

Ref #		Project title			Building the organizational capacity of the National Institute for Legal Practice and Development			
Center for International Legal Cooperation	Country	Overall project value (EUR)	Proportion carried out by CILC (%)	No. of staff provided	Name of client	Origin of funding	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners if any
51902	Rwanda	529.776	10%	2	National Institute for Legal Practice and Development	Nuffic	1 October 2007 – 30 September 2010	MDF Consulting (Lead)
<b>Detailed description of project</b>								<b>Type of services provided</b>
<p>A major reform of the judiciary sector in Rwanda is taking place. This with the aim to increase performance in the judiciary sector guided by new structures, procedures and better qualified people involved in the justice system. With regard to these qualifications, the current study programs at Rwanda's universities may offer their students the required knowledge, but they still fail to offer them opportunities for developing the full competencies required for the different functions in the judicial practice in the present reality of the country. The law of april 2006 has filled this gap by creating the National Institute for Legal Practice and Development. The main purpose of the IPLD is to provide personnel of the justice sector with professional training, ensuring development and dissemination of laws and promotion of justice. For this reason content related curricula will be developed. However, next to legal expertise (assisted by BTC), the ILPD needs to prepare itself for its own functioning and further development for sustainability. This project aims to strengthen the organizational set-up with all its aspects. Staff of the ILPD will be coached, mentored and trained to be able to run the Institute and provide quality courses to the trainees.</p>								<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- organization study tour to The Netherlands</li> <li>- inception mission</li> <li>- monitoring mission</li> <li>- 6 facilitation and coaching missions</li> </ul>
<b>Project update (last update: January 28<sup>th</sup> 2010)</b>								<b>Key experts</b>
<p>The project has started in December 2007 with a minimum of staff. Key management positions still needed to be appointed. After the inception mission, in 2008 and 2009 several mission were implemented by MDF consultants, such as for strategic planning, ODP, human resources and finances. In 2009 study visits to the Netherlands were organized for the Rector and Vice-Rector Academic Affairs and later on for the Vice-rector and Director Administrative Affairs. Also an assessment of ILPD's training programmes has taken place as well as a mid-term review.</p>								<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Paul Broekhoven</li> <li>- Rosa Jansen</li> <li>- Sam Rugege</li> <li>- Marja Lenssen</li> </ul>