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Since 2016 Innovazione per lo Sviluppo has invested over **6 million euros** in a variety of projects, reaching **40,000 direct beneficiaries** and **600,000 indirect beneficiaries** including local communities, Civil Society Organizations and innovators.

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In the 2020-2022 timeframe, Innovazione per lo Sviluppo (Innovation for Development) deployed two main tools to advance 44 different projects: Coopen, a participatory process for dealing with various challenges, identifying and developing innovative solutions targeted to African regions; and Call Technologies for Sustainable Development, aimed at providing current, inclusive, and sustainable solutions whose core features could be strengthened and/or replicated in other contexts or countries.

In 2023, the Call SPRINT was introduced to support medium-long term consolidation plans of verified solutions in order to reinforce, scale and replicate such innovations, also with inputs from other Civil Society Organizations.

CAPACITY BUILDING



Since 2018, Innovazione per lo Sviluppo has produced 24 training courses, organized by 17 technical partners, reaching a total of over 1,000 people working in the field of international development and cooperation.

These training sessions focused on developing specific skills in such areas as data for development, monitoring and evaluation practices, civic technologies, theory of change, mapping, digital manufacturing, project management, process innovation, impact investing, and leadership.

Innovazione per lo Sviluppo has also supported the first level of Master's Degree in ICT for Development and Social Good at the University of Turin since its first edition, offering up to 14 scholarships.



Innovazione per lo Sviluppo has always been focused on networking and exchange of good practices, promoting a series of in-person and online events and meetings. Three editions of the Innovation Open Days were organized (in 2017 in Milan, in 2019 in Turin, and again in 2023 in Milan), attracting over 1500 international professionals involved in development cooperation activities.

In 2021, the Innovation Open Talks were introduced, a new format of participatory webinars devoted to artificial intelligence, data for development, low-tech solutions, and the new frontiers of Web3 within the international development and cooperation sector.

FOOD AND SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE



FOOD AND SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE

AGRI . SEN



A project by ARCS Culture Solidali, in partnership with Glocal Impact Network, to develop a hydroponic cultivation system for small-scale agriculture in the municipality of Boulal, Senegal. This is a solution with an economically-sustainable and a low-tech outcome, enabling us to leverage on profitability conditions of communities involved, to Wachieve food self-sufficiency and to promote sustainable agri-food production directly managed by women and families.

AGRI.SEN



ORGANIZATION

ARCS Culture Solidali

PARTNER

Glocal Impact Network

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TECHNOLOGY

Hydroponic agriculture,
Frugal innovation,
Agricultural biodiversity

TARGET COUNTRY

Senegal



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Agriculture 2.0 - Hi-tech agricultural development

This project by Fondazione CESVI promotes the adoption of a digital platform that, leveraging satellite data, serves as a connection point between farmers and local authorities in Zimbabwe. Developed by iFARM, the platform collects data on weather forecasts, predictions of pest infestations, training courses on products, agronomic calendars, and market information.

**AGRICULTURE 2.0 - HI-TECH
AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT**



ORGANIZATION

Fondazione CESVI

PARTNER

iFARM

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TECHNOLOGY

Precision agriculture,
Digitization of
agricultural monitoring,
Data platform,
Networking platform

TARGET COUNTRY

Zimbabwe



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Agriculture for Alito



A capacity-building project, initiated by Cooperazione e Sviluppo Ong, in partnership with Lentera Africa, to support the Alito Training Centre, a training center for agri-business in Uganda. Users of the FarmKonnnect mobile app will be able to monitor soil conditions, receive updates from farm coops, access specialized training content and obtain specific information on local markets or remote support from agronomists.

AGRICULTURE FOR ALITO



ORGANIZATION

Cooperazione e Sviluppo

PARTNER

Lentera Africa

SUPPORTED BY

Coopen - Food and Sustainable Agriculture

TECHNOLOGY

Precision agriculture,
Digitization of agricultural monitoring

TARGET COUNTRY

Uganda



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FOOD AND SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE



Agribusiness for sustainable development

ENGIM promoted the adoption of a zero-impact mobile factory in the municipality of Ronkh in Senegal for processing, drying and vacuum-packaging of fruit and vegetables. This project is based on a semi-mechanised, flexible and eco-friendly system, tested for mango production by Mobique and then adapted to local products. It is mostly aimed at reducing waste, promoting an entrepreneurial approach, and lowering unemployment rate among women and youth.

**AGRIBUSINESS FOR SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT**



ORGANIZATION

ENGIM

PARTNER

Mobique

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TECHNOLOGY

Drying process

TARGET COUNTRY

Senegal



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FOOD AND SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE

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CLIMA - CLimate Improved Model for Agriculture

The Zambezia province in Mozambique is particularly vulnerable to extreme climate shocks. The Coordinamento delle Organizzazioni per il Servizio Volontario (COSV) has developed a database of meteorological data by strengthening some meteo stations already running in the area and consolidating the dissemination network activated in case of hazardous climatic events. Furthermore, this project aims at fostering the exchange activities among universities, government bodies and civil society.

**CLIMA - CLIMATE IMPROVED MODEL FOR
AGRICULTURE**



ORGANIZATION

COSV

PARTNER

Dipartimento di
Biologia Ambientale -
La Sapienza

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TECHNOLOGY

Precision agriculture,
Data platform

TARGET COUNTRY

Mozambique



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FOOD AND SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE

DIGIT-ALF



The Comunità Impegno Servizio Volontariato (CISV) promoted the adoption of a digital platform to improve food security of agro-pastoral communities in the Ferlo region (Senegal). Hatsi Jari is a multilingual platform designed by the Senegalese IT consultancy center ProSe and intended to facilitate proper inventory management of feed suppliers and information exchange with farmers.

DIGIT-ALF



ORGANIZATION

CISV

PARTNER

ProSE, Réseau Billittal
Maroobe

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TECHNOLOGY

Precision agriculture,
Networking platform,
Digitalization of
warehouse management

TARGET COUNTRY

Senegal



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G.I.A.P.A. – Innovative Water Management

G.I.A.P.A. (Gestione Innovativa dell'Acqua e Promozione dell'Agricoltura ecologica a Orkadiéré, Senegal) is a RE.TE. Ong project aimed at improving the horticultural sector management of SIPA d'Orkadiéré farming company, which handles 31 hectares of arable land in Senegal's Matam region. This project takes advantage of a decision support system suited to accurately estimate crop water needs.

**G.I.A.P.A. - INNOVATIVE WATER
MANAGEMENT**



ORGANIZATION

RE.TE. ONG

PARTNER

Green Cross
Italia, Terra Nuova
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TECHNOLOGY

Precision agriculture

TARGET COUNTRY

Senegal



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FOOD AND SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE

Solar incubator and photovoltaic lamps

An OAF-I project, in partnership with Sermig, designed to introduce two sustainable technologies in Burkina Faso and in Tanzania: solar incubators for egg artificial hatching and photovoltaic condenser lamps for night lighting. Such frugal innovation solutions can be managed and replicated in a single-handed manner, thus providing an actual opportunity to improve the living conditions of local communities.

SOLAR INCUBATOR AND PHOTOVOLTAIC LAMPS



ORGANIZATION

OAF-I

PARTNER

Sermig Re.Te. per lo Sviluppo

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TECHNOLOGY

Frugal Innovation

TARGET COUNTRIES

Burkina Faso, Tanzania



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Monitoring of Milk & Honey supply chains

The Movimento Africa '70 project, in partnership with TriM Srl, promoted the adoption of a digital platform for data collection and management at local level pertaining to milk and honey supply chains in Niger's Tillaberi region. The platform includes a sustainability indicator calculation and distributes a monthly bulletin detailing supply chains' productivity and performance, in order to simplify the overall management of such production systems.

MONITORING OF MILK & HONEY SUPPLY CHAINS



ORGANIZATION

Movimento Africa '70

PARTNER

TriM Srl

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Sustainable Development
- Call 2020

TECHNOLOGY

Data platform,
Digitalization of
agricultural monitoring

TARGET COUNTRY

Niger



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FOOD AND SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE



Informed decision making

The ActionAid Italia project, in partnership with TriM Srl, features Sistema 3Map, a mobile app for data collection aimed at supporting a proper decision-making process for livestock care and breeding in Kenya's Isiolo county. This project facilitates short and medium term forecasts and enables the digitalisation of Pastoral Ecosystem Analysis (PESA), thus improving the decision-making process about herd management.

INFORMED DECISION MAKING



ORGANIZATION

ActionAid Italia

PARTNER

TriM Srl

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Coopen - Food and
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TECHNOLOGY

Data platform,
E-learning

TARGET COUNTRY

Kenya



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Agricultural productivity in Meru County

The CEFA project, in partnership with COL'OR NGO and Lentera Africa, has strengthened the skills of small farmers producing coffee, fruit and legumes in Kenya's Meru County. The use of a digital platform capable of integrating agronomy practices with satellite and aerial data has resulted in a more effective restructuring of supply chains providing access to inputs, harvesting and storage. This project improved the overall productivity, generating more sustainable and profitable models.

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTIVITY IN MERU COUNTY



ORGANIZATION

CEFA

PARTNER

COL'OR NGO,
Lentera Africa

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TECHNOLOGY

Precision agriculture,
Data platform

TARGET COUNTRY

Kenya



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Smart greenhouses in Laikipia County

The smart greenhouse project implemented by Centro Laici Italiani per le Missioni (CeLIM) optimizes the use of water and fertilizers in Laikipia (Northern Kenya), a semi-arid area going through the severe effects of our climate crisis. The FarmShield technological solution, developed by Synnefa Green Ltd, enables the diversification of agricultural production, thus reducing costs and strengthening the social empowerment of women in Maasai agro-pastoral groups.

SMART GREENHOUSES IN LAIKIPIA COUNTY



ORGANIZATION

CeLIM

PARTNER

Synnéfa

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Coopen - Food and Sustainable Agriculture

TECHNOLOGY

Precision agriculture

TARGET COUNTRY

Kenya



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Smart Demo Farm Tanzania

The project promoted by Fondazione Giuseppe Tovini Cooperazione e Volontariato, in partnership with Ruaha Catholic University, led to the flourishing of Demonstration Farms, farms devoted to training and dissemination of agricultural technologies. Along with courses specifically aimed at supporting small and medium-sized farmers, such activities advanced the adoption of new precision farming techniques in Tanzania's Iringa Region.

SMART DEMO FARM TANZANIA



ORGANIZATION

Fondazione G. Tovini
Cooperazione e
Volontariato

PARTNER

Ruaha Catholic
University

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TECHNOLOGY

Precision agriculture,
E-learning

TARGET COUNTRY

Tanzania



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FOOD AND SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE



Solutions for livestock tracking

In partnership with GenePlus Breeders Kenya, Mani Tese has tested a solar ear tag system aimed at collecting data for monitoring pig health and well-being at the Elburgon production center (Nakuru County, Kenya), this enabling traceability and reducing risks of epidemics. These special tags simplify the general farm management, providing greater income opportunities for small farmers and promoting healthy, sustainable, and traceable food production.

SOLUTIONS FOR LIVESTOCK TRACKING



ORGANIZATION

Mani Tese

PARTNER

GenePlus Breeders Kenya

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TECHNOLOGY

Blockchain, Data platform, Sensors, Digitization of agricultural monitoring

TARGET COUNTRY

Kenya



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Innovative technology for sustainable agriculture

Burkina Faso (Loumbilia) is facing an on-going crisis in its agricultural production. The negative effects of climate change require a new management of farming resources. The WiForAgri mobile app enables monitoring and advanced management of agricultural crops thanks to an agrometeorological detection station capable of measuring environmental and soil parameters in real time. This technology is helpful in preserving the production ecosystem and in improving the community living conditions.

INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY FOR SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE



ORGANIZATION

Fondazione ACRA

PARTNER

WiForAgri

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TECHNOLOGY

Data platform,
Digitization of
agricultural
monitoring, Precision
agriculture

TARGET COUNTRY

Burkina Faso



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Traceability in Ethiopian agricultural supply chains

The LVIA project takes advantage of blockchain technology to keep track of agricultural products such as carrots, green beans, and green peppers. Agricultural products are labeled with geo-referencing at the washing, hulling and packaging stations. The additional Trusty mobile app, developed by APIO, promoted greater transparency in the agrifood sector through a democratic and open source approach to ensure food safety.

TRACEABILITY IN ETHIOPIAN AGRICULTURAL SUPPLY CHAINS



ORGANIZATION

LVIA

PARTNER

APIO

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TECHNOLOGY

Blockchain

TARGET COUNTRY

Ethiopia



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Valiration of local seeds

A partnership involving the Fondazione Slow Food per la Biodiversità and the University of Pavia has produced a project dedicated to seed care and conservation techniques in Nakuru (Kenya). Its main goal is to help in facing the challenge of crop biodiversity and to guarantee food security to local communities. These activities are centered around the agroecology, an ethical and innovative approach integrates scientific knowledge with the traditional wisdom of the indigenous Maasai and Ogiek communities.

VALIRATION OF LOCAL SEEDSS



ORGANIZATION

Fondazione Slow Food
per la Biodiversità

PARTNER

Università degli Studi
di Pavia

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Sustainable Agriculture

TECHNOLOGY

Agricultural
biodiversity, E-learning,
Seed conservation and
germination techniques

TARGET COUNTRY

Kenya



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CIRCULAR ECONOMY



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Tournesol Centre

Developed by Movimento Sviluppo e Pace with local and Italian partners, this project introduced a new production chain based on sunflowers in Burkina Faso. A particular processing plant enables the transformation of sunflower seeds into oil and protein panels. Furthermore, the construction of refrigerated containers and a well tank has spurred a cold chain system for product storage.

TOURNESOL CENTRE



ORGANIZATION

Movimento Sviluppo e Pace

PARTNER

Dounia - Cultura e Fraternità, Associazione Mattone su Mattone, Frères de la Sainte Famille de Belley, Poko Energy Seeds, Fondation Graines de Sésame

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TECHNOLOGY

Green building, Agricultural biodiversity, Controlled-temperature conservation systems

TARGET COUNTRY

Burkina Faso



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CIRCULAR ECONOMY



Plastic collection and recycling in Mathare

The LiveinSlums project focuses on waste management in Mathare, a slum in Nairobi (Kenya), in order to improve sanitary and living conditions of local communities. An ad-hoc digital platform developed by ValueBin supports ecological operators throughout their waste collection activities. All waste items are gathered in a hub within the slum, then sorted out. If recyclable, they are packaged, sold, and transported to the Havillah Disposal Center in Nairobi.

PLASTIC COLLECTION AND RECYCLING IN MATHARE



ORGANIZATION

LiveinSlums

PARTNER

ValueBin

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Coopen - Circular
Economy

TECHNOLOGY

Digitalization of waste
management

TARGET COUNTRY

Kenya



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CIRCULAR ECONOMY



Circular Senegal

Managed by Associazione Internazionale Volontari Laici (LVIA), this project customizes the mobile app developed by startup Mercato Circolare to the Dakar and Thiès areas in Senegal. The result is SenegApp Circulaire, a digital platform designed to map and enhance visibility to good practices within the local circular economy, thus promoting networking activities between various entities.

The project involves approximately two hundred local organizations, including businesses and associations.

CIRCULAR SENEGAL



ORGANIZATION

LVIA

PARTNER

Mercato Circolare

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Economy

TECHNOLOGY

Data platform,
Digitalization of waste
management, Networking
platform

TARGET COUNTRY

Senegal



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CIRCULAR ECONOMY



Hydroponic technology in Ouagadougou

Developed by Fondazione ACRA, this hydroponic agricultural system plans to optimize water usage, reduce land depletion and encourage crop diversification by making a variety of horticultural products available all year round. This project is also focused on enhancing the role of women in local economic development and their active participation, particularly in Toessin, in the Yatenga province, in order to access new employment opportunities.

**HYDROPONIC TECHNOLOGY IN
OUAGADOUGOU**



ORGANIZATION

Fondazione ACRA

PARTNER

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Economy

TECHNOLOGY

Hydroponic agriculture

TARGET COUNTRY

Burkina Faso



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CIRCULAR ECONOMY



Toolkit for People

Designed by EStà (Economia e Sostenibilità) in partnership with Fondazione ACRA, this civic technology toolkit aims to improving the socio-economic-environmental impact of waste management in Senegal. Tested in the Elinkine village, the toolkit provides several tools to map local resources, calculate the impact of separate waste collection and to facilitate a wide outcome sharing.

TOOLKIT FOR PEOPLE



ORGANIZATION

ESTà - Economia e
Sostenibilità

PARTNER

Fondazione ACRA

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TECHNOLOGY

Digitalization of waste
management

TARGET COUNTRY

Senegal



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CIRCULAR ECONOMY

Waste To Value



This Fondazione AVSI project concerns the distribution of organic fertilizers among farmers in urban and peri-urban areas of Kampala, Uganda. Such program is based on a circular economy process designed by Marula Proteen Ltd centered on the larvae of the black soldier fly: feeding on organic waste, the larvae convert it into edible proteins to be used in animal feed and organic fertiliser.

WASTE TO VALUE



ORGANIZATION

Fondazione AVSI

PARTNER

Marula Proteen

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Coopen - Circular
Economy

TECHNOLOGY

Bioconversion

TARGET COUNTRY

Uganda



EDUCATION AND CAPACITY BUILDING



EDUCATION AND CAPACITY BUILDING

ES . MAROC



This project plans to replicate in Burkina Faso and Ivory Coast the experience of ES.MAROC, an e-learning school active since 2018 in Morocco and specifically focused on local entities. By combining a video conferencing platform, project management applications, and online data management, this program can overcome geographical boundaries and make training content usually quite expensive and complex easily accessible to local actors.

ES.MAROC



ORGANIZATION

Soletterre

PARTNER

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Maroc, Associazione
ES.Maroc.org

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TECHNOLOGY

E-learning

TARGET COUNTRIES

Burkina Faso,
Côte d'Ivoire, Morocco



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ENERGY



ENERGY



TERESA - TEchnology for Rural Electrification

Developed by ICEI, in partnership with Milan's Politecnico, this project offers two open source tools, equipped with a graphical interface, focused on planning proper energy access in Mozambique rural areas. The VANIA tool provides in-depth analysis on remote villages, facilitating all decision-making processes. A second tool (GISEle) facilitates electrification planning, by identifying the most economical solution to guarantee access to energy sources.

TERESA - TECHNOLOGY FOR RURAL ELECTRIFICATION



ORGANIZATION

ICEI

PARTNER

Politecnico di Milano

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TECHNOLOGY

Digitalization of
energy systems

TARGET COUNTRIES

Mozambique



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HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



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BISIL - Better Innovative Solutions

Better Innovative Solutions and Informatic Leadership (BISIL) by COLOR NGO is a digital platform, developed by AfyaRekod, for the management of healthcare patients in remote and rural areas of Kenya. While also providing aggregated data on local districts, this initiative plans to improve the digitalization of healthcare services, enhance communication between patients and medical staff, and actively involve patients in their own medical care.

BISIL - BETTER INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS



ORGANIZATION

COL'OR NGO

PARTNER

AfyaRekod

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and Well-being

TECHNOLOGY

Hospital data,
Data platform

TARGET COUNTRY

Kenya



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HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

E-learning for the St. Mary's Hospital

This project by Fondazione Piero e Lucille Corti promotes the adoption of an e-learning mobile app, designed and developed by Tech Care For All, for healthcare staff at St. Mary Lacor Hospital (LH). This app provides advanced and qualified training courses on specialized topics such as neonatal mortality, infection prevention, kidney failure, Ebola, and tuberculosis. Such courses can be taken either online or offline.

E-LEARNING FOR THE ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL



ORGANIZATION

Fondazione Piero e
Lucille Corti

PARTNER

Tech Care For All, St.
Mary's Hospital Lacor

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TECHNOLOGY

E-learning

TARGET COUNTRY

Uganda



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HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

Mobile ultrasound scans



World Friends, in partnership with Health-E-Net, has launched SonoMobile, a mobile system including a portable ultrasound machine and a dedicated app. The project main goal is to bring prenatal and perinatal care to rural communities in Kenya, in particular in Kajiado County and urban slums. The mobile clinic team was recruited and trained at the Ruaraka Uhai Neema Hospital.

MOBILE ULTRASOUND SCANS



ORGANIZATION

World Friends

PARTNER

Health-E-Net

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TECHNOLOGY

Screening app,
Hospital data,
Data platform

TARGET COUNTRY

Kenya



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HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



Flowered Defluoridator Device

Developed by Istituto Oikos in partnership with Nelson Mandela African Institution of Science and Technology (NM-AIST), this project promotes innovative low-cost defluoridation technologies for drinking water purification in Tanzania. In order to improve the quality of water for human consumption, this technology deploys the Flowered Defluoridator Device, a system designed to reduce the concentration of fluoride using octacalcium phosphate.

FLOWERED DEFLUORIDATOR DEVICE



ORGANIZATION

Istituto Oikos

PARTNER

NM-AIST, Oikos East
Africa

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TECHNOLOGY

Water purification

TARGET COUNTRY

Tanzania



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HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

A stylized orange graphic of a person with arms raised, positioned behind the text. The figure is composed of simple, rounded lines, with a circular head and two curved arms extending upwards and outwards.

I4I - Innovation for Inclusion

This initiative, developed by CBM Italia to improve inclusive rehabilitation services at the CoRSU Hospital in Uganda, takes advantage of 3D printing technology to produce prostheses and orthoses. Its main goal is to provide personalized and innovative solutions for physical rehabilitation, thus reducing costs and optimizing production with a scalable, replicable, and long-term sustainable approach, with particular attention to machinery maintenance and spare parts availability.

I4I - INNOVATION FOR INCLUSION



ORGANIZATION

CBM Italia

PARTNER

Medere, CoRSU Hospital

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Coopen - Health
and Well-being

TECHNOLOGY

3D printing

TARGET COUNTRY

Uganda



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HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

KOKONO



Kokono is an innovative, multi-function, low-cost, and biodegradable crib that supports maternal and child health and safety in Uganda. Designed by Amref Health Africa, in partnership with De-LAB, this project is part of a wider local program called “Buy Ugandan, build Uganda”. Indeed, Kokono is entirely produced in Kampala as an effort to promote local entrepreneurship and encourage an inclusive production ecosystem.

KOKONO



ORGANIZATION

Amref Health Africa

PARTNER

De-LAB

SUPPORTED BY

Coopen - Health
and Well-being

TECHNOLOGY

Frugal innovation

TARGET COUNTRY

Uganda



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HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

MAJI-TECH



This WeWorld project focuses on innovating water access in Isiolo County, Kenya. It is based on an ATM prepaid water distribution system connected to solar-powered kiosks, installed with technical support provided by Maji Milele (Water Forever). These kiosks are accessible 24/7 and operate through prepaid tokens, offering also a choice between chlorinated drinking water and untreated water for livestock.

MAJI-TECH



ORGANIZATION

WeWorld

PARTNER

Maji Milele

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TECHNOLOGY

Solar energy kiosks,
Solar energy wells

TARGET COUNTRY

Kenya



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HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



Innovative educational models for healthcare personnel

This online platform, developed by Ilara Health, provides training courses and discussion forums for healthcare personnel in Kenya, particularly in Tharaka and Meru provinces. Developed by Rome's Comunità di Sant'Egidio ACAP, this project is aimed at improving healthcare skills and know-how of local operators in treating diabetes, hypertension, and cervical cancer, while also promoting the sharing of knowledge and the adoption of best practices.

INNOVATIVE EDUCATIONAL MODELS FOR HEALTHCARE PERSONNEL



ORGANIZATION

Comunità di Sant'Egidio
ACAP

PARTNER

Ilara Health, DREAM
Kenya Trust

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TECHNOLOGY

E-learning

TARGET COUNTRY

Kenya



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Open Hospital 2022



This is a hospital-patient web portal to extend the functionality of Open Hospital, a free and open source software for the management of small and medium-sized healthcare facilities in remote areas. Designed by Informatici Senza Frontiere, this platform now includes three new components: a web-based and mobile interface, an update to provide stricter protection of healthcare data, and a data analysis system for monitoring purposes.

OPEN HOSPITAL 2022



ORGANIZATION

Informatici Senza
Frontiere

PARTNER

Intesys

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TECHNOLOGY

Hospital data,
Data platform

TARGET COUNTRIES

Burkina Faso, Côte d'Ivoire,
Ethiopia, Kenya, Madagascar, Morocco,
Mozambique, Niger, Democratic
Republic of the Congo, Rwanda,
Senegal, Sudan, Tanzania, Tunisia,
Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe



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HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

Print the innovation

This CBM Italia project aims to provide specialized training at the CoRSU orthopedic hospital in Uganda for 3D printing of prostheses and personal protective equipment (PPE) such as face protective shields. Its main goal is to provide the hospital with greater autonomy and economic sustainability in sourcing innovative and quality medical materials and equipment to fight disability in the most vulnerable segments of the population (while also addressing the COVID-19 health emergency).

PRINT THE INNOVATION



ORGANIZATION

CBM Italia

PARTNER

CoRSU Hospital

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TECHNOLOGY

3D printing

TARGET COUNTRY

Uganda



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QUALITY DATA FOR QUALITY SERVICES



ORGANIZATION

Fondazione Piero e
Lucille Corti

PARTNER

St. Mary's Hospital
Lacor

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TECHNOLOGY

Hospital data

TARGET COUNTRY

Uganda



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SAM Photo App



This is a project by Azione contro la Fame, in partnership with Dakar's Cheikh Anta Diop University, to fight Severe Acute Malnutrition (SAM). SAM Photo is an open source and free mobile app, which uses photographs to screen children up to 5 years old and identify potential at-risk cases. By applying a mathematical technique of geometric morphometrics, the app compares arm photos to an image database to detect early signs of malnutrition.

SAM PHOTO APP



ORGANIZATION

Azione contro la Fame

PARTNER

LARNAH (UCAD)

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TECHNOLOGY

Screening app

TARGET COUNTRY

Senegal



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HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



Evidence-based hospital health services

This project by Medici con l’Africa CUAMM focuses on the digitalization of data and material pertaining to San Giovanni XXIII Hospital in Aber, located in northern Uganda. The NextGenHIMS platform enables the proper collection and organization of clinical and administrative data, both online and offline. This solution guarantees a complete and integrated digital workflow, from administration to clinical departments, thus improving the overall efficiency and quality of healthcare services.

**EVIDENCE-BASED HOSPITAL
HEALTH SERVICES**



ORGANIZATION

Medici con l'Africa
CUAMM

PARTNER

Global Auto Systems

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TECHNOLOGY

Hospital data

TARGET COUNTRY

Uganda



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HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

Setal Dagga



This is a project by Milan's Engineering Without Borders in partnership with Association Jahkarlo, aimed at ensuring access to safe and drinkable water in Dagga, Thiès region, Senegal. This technology is based on solar thermal, a renewable, modular and scalable technology, with low cost and low intensity, while also easy to activate on-site with local materials and basic skills.

SETAL DAGGA



ORGANIZATION

Ingegneria Senza
Frontiere - Milano

PARTNER

Association Jahkarlo

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TECHNOLOGY

Frugal innovation,
Water purification

TARGET COUNTRY

Senegal



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HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



Low tech solutions for respiratory assistance

This Medicus Mundi Italia project applies 3D printing technology to manufacture CPAP (continuous positive airway pressure) devices, a crucial technique for respiratory infections and particularly useful for the COVID-19 emergency. This low-cost and easily accessible solution adapts to the needs of healthcare facilities in Mozambique and can be replicated in similar contexts. These CPAP devices were designed for both pediatric and adult patients.

LOW TECH SOLUTIONS FOR RESPIRATORY ASSISTANCE



ORGANIZATION

Medicus Mundi Italia

PARTNER

Direcção Provincial de
Saúde de Inhambane,
Università degli
Studi di Brescia
(DSMC), Università Save

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TECHNOLOGY

Frugal innovation,
3D printing

TARGET COUNTRY

Mozambique



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HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

Tanana Madio



This project by Help for Optimism (H4O) is an effective response to the COVID-19 emergency and the precarious economic conditions engulfing Madagascar. It includes a laboratory for the production of quality soaps and activities promoting hygiene practice. The soap is made exclusively from natural and locally sourced raw materials, along with continuous access to a hand-washing station, including a fountain with running water.

TANANA MADIO



ORGANIZATION

H40 Help for Optimism

PARTNER

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TECHNOLOGY

Frugal innovation

TARGET COUNTRY

Madagascar



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Suitable technology

This project by Organizzazione di Aiuto Fraterno-Italia, in partnership with Sermig Re.Te. per lo Sviluppo, is focused on improving health and food conditions in Burkina Faso and Tanzania. The project introduces two low-cost solutions: photovoltaic refrigerators for storing medicines and vaccines, and special devices for the production of sodium hypochlorite to sanitize items and surfaces.

SUITABLE TECHNOLOGY



ORGANIZATION

OAF-I

PARTNER

Sermig Re.Te. per lo Sviluppo

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TECHNOLOGY

Frugal innovation,
Photovoltaic refrigerator

TARGET COUNTRIES

Burkina Faso, Tanzania



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A new maternity ward in North Kassack

This project by Rainbow For Africa project, in partnership with Chiwarà, is focused on the renovation of the maternity ward in the Senegalese village of Kassack Nord. Its overall goal is to improve health and well-being of pregnant women and children aged 0-14 years. The building itself has been restored and made more energy efficient, while also involving and training the local community to properly manage the new structure.

**A NEW MATERNITY WARD IN
NORTH KASSACK**



ORGANIZATION

Rainbow For Africa

PARTNER

Chiwara`

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TECHNOLOGY

Green building

TARGET COUNTRY

Senegal



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ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT



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PLANET AFRICA



PLANET AFRICA (PLATform to NETwork AFRican and International Companies, toward full Accessibility) is a pan-African B2B digital platform created by E4Impact Foundation in partnership with Tangaza University College. It is a bilingual platform, specifically designed for African entrepreneurs, compatible with low connectivity and obsolete devices, also featuring a simple user interface to ensure broader access.

PLANET AFRICA



ORGANIZATION

E4Impact Foundation

PARTNER

Tangaza University
College

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TECHNOLOGY

Networking platform

TARGET COUNTRY

Kenya



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