

SKILL DEVELOPMENT FOR YOUTH EMPLOYMENT (SDYE) PROJECT

Draft Programme of the Study Visit

11-13 January 2012

Ankara, Republic of Turkey

Tuesday, 10 January 2012

Arrivals

Day 1: Wednesday, 11 January 2012

08.30 **Departure to TOBB from Ramada Hotel**

9.00 – 9.30 **Registration**

9.30 – 11.00 **Opening Session**

- Recitation from the Holy Quran
- Welcoming statements
 - Mr. Faik Yavuz, Vice President, The Union of Chambers and Commodity Exchanges of Turkey (TOBB)
 - Assoc. Prof. Ömer Açıkgöz, Director, Vocational and Technical Education Directorate, Ministry of National Education of the Republic of Turkey (MEB)
 - Mr. Namık Ata, Deputy Undersecretary, Ministry of Labor and Social Security of the Republic of Turkey
 - Dr. Savaş Alpay, Director General, Statistical, Economic and Social Research and Training Centre for Islamic Countries (SESRIC)
- Adoption of the Draft Agenda and Programme

11.00 – 11.30 Coffee Break

11.30 – 13.00 Session I: Introduction of the Skill 10 Project

- Presentation on Skill 10 Project, Prof. Dr. Serdar Sayan
- Questions / Comments

Chair: TOBB

13.00 – 14.30 Lunch and Prayer (s) Break

14.30 – 15.30 Session II: Implementation Mechanism of Skill 10 Project at Local Level: “Municipal Course Administrations, Decision Mechanism to Open Courses and Local Implementation of the Project”

- Presentation by Ankara Course Administration, Mr. Nurettin Özdebir, President of Ankara Course Administration & Ankara Chamber of Industry
- Questions / Comments

Chair: TOBB

15.30 – 16.00 Coffee Break

16.00 – 17.30 Session III: Knowledge Sharing on Policies/Measures to Fight with Youth Unemployment

- Youth Employment in Cameroon, Dr. David Esseck, Department of the Promotion of Employment, Ministry of Employment
- DEEP Economic Empowerment Programme and the Al-Fakhoora Scholarship: A Joint Partnership for Youth Empowerment in Palestine, Mr. Nasser Faqih, UNDP & Mr. Farooq Burney, Al-Fakhoora Programme
- Employment of Graduates of the Productivity and Vocational Training Department in Egypt, Dr. Amal El-Ghonimy, Ministry of Education
- Youth Unemployment in Senegal: Policies and Measures, Mr. Mohamed Dieng, National Agency for Youth Employment

- Innovative Policies and Practices in Skills Development Experience of Morocco: A Strategic Vision of Vocational Training, Mr. Mbarek Khaldouni, Ministry of Employment and Vocational Training
- Indonesian Youth Employment Network, Mrs. Iftida Yasar, Indonesian Chamber of Commerce
- Questions / Comments

Chair: SESRIC

18.00 Departure to Field Trip

18.30 - 19.45 Field Trip: Yenimahalle Vocational and Technical School: In-class trainings of Skill 10

19.45 Departure to Dinner

20.15 – 21.00: Dinner at Kuleli Sokak – Köşebaşı Restaurant (offered by Ministry of National Education of the Republic of Turkey)

Day 2: Thursday, 12 January 2012

08.30 Departure to Field Trip

9.30 – 11.00 Field Trip: OSTIM Industrial Zone: On-the-job Trainings of Skill 10 Project

- Design Machine Manufacturing and Engineering Company
- Seçkin Machine Manufacturing Company

11.00 Departure to Social Trip

12.00 - 17.30 Beypazarı Trip: Visit to Jewelry Design and Handicraft Courses (Lunch will be offered by Beypazarı Chamber of Commerce)

17.30 Departure to Dinner

19.00 – 21.30 Dinner at Göksu Restaurant (offered by the Ministry of Labour and Social Security of the Republic of Turkey)

Day 3: Friday, 13 January 2012

09.00 - 11.00 Session IV: Knowledge Sharing on Policies/Measures to Fight with Youth Unemployment (Continued) and Group Work on “How to Apply Skill 10 Project in OIC Member Countries”

- Adoption of the Final Document
- Reform in Technical Education and Training and State of Implementation in Senegal, Dr. Saliou Diouf, Department of Technical Education And Vocational Training
- The Experience of National Employment Fund (FNE) in Support of the Unemployed, Mr. Moute à Bidias Camille, National Employment Fund
- Organization of Practice and Training for Young People in the Tourism Sector and the Development of the International Labor Movement in Kyrgyzstan, Mr. Abdul – Azis Idrisov, Young Workforce Centre
- Discussion on Potential Problems & Possible Solutions
- Questions / Comments
- Any Other Business

Chair: SESRIC

11.00 – 12.00 Closing Session: Wrapping up the Workshop

- Dr. Savaş Alpay, Director General, Statistical, Economic and Social Research and Training Centre for Islamic Countries (SESRIC)
- Mr. M. Rifat Hisarcıklıoğlu, President, The Union of Chambers and Commodity Exchanges of Turkey (TOBB)

12.00 Prayer Break (Cum'a)

13.00 Lunch

14.00 – 15.00 Field Trip: Vocational High School (Olgunlaşma Enstitüsü)