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Project title

CONSULTING SERVICES FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT FOR EMPLOYMENT; JOB READINESS PROGRAM; AND INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT TO THE MINISTRY OF YOUTHS AND SPORTS (MOYS) YOUTH ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND EMPLOYMENT PROJECT (YEEP)

Name of legal entity	Country	Overall project value (EUR)	Proportion carried out by candidate (%)	No of staff provided	Name of client	Origin of funding	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners if any
	Liberia	1.152.542 USD	70%	9	Ministry of Youths and Sports	African Development Bank (AfDB)	January 2018 – July 2020	IBF International Consulting
Detailed description of project						Type of services provided		
<p>The YEEP Liberia and Sierra Leone are part of the multi-donor Fund for African Private Sector Assistance (FAPA). FAPA aims to support the implementation of the African Development Bank's (AFDB's) Private Sector Development (PSD) Strategy by providing untied grants for technical assistance and capacity building to African governments, regional economic communities and similar intergovernmental organizations, business associations, market regulatory institutions, business development service providers, business training and research institutions and public/private enterprises.</p> <p>The Youth Entrepreneurship and Employment Project is part of pillar III: Enterprise Development - Assistance to countries to address specific enterprise-level challenges to private sector development, including skills shortages, difficulties in accessing finance, lack of scale, value chain gaps and weakness. YEEP contributes to building a competitive private sector in Liberia by strengthening the capacities of selected tertiary institutions that will design and deliver entrepreneurship and employment generation programs. YEEP consists of four different project interrelated components, including skills development for employment (1), the job readiness program (2), entrepreneurship development (3) and Institutional support to MoYS to ensure quality control, monitoring and evaluation, sustainability of the project, as well as the possibility to further up-scale the project initiatives (4). The consultancy assignment for Cadena relates to component 1, 2 and 4.</p>						<p>Cadena is responsible for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Inception report ✓ Adapted Monitoring Tools ✓ Skills needs assessment report ✓ Redesigned course materials ✓ Train-the-trainers program ✓ School management training ✓ Internships and on-the-job training for BWI students ✓ Internships and on-the-job training for University of Liberia students ✓ Job-readiness/ career guidance ✓ Training/operational manuals for job-readiness services ✓ Provision of job-readiness services to 2.400 University of Liberia students ✓ Work experience program ✓ Secondary school pilots for off-campus program ✓ M&E Framework ✓ Communication strategy ✓ Management Information Systems ✓ Tracer surveys ✓ Capacity building for MoYS ✓ Model for scaling and sustaining Liberia YEEP 		