

Senior Expert Corps – a Project of Swisscontact

Promoting entrepreneurship through expertise – Imparting technical skills through volunteer work

The retired professionals of our Senior Expert Corps (SEC) are qualified experts on site. Through their consulting services, they provide hands-on, cost-effective support towards sustainable development of companies and institutions.

SEC Assignment in Uganda, 2019

Assignment No. 3569

Location Jinja, Uganda

Client Women Entrepreneurs

Association

Expert Rein Kielstra,

Interim Manager

Period 07.10. - 24.10.2019



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The association offers business, technical and management support to member enterprises who are mainly active in the agri-, horticulture or related businesses. The association would like to see member owned enterprises grow preferably with quality products, and expand the association.

Tasks

The expert should advise on areas of improvement for better service to the members and contribute to the development of a better orgnisation. Visit the members and give individual advices to every member on how to improve their business.

Hold a workshop on business planning, marketing and financial control.

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Visits have been made to all the members of the association, whereby immediate advices for improvement of the various enterprises could be given.

During a one day training session the expert explained how to control your business, by presenting simple record systems and planning models. A system has been presented to set up a database for the association as a support and service to the members.