

**Implementation Status & Results  
Guinea  
Stepping Up Skills Project (P146474)**

Operation Name: Stepping Up Skills Project (P146474)	Project Stage: Implementation	Seq.No: 1	Status: ARCHIVED	Archive Date: 16-Nov-2014
Country: Guinea	Approval FY: 2015			
Product Line: IBRD/IDA	Region: AFRICA	Lending Instrument: Investment Project Financing		
Implementing Agency(ies): Ministry of Higher Education, Ministry of TVET, Ministry of Youth and Youth Employment				

**Key Dates**

Board Approval Date	30-Sep-2014	Original Closing Date	30-Dec-2020	Planned Mid Term Review Date	15-Dec-2016	Last Archived ISR Date
Effectiveness Date		Revised Closing Date	30-Dec-2020	Actual Mid Term Review Date		

**Project Development Objectives**

Project Development Objective (from Project Appraisal Document)

**The objective of this project is to boost the employability and employment outcomes of Guinean youth in targeted skills programs.**

Has the Project Development Objective been changed since Board Approval of the Project?

Yes     No

**Component(s)**

Component Name	Component Cost
Fund for Skills and Employability	13.00
Education-to-Employment Program	4.00
Institutional Support and Regulatory Framework	3.00

**Overall Ratings**

	Previous Rating	Current Rating
Progress towards achievement of PDO		Satisfactory
Overall Implementation Progress (IP)		Satisfactory
Overall Risk Rating		Substantial

**Implementation Status Overview**

The Stepping Up Skills Project was approved on September 30, 2014 and signed on October 6, 2014. The Government is working toward meeting the Project's three effectiveness conditions. A PPA in the amount of US\$815,000 was made available (beginning in May) to launch some of the critical preparatory work.

**Locations**

No Location data has been entered

**Results**

**Project Development Objective Indicators**

Indicator Name	Core	Unit of Measure		Baseline	Current	End Target
Students completing professional degrees fostering market relevant skills developed through the Competitive Fund	<input type="checkbox"/>	Percentage	Value	0.00		80.00
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Programs accredited by the new National Quality Assurance and Accreditation Agency	<input type="checkbox"/>	Number	Value	0.00		8.00
			Date	05-May-2014		23-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Targeted trained youth employed in an area relevant to training 12 months after completing the training	<input type="checkbox"/>	Percentage	Value	0.00		70.00
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Employers satisfied with trainees and placing them	<input type="checkbox"/>	Percentage	Value	0.00		50.00
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Direct project beneficiaries	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Number	Value	0.00		20800.00
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Female beneficiaries	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Percentage Sub Type Supplemental	Value	0.00		30.00
Students enrolled in professional degrees fostering market relevant skills developed through the competitive fund	<input type="checkbox"/>	Number Sub Type Breakdown	Value	0.00		18000.00
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Trainees receiving vouchers	<input type="checkbox"/>	Number Sub Type Breakdown	Value	0.00		2800.00
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			

**Intermediate Results Indicators**

Indicator Name	Core	Unit of Measure		Baseline	Current	End Target
Governance structure of Competitive Fund established (Board, Technical Secretariat)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes/No	Value	No		Yes
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
PPP project proposals endorsed by the Fund	<input type="checkbox"/>	Number	Value	0.00		25.00

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			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Financing partners contributing to the Competitive Fund	<input type="checkbox"/>	Number	Value	0.00		3.00
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Employer satisfaction survey completed	<input type="checkbox"/>	Number	Value	1.00		4.00
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Targeted unemployed youth certified	<input type="checkbox"/>	Percentage	Value	0.00		80.00
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Impact Evaluation completed	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes/No	Value	No		Yes
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Training institutions in compliance with the legal acts	<input type="checkbox"/>	Percentage	Value	0.00		80.00
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Completion of activities listed in interministerial commission's TORs	<input type="checkbox"/>	Percentage	Value	0.00		90.00
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
National quality assurance and accreditation agency in place	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes/No	Value	No		Yes
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Youth Observatory in place and functional	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes/No	Value	No		Yes
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Training Institutions conducting tracer studies of their graduates	<input type="checkbox"/>	Percentage	Value	0.00		50.00
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			
Training institutions with an Information System adhering to the new master plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	Percentage	Value	0.00		50.00
			Date	05-May-2014		30-Dec-2020
			Comments			

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**Data on Financial Performance (as of 01-Oct-2014)**

**Financial Agreement(s) Key Dates**

Project	Ln/Cr/Tf	Status	Approval Date	Signing Date	Effectiveness Date	Original Closing Date	Revised Closing Date
P146474	IDA-H9850	Not Effective	30-Sep-2014			30-Dec-2020	30-Dec-2020

**Disbursements (in Millions)**

Project	Ln/Cr/Tf	Status	Currency	Original	Revised	Cancelled	Disbursed	Undisbursed	% Disbursed
P146474	IDA-H9850	Not Effective	XDR	13.10	13.10	0.00	0.00	13.10	0.00

**Disbursement Graph**

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**Key Decisions Regarding Implementation**

The Stepping Up Skills Project was approved on September 30, 2014 and signed on October 6, 2014. Government is working toward meeting its three effectiveness conditions.

**Restructuring History**

There has been no restructuring to date.

**Related Projects**

There are no related projects.