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TECHNICAL SERVICE ORGANISATION

Livelihoods

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What we do

- ◆ Inclusive Business & Public Private Partnerships
- ◆ Building Secure Livelihoods (BSL) Project Model
- ◆ Cash Programming
- ◆ Climate Change Mitigation & Adaptation Analysis
- ◆ Climate Smart Agriculture
- ◆ Disaster Risk Reduction, Food & Nutrition Security
- ◆ Donor and Engagement
- ◆ Employment and Employability
- ◆ Fragile States Grant Proposal Development
- ◆ Gender focused Livelihoods Approaches
- ◆ Livelihoods Baselines, End lines and Evaluations
- ◆ Markets Development and Value Chains
- ◆ Training Programs and Tailored Workshops
- ◆ Proposal Development – Livelihoods and Resilience
- ◆ Risk and Vulnerability Assessments
- ◆ Savings 4 Transformation and SAVIX MIS
- ◆ Small Business Development Programs
- ◆ Social Enterprise Assessment and Creation
- ◆ Staff Capacity Building and Mentoring
- ◆ Temporary staff support or deployment
- ◆ Ultra Poor Graduation Project Model
- ◆ Youth Economic Engagement and Livelihoods



Who we are & How we work

TIMELY AND TAILORED TECHNICAL SUPPORT

The Technical Service Organisation (TSO) is a global consultancy group based within World Vision International. Our team has a proven record of accomplishment in helping our clients meet their goals in livelihoods and resilience programming. We are passionate about livelihoods work and the benefits increased livelihood security can bring to families and children.

Our team of seasoned development and livelihood professionals are located in Asia, Africa, North America and Europe. We are able to combine the skills and contextual knowledge to provide culturally sensitive and adapted technical approaches based on evidence and practice.

We listen carefully to the client and co-create a tailor made approach to each new assignment. We draw from experience and learn from those we serve. We tap into our global networks of practitioners and academic institutions to ensure that we utilise proven approaches and tools.

We take an adaptive and empowering approach to every consultancy and seek to build the capability of our clients staff teams whenever appropriate. We operate in many languages including English, French, Kiswahili, Ateso, Shona, Zulu, Ndebele, Chichewa, Tigrigna and Amharic.

EXAMPLES OF SERVICES PROVIDED:

- Equipped frontline staff to scale up Core Project models, delivering training and support in Local Value Chain Development, Ultra-poor Graduation and Savings 4 Transformation and Savix, in over 30 countries from Bangladesh to Ghana and Iraq to Swaziland, and Vietnam to Zimbabwe.
- Took leading roles with numerous and multisector grant teams. For example, we worked with World Vision Zimbabwe, to secure a US \$ 1,115,000.00 grant from EU on Disaster Risk Reduction through Targeted Multi-Level Capacity Building and are currently playing a key role in a submission that will exceed US \$50 million.
- Designed and led market and value chain analysis and Emergency Market Mapping in Lesotho, Swaziland, South Africa, Zimbabwe and Papua New Guinea.
- Developed and managed Livelihoods and multi sector baseline assessments and end-line evaluations in twelve countries in Africa and Asia.
- Deployed staff to the Syria Response in Jordan to help design and implement Livelihood programming and liaise with key partners.
- Mentored key livelihoods staff in Nepal, Cambodia, Solomon's, Iraq, Mauritius, Mozambique, Swaziland, Chad and Sierra Leone, to help ensure great technical approaches, effective livelihood program design and implementation and strengthen grant acquisition
- Led the development of the Savings for Transformation and Ultra-Poor Graduation Handbooks.

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Client Testimonial

"This was the TSO consultant's first visit to the country and first time to work on the Project, he adapted quickly to the context and was able to lead the Baseline process with expertise. He related well with our staff, enumerators and other stakeholders. He was patient, confident and conducted himself professionally in all instances. He also came in at a very sensitive period when Zimbabwe was coming out of an election period but he managed the Baseline such that this did not affect the Baseline process. Our TSO consultant showed knowledge on Market Assessment Surveys, and the local team will be happy to have his services again and learn more from the TSO expertise."

Moyra Mahari | Project Coordinator-ECHO (Muzarabani and Mbire) - World Vision Zimbabwe

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