

PROJECT BEST PRACTICE AWARD APPLICATION

2016 SADC PROTOCOL@WORK SUMMIT PROJECT BEST PRACTICE AWARD APPLICATION FORM



This award recognises innovative programmes and projects being implemented by governments, councils, NGOs, CBOs and faith based organisations to advance the Post 2015 SADC Gender Protocol and its related SDG targets in the following categories, aligned to the Alliance theme clusters:

Sexual and Reproductive Rights including GBV, HIV and AIDS

Governance, including the 50/50 campaign, peace security, constitutional and legal rights

Climate Change and Sustainable Development

Economic justice, including education, training, and economic development.

You will be prompted to choose a category as soon as you start filling in the form, so please decide ahead of time which category your entry fits into!



The application has five (5) sections:

Administrative information (information about yourself; some from drop down menus

Category (drop down menu of the four categories).

Presentation of the good practise (narrative)

Evidence (written and or audio visual uploads)

Analysis (tick boxes)



Please take note of the instructions below **BEFORE** attempting to complete your application:

Please enter your administrative information as you start the application. This will allow you to start your application and complete it at a later stage. You can save your application and continue later by clicking save icon on top of the application page. You will be prompted to supply your email address and a unique link will be emailed to you that will allow you to return where you left it off.

All sections of the form **MUST** be completed.

Fields marked with a red asterisk (*) are compulsory.

When you see an arrow at the end of a box it means there is a drop down menu, please click on the arrow to select the correct option.

Use OANDA or the link provided in the application for conversion of currency.

It would be ideal if the person that is filling in the application is the person that will be presenting the application.

If the person filling in the application is not the presenter, then the presenter's details should be filled in where applicable.

The Designation, Education Level, Age, Sex, Email and Mobile Number fields should reflect the details of the presenter. The Telephone and Fax numbers should be those of the organisation to which the presenter belongs. Please attach supporting evidence, such as action plans, policies, photos, articles or programmes, in-house newsletters and testimonial evidence (letters, E Mails), that attest to the extent to which you have been promoting gender equality in your work. Please note that files may not be more than 50 MB in total. You can

attach up to 10 files.

If you do not finish filling in the form at one sitting do the following:

After completing page 1 (so when on page 2) on the top, you will see a “Save and Continue later” band:

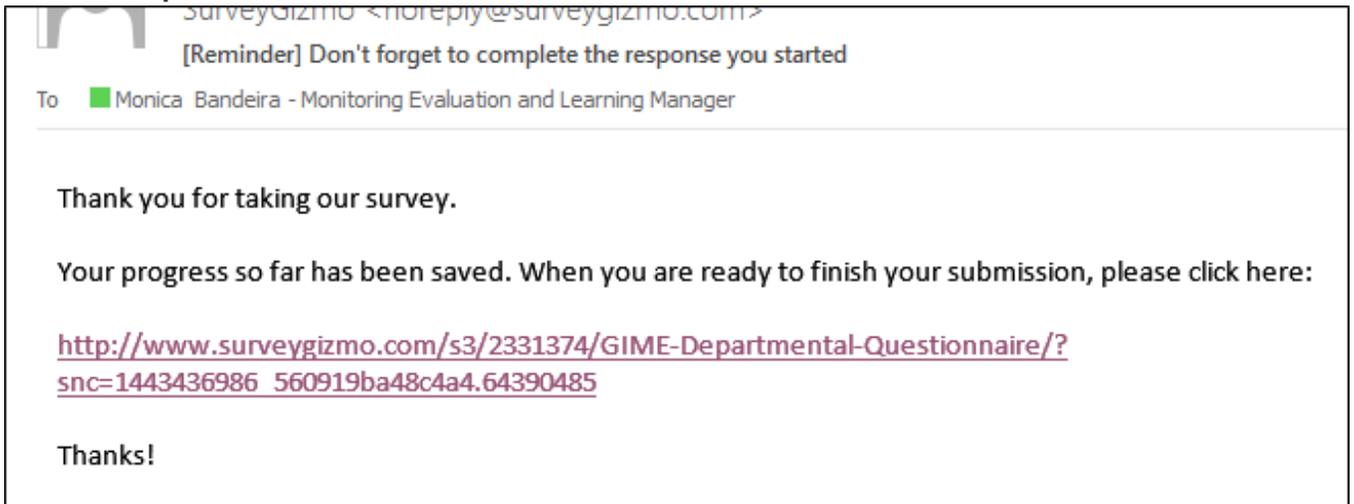


If you want to go check something and return later, they can click on this and enter your email address:

A green form titled "Save and continue later". The text reads: "Please supply an email address to save your progress. A unique link will be emailed to you that will allow you to return where you left off." Below this are two input fields: "Email:" and "Verify Email:". To the right of the "Verify Email:" field are two buttons: "Save" and "Cancel".

Once you have entered your email address twice, whatever you have entered in the application form thus far will be saved and you will receive an email with a link to continue.

Email example:



You can then click on the link and continue where you left off.



Please consult the country officer for help if you have challenges in your application:

<http://genderlinks.org.za/who-we-are/where-we-work/>

Or send an E Mail to: mande@genderlinks.org.za.

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

If this is a third party application, fill in the following information about the person you are applying on behalf of.

1. Date of Application

11/04/2016

2. Name

Mapotso

3. Surname

Mqathazane

4. Sex

Female

5. Name of organisation

Women Intimate Expressions

6. Designation

Other

7. Country

Lesotho

8. Province

Maseru

9. City/ Town/ Village

Maseru

10. Email address

mafanelo@gmail.com

11. Telephone number e.g. 00 27 11 622 2877

0026663793711

12. Cell phone number e.g. 00 27 82 622 2877

0026658972766

13. Age Group

31- 40

14. Education level

Tertiary

15. Are you living with a disability

No

16. Name of good practice (e.g. Women in Curepipe, Mauritius, roll back climate change)

WOMEN INTIMATE EXPRESSIONS

17. Type of organisation

Community Based Organisation

18. Category

Rights – including Constitutional and Legal Rights, Sexual & Reproductive Health and Rights; Gender Based Violence, HIV and AIDS

PRESENTATION OF THE GOOD PRACTISE

19. Synopsis (150 words)

Brief description of the good practice and motivation as to why it is a good practice. What makes this project innovative?

Women Intimate Expression is an community based organisation legally registered in 2008 provide a haven for all women ,regardless of status, age and religious background.The organisation sheds light on issues regarding Gender based violence ,HIV and AIDS and Socio- economic development. Experts are invited to educate members on the above topics and give an open forum for exchange of opinions and ideas. Economic projects are identified ,planned ,executed and evaluated during the Annual general meeting of the organisations.

20. Key objectives (250 words)

What did the project set out to do?

To empower women in all social and economic aspects of their lives.To strength them during marriage and before marriage. To provide a platform where women can share their experiences and grievance and the same time share their social and economic triumphs. To provide information in regard to human rights HIV and AIDS socio economic opportunity

21. Background (300 words)

Why did the activity come about? What problem or context is it responding to?

The organisation was established because of an evident reality that many women suffer and die because of lack of knowledge and support. Issue pertaining to Gender based Violence and HIV and AIDS and poverty render woman helpless and distraught and without an idea of how to develop themselves.

22. Key activities (300 words)

What were the different steps/ activities in the implementation?

Women Intimate Expressions was established through mobilization of women from all walk of life through a word of mouth invitation from 2012 –till now. Monthly themed Meetings were key meeting were held at local halls for the first two years and later home visits to members' homes to reach out to their neighbours .In the monthly mobilization Members were made aware of their value and rights and given a light in challenges that affect women as a whole. The growth was commemorated through Anunnual General Meeting (AGM) and Annual General Conference (AGC). In the Annual General Meeting members evaluated themselves on their challenges and projects success. In th Annual General Meeting in which members invited the public to celebrate the Organisations successes.

23. Partnerships and coalition building (200 words) *

Has the intervention fostered partnerships and coalition building? Are these at the local, national, regional or global level?

During our annual Conference we have Partnered with WILSA (Women In Law), Ministry of Gender Sports and Recreation and Ministry of law and Constitutional Affairs to further drive the message of Human Rights ,Gender based violence and HIV and AIDS.

Resource allocations

Indicate how much in US\$ has been allocated towards this project. Click on this link to calculate

US\$: <http://www.oanda.com/currency/converter/>

24. How many US\$ have been allocated per area. Must be a whole number with NO spaces or commas(,) or full-stops (.). E.g. 5000. If nothing was allocated please put in zero "0".

Budgetary resources allocated to this project by the council in \$: \$0

In kind contributions made by the council to this project in \$: \$0

Total : \$0

25. Please explain who the donor/partner was and what they contributed in relation to the in kind contributions you mentioned above.

NONE

26. Beneficiaries (in numbers). Must be a whole number with NO spaces or commas(,) or full-stops (.). E.g. 5000. If no beneficiaries in one of the areas please enter a zero "0".

Direct beneficiaries : 0

Indirect beneficiaries (e.g. through other networks) : 0

Online beneficiaries (e.g. website access, mailing lists, scholarly articles) : 0

Total : 0

27. Challenges (300 words)

What have been the main challenges? How have these been overcome?

NONE

28. Monitoring and evaluation (300 words)

What types of monitoring and evaluation methods and tools did you use to measure the impact of the 50/50 campaign? These may include qualitative and quantitative.

NONE

RESULTS

29. Women's empowerment (200 words)

How have women been empowered as a result of the action?

NONE

30. Evidence (100 words)

Please provide at least one quote from a woman beneficiary to support your statement on women's empowerment. Please include name, surname and designation.

NONE

31. Men for change (300 words)

Have men become more supportive as a result of the organisation's work? Please give examples.

NONE

32. Evidence (100 words)

Please provide at least one quote from at least one man as evidence. Please include name, surname and designation

NONE

33. Changes at household level (300 words)

Has the campaign resulted in changes in power relations at the household level? Please give a few examples.

NONE

34. Changes at the community level (300 words)

What changes have taken place in the community as a result of this intervention ? Please give examples.

NONE

35. Changes in attitudes (200 words)

How have attitudes changed? Please give an example.

NONE

36. Changes at a policy level as a result of the campaign (200 words)

If applicable, please use this space to note any changes that have come about at a policy level as a result of the good practise.

NONE

37. Lesson learned (300 words)

1) What lessons have been learned?

2) How are these being applied?

NONE

38. Sustainability and replication (300 words)

How can the good practise be sustained and amplified post 2015?

NONE

EVIDENCE

Please upload documentary evidence of your good practise. Please upload the evidence or provide a url. . Please note that files may not be more than 50 MB each.

Photo Evidence:

Upload your photo or photos here (maximum of three). Please ensure that each is less than 50 MB. Please ensure that the photo or photos are captioned using the following file naming protocol:

Nameofphoto_yourname_country_monthandyear

EG womeninthemarket_joeblow_malawi_062016

44. Photo 1

[DSCF4986.JPG](#)

45. Please add Photo 1 caption here.

Who? Name and surname of each person if less than five; description of the group is more : Mathato Pitso

What is this about : showing what the organisation is doing

Why is it happening : ng what the organisation is doing

Where is it happening? : Maserun stadium area

When did it happen? : 2012

Name of photographer : Mapotso

46. Photo 2

[DSCF9916.JPG](#)

47. Please add Photo 2 caption here.

Who? Name and surname of each person if less than five; description of the group is more : members of the organisation

What is this about : mobilizing people

Why is it happening : ng what the organisation is doing

Where is it happening? : Maseru

When did it happen? : 2012

Name of photographer : Mapotso

48. Photo 3

[DSCF9210.JPG](#)

49. Please add Photo 3 caption here.

Who? Name and surname of each person if less than five; description of the group is more : Mapotso Mqathazane
What is this about : ng what the organisation is doing
Why is it happening : ng what the organisation is doing
Where is it happening? : Maseru
When did it happen? : 2012
Name of photographer : Mathato Pitso

ANALYSIS

Please help us understand the change you have brought about or the areas you have worked in.

50. Please tick which of these rights areas of focus are most applicable in your case.

The right to sexual freedom and to sexually associate freely
The right to make free and responsible reproductive choices.
The right and access to comprehensive sexual information and sexuality education
The right to making individual decisions about family planning; affordable and acceptable methods of birth control
Sexual and reproductive rights

51. Please tick which of these rights sub-topics are most applicable in your case.

GBV
HIV and AIDS
STIs
Family planning
Access to SRHR services
Sexual orientation, gender identity and expression

52. Please tick which of these rights protocol targets are most applicable in your case.

Enact and enforce legislation prohibiting all forms of gender-based violence
Review and reform their criminal laws and procedures applicable to cases of sexual offences and gender based violence

53. Please tick which of these rights Target Groups are most applicable in your case.

Women - general

54. Please tick which of these rights Types of Interventions are most applicable in your case.

Capacity building

55. Please tick which of these levels of change are most applicable in your case.

Community

56. Please tick which of these kind of change are most applicable in your case.

Change of attitude; reduced stigma

Thank you for your application!