


Ref. 21-3169		Project title DEVELOPING A HARMONIZED TVET QUALIFICATION FRAMEWORK AND AT LEAST TEN (10) REGIONAL HARMONIZED OCCUPATIONAL STANDARDS IN THE PRIORITY AREAS OF EASTRIP FOR THE THREE COUNTRIES						
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
	Uganda, Ethiopia, Kenya and Tanzania	EUR 327.591	100%	14	Inter University Council for East Africa	World Bank	June 2021 – June 2022	IBF international consulting; MAMZA Consulting LTD North South Consulting
Detailed description of project						Type of services provided		
<p>The objective of EASTRIP is to increase the access and improve the quality of Technical Vocational Education Training (TVET) programs in selected Regional Flagship TVET Institutes (RFTIs) and to support regional integration in Eastern Africa.</p> <p>The project will support the following subcomponents: (a) harmonization of standards and mutual recognition of qualifications for priority occupations (in close partnership with industries), (b) facilitating staff and student mobility through exchange programs and (c) regional project coordination and M&E. As a result of achieving this, labour transfers are expected to be smoothened.</p> <p>To achieve further regional integration, Cadena shall:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Develop a Regional Qualifications Framework for TVET education Develop at least TEN (10) regionally harmonized occupational standards for selected occupations in the EASTRIP priority sectors, e.g. agro-processing, transport, electrical/ power and ICT 						<p>Cadena was responsible for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A desk review of the National Qualifications Frameworks and level descriptors and entry levels for each of the EASTRIP countries Sharing prior efforts and current status on Regional Harmonization of Qualifications Framework for TVETs Preparing a roadmap to achieve the Regional QF considering the different stakeholders and related development processes Prepare draft Regional Qualifications Framework Work sessions with TWG and TVET Agencies to include feedback Developing a final Regional Harmonized Qualifications Framework for TVETs in the three EASTRIP countries Identifying key courses and occupations among the EASTRIP RFTIs Sharing with TWG the candidate/selected occupations for the assignment and the proposed workplan for achieving results Organizing working sessions to harmonize existing Occupational Standards while working with industry partners and academia per occupation/ from each of the three countries combined Final adjustments of OS based on validation workshop by TWG/ IUCEA/ WB/ industry partners Circulate OS to the respective approval authorities 		