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Professionalization of Development Evaluation

Our training programme TrainEval - Training for Evaluation in Development responds to the currently increasing demand for professional evaluation expertise. It offers a qualification opportunity in development evaluation with special focus on the evaluation approach of the European Commission.

The development co-operation (DC) of the European countries as well as of the European Commission has a long history of conducting evaluations. Evaluation processes and methods have continuously been systematised and elaborated. Consequently, donor agencies expect from their evaluators a high degree of professionalism and expertise in up to date and versatile methods. Increasingly complex DC interventions (programming, SWAP, budget support) as well as impact based evaluations require a reliable acquaintance with these methods.

Course Objectives

TrainEval offers an answer for experts acting in a market that is growing increasingly more professional by imparting evaluation theory, applied knowledge and the abilities for planning, conduction and steering development evaluations. In the course of 4 modules,

- ✦ Participants will be acquainted with the context and process of a development evaluation. Every evaluation phase will be elaborated systematically.
- ✦ Participants will be familiar with theoretic basics, evaluation methods and organisational aspects.
- ✦ Participants will be sensitised for the complexity of an evaluation and for certain problem areas. Solutions will be developed collectively.
- ✦ Participants will be able to apply a set of proven tools and methods for planning, managing and conducting evaluations in the various DC contexts.
- ✦ Participants will be familiar with recent trends in DC and evaluation; they will understand the consequences for evaluators and evaluation managers and will be able to act accordingly.

TrainEval Course Modules

Module 1	10.03 - 13.03.2009	Introduction to Development Evaluation: Basics & Planning Tools for Development Evaluations
Module 2	21.04 - 24.04.2009	Design of Development Evaluations & Cost Effectiveness Analysis
Module 3	12.05 - 15.05.2009	Quantitative & Qualitative Data Collection Methods in Development Evaluation
Module 4	30.06 - 03.07.2009	Data Analysis & Reporting in Development Evaluation

All modules will take place in Brussels, Belgium.

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