

# TECHNICAL COOPERATION PROJECT SUMMARY

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<b>PROJECT TITLE</b>	<b>Global Action Program on Child Labor Issues (GAP)</b>
<b>REGION/COUNTRY</b>	AFRICA: Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Comoros, Democratic Republic of Congo, Ethiopia, Gabon, Kenya, Liberia, Mali, Mozambique, Namibia, Rwanda, Sierra Leone, Southern Sudan, Swaziland, Togo, Uganda  ASIA: Azerbaijan, India, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Mongolia, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Thailand, Timor Leste  EUROPE: Ukraine  MIDDLE EAST/NORTH AFRICA: Lebanon, Morocco  LATIN AMERICA/CARIBBEAN: Argentina, Belize, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Haiti, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay  (others TBD)
<b>PROJECT DURATION</b>	October 2011 – September 2015
<b>FISCAL YEAR &amp; FUNDING LEVEL</b>	FY 2011: USD 15,000,000
<b>PROBLEM TO BE ADDRESSED</b>	In November 2010, members of the ILO's Governing Body formally endorsed a <i>Roadmap for Achieving the Elimination of the Worst Forms of Child Labor by 2016</i> . This project aims to support and further the goals of the Roadmap. Many countries have taken measures to address child labor and forced labor but significant gaps still remain.
<b>PROJECT OBJECTIVES</b>	The GAP project will focus on (1) building the capacity of national governments and developing strategic policies to address the elimination of child labor and forced labor; (2) improving the evidence base through data collection and research; and (3) strengthening legal protections and social service delivery for child domestic workers.
<b>SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES</b>	The project is designed to reach these objectives through the following activities: <i>Capacity Building</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Identify gaps in the child labor legal/regulatory framework in target countries</li><li>• Provide technical assistance to key stakeholders to more effectively monitor and enforce child labor laws and regulations</li><li>• Assist target countries in developing National Action Plans or other policies to address child labor and forced labor</li><li>• Assist target countries in developing policies to address populations vulnerable to child labor and</li></ul>

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## *Research*

- Conduct national and sector-specific child labor and forced labor surveys
- Develop child labor modules to existing impact evaluations
- Produce country-level situational analysis and policy appraisal reports in target countries
- Produce multi-country studies on topics that influence child labor and forced labor
- Build research capacity of local research institutions to collect data on child labor and forced labor

## *Protection of Child Domestic Workers*

- Identify gaps in legal protections and social services in target countries
- Design policy frameworks to protect child domestic workers in target countries
- Pilot programs to protect child domestic workers

## **GRANTEE**

International Labor Organization International Program on the Elimination of Child Labor (ILO-IPEC)

## **IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS**

Global March to End Child Labor

International Union of Food, Agricultural, Hotel, Restaurant, Catering, Tobacco, and Allied Workers/International Domestic Workers Network

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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