOB)	355GAB5001	22,000
65.	GHANA: (COE) GENDER AND MINORITIES MAINSTREAMING IN JOURNALISM EDUCATION AT AFRICAN UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION (AUCC)	355GHA5001	22,000
66.	GHANA: SUSTAINING COMMUNITY BROADCASTING TO DEEPEN DEMOCRACY, GOOD GOVERNANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY (RADIO BUILSA)	355GHA5001	19,800
67.	KENYA: ESTABLISHMENT OF RWARE COMMUNITY MULTIMEDIA CENTRE, NYERI DISTRICT	355KEN5001	26,400
68.	MADAGASCAR: (COR) INTRODUCTION OF A MASTERS DIPLOMA IN ECONOMIC JOURNALISM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ANTANANARIVO	355MAG5001	16,500
69.	MADAGASCAR: PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION TRAINING FOR LOCAL RADIO EMPLOYEES	355MAG5001	27,500
70.	MALAWI: LAUNCHING OF THE CAMPAIGNS TO ENACT ACCESS TO INFORMATION LEGISLATION (MISA-MALAWI)	355MLW5001	13,200
71.	MALI: SETTING UP THE COMMUNITY RADIO, RADIO BRICO	355MLI5001	22,000
72.	MAURITIUS: BUILDING INSTITUTIONAL CAPACITY OF THE MAURITIAN AND SEYCHELLES PRESS FOR ETHICAL AND GENDER-SENSITIVE JOURNALISM (UNIV. OF MAURITIUS)	355MAR5001	27,500
73.	MOZAMBIQUE: (COE) MOZAMBICAN SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM: INSTALLATION OF COMMMUNICATION SYSTEM FOR ON-LINE TEACHING	355MOZ5001	11,550
74.	NIGERIA: (COE) CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT AND CAPACITY BUILDING WORKSHOP FOR UNESCO POTENTIAL CENTRES OF EXCELLENCE AND REFERENCE	355NIR5001	24,200
75.	SENEGAL: (COE) SUPPORT FOR POTENTIAL CENTRES OF EXCELLENCE IN JOURNALISM EDUCATION (CESTI)	355SEN5001	17,600
76.	SENEGAL: ASSISTANCE FOR THE COMMUNITY RADIO, "LA VOIX DU JEGUEM"	355SEN5001	19,800
77.	SOMALIA: STRENGTHENING HUMANITARIAN INFORMATION FLOW THROUGH MEDIA IN SOMALIA AND AMONG SOMALI DISPLACED COMMUNITIES	355SOM5001	20,900
78.	SOUTH AFRICA: UPGRADING THE TECHNICAL AND RADIO PRODUCTION SKILLS OF WOMEN IN COMMUNITY RADIO (BUSH RADIO)	355SAF5001	27,500
79.	SWAZILAND: MEDIA COMPLAINTS COMMISSION (MCC) (MISA- SWAZILAND)	355SWA5001	15,400
80.	TANZANIA: TRAINING OF TRAINERS (TOT) ON THE STANDARDISED DIPLOMA LEVEL CURRICULUM FOR JOURNALISM TRAINING IN THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA (MEDIA COUNCIL OF TANZANIA)	355URT5002	38,500
81.	TANZANIA: ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMUNITY RADIO FOR KAHAMA DISTRICT (TUENDELEZANE-NGO)	355URT5001	28,600
82.	TOGO: PROJECT TO SUPPORT THE NEWSPAPER "LIBERTÉ": CREATION OF REGIONAL CORRESPONDENT POSTS	355TOG5001	13,860
83.	UGANDA: CAPACITY BUILDING FOR SELF REGULATION BY NEWSPAPER EDITORS AND RADIO PROGRAM PRODUCERS	355UGA5002	17,820
84.	UGANDA: ESTABLISHING KABALE COMMUNITY RADIO	355UGA5001	27,500

85.	ZIMBABWE: (COR) CAPACITY BUILDING AND CURRICULUM ADAPTATION IN RADIO AND TELEVISION BROADCASTING	355ZIM5001	27,500
	REGIONAL PROJECTS		
86.	DAYSTAR UNIVERSITY (COE) POTENTIAL CENTRES OF EXCELLENCE AND REFERENCE - CAPACITY BUILDING: TRAINING OF TRAINERS IN NEW MEDIA JOURNALISM, CURRICULUM REVIEW AND FACULTY EXCHANGES	355RAF5001	27,500
87.	GENDER LINKS: (COE) BUILDING CAPACITIES OF HIGHER LEARNING IN SOUTHERN AFRICA TO MAINSTREAM GENDER IN JOURNALISM EDUCATION	355RAF5002	24,200
88.	AFRICA-UK JOURNALISM EDUCATION EXCHANGE NETWORK (POLYTECHNIC OF NAMIBIA)	355RAF5003	30,800
89.	URTI: TRAINING IN THE USE OF A WEB PLATFORM FOR THE JOINT PRODUCTION AND EXCHANGE OF PROGRAMMES BETWEEN PUBLIC RADIO BROADCASTERS	355RAF5004	33,000
90.	CIRTEF: TRAINING OF ARCHIVISTS AND IT PERSONNEL FOR THE SETTING UP OF AN ARCHIVING AND MULTIMEDIA-EXCHANGE CENTRE	355RAF5005	40,700
91.	CIRTEF: NEW MEDIA TRAINING	355RAF5006	27,500
92.	EAJA: MEDIA LAW REFORM CAMPAIGN IN EASTERN AFRICA (EAST AFRICA JOURNALISTS ASSOCIATION,)	355RAF5007	28,600
93.	ARTICLE 19 KENYA & EASTERN AFRICA: BOLSTERING THE SAFETY AND PROTECTION OF JOURNALISTS IN EASTERN AFRICA	355RAF5008	26,400