

ICENECDEV

International Center for Environmental Education and Community Development



Serving People & the Environment

Mission: Empowering People to Protect the Environment



IMPACT Report 2016



Fongoh Eric, As the coordinator of ICENEC-DEV-The International Centre for Environmental Education and Community Development conscious of the fact that ,we have the responsibility to serve the people and protect the environment, we are very much and deeply concern about our collective future creating sustainable impact with our activities, projects and programmes across local national and international boundaries.

The impact of work in Cameroon and in the Diaspora has contributed and translated enormously towards the advancement of the 2030 agenda for Sustainable Development and the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

I therefore urge and commit each and everyone to continue to work with us and as well as with other civil society organizations, Businesses, governments and international organizations to create a long lasting impact for the environment and humanity.

On the behalf of ICENECDEV, We look forward working with development partners ,government agencies and businesses across the world to address key environmental issues that affects the lives and livelihood of the people in a more integrated, cohesive and systematic framework.

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About ICENECDEV

- ICENECDEV (International Center for Environmental Education & Community Development) was established in 2005, with registration number: 43/G.37/D.14/1/ VOL.BAPP/ in accordance of law Number. 90/53 of December 1990 under article 7 relating to the formation, governing and functioning of association in Cameroon.
- ICENECDEV is a resource- based organization. ICENECDEV works with a team of resource persons ,consultants and volunteers to address key Environmental issues related to social and Economic aspects of global, national and local concerns which affects lives, livelihoods and communities in Cameroon and African countries.
- ICENECDEV uses Environmental Education as an approach to share information, create awareness and address issues of global, national and local concern: climate change, Biodiversity conservation, marine litter, water and waste management, Air Quality monitoring, food security, land degradation and disaster risk reduction.
- ICENECDEV enforce and push conventions, Environmental legal instruments and mechanism ratified by Government of Cameroon and African Countries into national plan of action, development programmes which are translated into local actions and contributing to the attainment of the Sustainable Development Goals(SDGs)

Advancing the Implementation of the Paris Climate Agreement (COP21)

ICENECDEV Organised a multi -Stakeholder Sensitization Campaign on Paris climate agreement and climate Change education at Fakoship Plaza on the 28th of January 2016 with the financial support of Xminusy Netherlands in collaboration of Regional delegation of Environment, Nature Protection and Sustainable Development South west Region Cameroon

This project was aimed to disseminate the outcome document of the Conference of Parties in Paris; Paris climate Agreement and copies of the Paris Agreement were distributed to the 43 stakeholders and climate change flyers to 2,000 students in Cameroon



Roundtable discussions on the Paris climate agreement Cameroon Radio Television



Roundtable discussions on the Paris climate agreement among stakeholders

Impact:

- ICENECDEV educated and sensitized more than 2,000 students and about 43 stakeholders through radio roundtable discussions, climate change education workshops and distribution of Paris climate agreement.
- More than 2, 000, pupils, students and local inhabitants have been educated and sensitized on the impacts of the climate change in Cameroon.
- More than 100 tree species Acacia planted in schools and local communities (Baptist High school Buea), Government primary Lysoka and St Theresea Secondary Schoolmolyko Buea, South West Region,Cameroon.



Climate change education in schools.

Celebration of World Wetlands Day 2016



ICENECDEV celebrated the world wetlands day 2016 in collaboration with the Regional Delegation of Environment, Protection of Nature and Sustainable Development South West Region, students of the Saint Theresa International Comprehensive Bilingual Secondary School, Molyko Buea Government High School Buea Town and Government high School Muea on the 2nd February 2016. ICENECDEV received material support (posters, stickers, flyers) from Ramsar Secretariat Switzerland

Picture: Tree planting Exercise and quiz competition among participating schools during world wetland day celebration 2016

Impact:

- More than 1, 000, pupils, students and local inhabitants have been educated and sensitized on the importance of the world wetlands day 2016 in the Buea Sub-division in Cameroon
- Create a public awareness on world wetlands celebration every 2nd February in Cameroon among 100 stakeholders.

European Union Meeting

ICENECDEV participated in a European Union meeting on the 5th February 2016 in Douala on civil society organizations consultation and dialogue on PROCIVIS-a new European Union programme in Cameroon to be validated by the European union headquarter in Brussel ,Belgium.

The main objective of the meeting was to seek for possible strategies for civil society organizations to reinforce the collaboration with the government of Cameroon thin the framework of this new European Union programme in Cameroon.

ICENECDEV Working Session in Netherlands

Between the 15th April 2016 to 8th May 2016, ICENECDEV Team made up of Thomas Conerlis De vries and Fongoh Eric actively participated in working sessions for possibility of partnership on exchange programme and volunteerism, with Universities, Foundations organizations, churches and Companies in the Netherlands.

The goal of the working session was to:

- Gain new perspective in networking and collaborative partnership in Netherlands
- Appreciate our supporters and partners based in Netherlands
- Add more insight on our work and promote visibility in Netherlands
- Expand the activities of ICENECDEV.

Working Sessions Outcome:

ICENECDEV works in Cameroon was highly appreciated and guarantee future partnership with the following organizations and University:

- University of Leiden, Netherlands
- University of Utrecht, Netherlands
- University of Amsterdam Netherlands
- Waka waka Foundation, Netherlands
- Turing Foundation, Netherlands
- Erasmus School of Economics Rotterdam
- 1 Percent Club, Netherlands
- Livebuild Foundation, Netherlands. etc



ICENECDEV Team at the University of Leiden
Netherlands April 2016



Fongoh Eric of ICENECDEV in Livebuild
Foundation Head office in Utrecht, Netherlands
April 2016

Training Women in Vegetable Farming Project

While the percentage of people living in poverty has decreased in urban areas of Cameroon it has increased in rural areas where nearly half of all Cameroonians live. Nearly 6 million rural people, about 55% of the rural population in Cameroon, still live in poverty. Over half of all of men and women employed in Cameroon work in the agricultural sector and this sector makes up 20% of Cameroon's GDP. The formal education rate in Cameroon sees that only 21% of females have received secondary school education in contrast to 35% of males while 64% of women are participating in the formal labour force compared to 77.4% of men.

The aim of the project is to enhance the livelihoods of rural women in the Southwest region villages of Tole, Bolifamba and Muea by building on literacy and agricultural farming skills and the establishment of a sustainable network of women farmers.

Impact

- 110 women farmers have been empowered with agricultural literacy knowledge and skills.
- Household income of the 110 women farmers have been increased by 100%
- Buea women farmers' network/cooperative has been established to support the women farmers in Cameroon.
- Increase in agricultural productivity among the 110 rural women farmers in the villages of the south west region, Cameroon.

Empowering Women Farmers in Cameroon



ICENECDEV donating farming tools to women Farmers in Cameroon

ICENECDEV supports rural women farmers in Cameroon with farm equipments the Spraying cans, Hoes, Machetes and wheel barrows on March 28th 2016 at ICENECDEV's office in Buea, the coordinator of the International Center for Environmental Education and Community Development (ICENECDEV), Mr. Fongoh Eric heralded that the aim of the project is to contribute to the 2030 agenda for sustainable development and Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs 1, 2,5 and 17) in Cameroon.

Project Outcome

- Increase in agricultural productivity and combating hunger and poverty among 1,000 women farmers in Cameroon.



Fongoh Eric of ICENECDEV presenting the project to the general public

United Nations Environment Assembly- (UNEA2) of the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)



Plenary Sessions at the Second United Nations Environment Assembly, Nairobi, Kenya.

ICENECDEV participated in the second United Nations Environment General Assembly (UNEA2), Nairobi Kenya between the 23rd May 2016 to 27th May 2016. United Nations Environment Assembly, under the overarching theme of "Delivering on the environmental dimension of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable

Development". The Assembly, which is the world's highest-level –making body on the environment, is expected to adopt resolutions and a global call to action to address the critical environmental challenges facing the world today.



Fongoh Eric of ICENECDEV with Achim Steiner, Outgoing Executive Director of UNEP.

World Environment Day and World Day to Combat Desertification 2016 Celebration in Cameroon



Environmentalists visit the Limbe Wildlife center as part of the celebration of the World Environment Day Celebration June 2016 in Cameroon.

ICENECDEV in collaboration with Regional Delegation Environment, Protection of Nature and Sustainable Development, South West Region, Cameroon celebrated the world environment day 2016.

The following activities were carried out:

- Pre-planning meeting between 9th May- 23rd May 2016
- Green Walk and sensitization campaign distribution flyers and brochures to local population on the 3rd June 2016
- Visit of the Limbe Wildlife Centre by Government and civil society organization on the 4th June 2016
- Round Table Discussions on the theme: Illegal trade in Wildlife, 5th June 2016
- Presentation of the message of UN secretary general by Regional Delegate Environment, Protection of Nature and Sustainable Development, South West Region, Cameroon, 5th June 2016.
- Quiz Competition and prize award for participating primary schools 5th June 2016.
- Sketch on Illegal Trade in Wildlife by Environmental Science Student Association (ESSA) University of Buea, Cameroon, 5th June 2016.
- Exhibition by civil society organizations 5th June 2016.

Impact

- More than 10,000 people including pupils, students, and local population were educated and sensitised on world environment day celebration activities.

World Day to Combat Desertification 2016

ICENECDEV educate and sensitise the schools communities and local population of Buea on world day to

combat desertification 2016 celebration by Posting and distribution of flyers and brochures in University of Buea with the aim of raising awareness among the local population and village communities in Cameroon.

Impact

- More than 1,000 people including pupils, students, and local population were educated and sensitised on the importance of world day to combat desertification 2016 along the university street, Molyko Buea.



Chariot FM-Radio Sensitisation Campaign on World Day to Combat Desertification 2016 in Cameroon.

ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION

Environmental education is one of our main activities, ICENECDEV environmental education projects involve training environmental educators in local communities, primary schools, secondary schools and universities in Cameroon.

ICENECDEV supports community leaders, teachers and lecturers with environmental education training manuals, factsheets, flyers, brochures and text books to build their capacities.

Impact:

- Strengthened the capacity of more than 1,000 teachers' pupils and students Cameroon Baptist convention Primary school Great Soppo, Presbyterian Primary school Great Soppo, Baptist High School, Saint Theresa International Comprehensive Bilingual College Molyko in Cameroon
- Raise awareness on environmental issues affecting Cameroon: Marine litter, solid waste management, illegal trade in wildlife, poor air quality
- This donated material has facilitated capacity building of 1,000 teachers, pupils and students on environmental education and agricultural projects in schools and Communities.

Water Sanitation and Hygiene Programme (WASH) in Prisons

ICENECDEV Supports Women Prisoners With Water Sanitation and Hygiene Materials (WASH), Contributing to the 2030 Development Agenda (SDGs) 3,5,& 6 in Cameroon.

ICENECDEV trained the inmates on sanitation and hygiene conditions in prison and donated cups, buckets, soaps, disinfectant to the Buea Central Prison, Kumba prison and Upper Farm prison in the South West Region, Cameroon.

The Goal of the project is to improve on Water Sanitation and Hygiene Materials (WASH) conditions and complement government's effort on international human rights standard of the inmates in Cameroon. This project recalls and is in Support the outcome of the first and second Pan-African conferences on penal and prison reform in Africa (Kampala, Declaration UGANDA in September 1996 and Ouagadougou declaration, Burkina Faso in September 2002).



ICENECDEV donating WASH equipments in Buea and Kumba Prisons Cameroon



Mercy Ekwanga from the Government of Cameroon

GLOBAL UNIVERSITIES PARTNERSHIP ON ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY (GUPES)

The seminar on Global Universities Partnership on Environment and Sustainability (GUPES) was hosted by ICENECDEV on Wednesday 31st August 2016 at Fakoship Plaza Conference hall Buea South West Region, Cameroon.

A video message on the end UN Decade of Education for Sustainable Development in 2014 in Japan by

Achim Steiner former UNEP Executive Director was projected.

A detail presentation of the GUPES initiative(Background, overall Goals, objectives, UNEPS works and Benefits of GUPES)and adopted resolutions of the UNEP by the Coordinator of ICENECDEV.

The meeting ended at 11:54 am with cocktail party and networking sessions among universities dons, Government and civil society organizations.



Cross section of Participants at the meeting following up discussions

Eco Summer Youth Programme

ICENECDEV organized an Eco summer youth Programme to empower more than 10,000 youths between 2016 to 2020 towards sustainable development and contribution to the head of state vision 2035 agenda and raise an awareness on the 25 resolutions of environmental dimension of the second United Nations Environment Assembly(UNEA2) which recently took place in Nairobi, Kenya 23-27 May 2016.

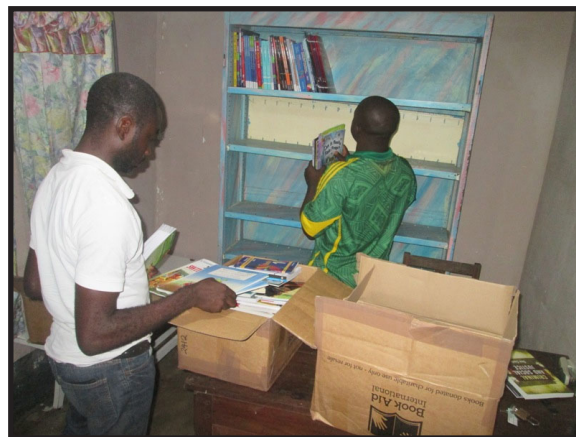
The resolution range from Marine plastic litter, Climate Change adaptation and mitigation strategies, Chemical and waste, Food waste, Samoa pathway and illegal trade in wildlife etc



Youth received prize award after the competition

ICENECDEV Reinforce the capacity of the Buea Central Prison Library

ICENECDEV reinforced the capacity of Buea central prison library programme through the donation of some 10,000 text of books received from Book Aid International UK and Education for Change Cameroon.



ICENECDEV donating Textbooks to the Buea Central Prison to reinforce the capacity of the Prison library and literacy programme

Impact

- Reinforce the prison literacy project and improvement of academic performance of more than 50 inmates
- Improve the literacy skills of more than 100 inmates in the central prison Buea, Cameroon.

ICENECDEV Supports Women Farmers in North West Region Cameroon

ICENECDEV Supports Rural Women Farmers With Hand-Push Trucks in Bamenda North West Region, Contributing to the 2030 Development Agenda (SDGs) 1, 2, 5, & 17 in Cameroon.

On the 19th October 2016, ICENECDEV donated Hand-Push Trucks to the Village (Bessi Awum) in Batibo Sub Division in the Northwest Region, Cameroon supported financially by MIVA Switzerland.



ICENECDEV Handing over Equipments to the Sub Delegate of Agriculture and Rural Development Batibo

Impact

- Increase in agricultural productivity and combatting hunger and poverty among the 50 rural women



Women Farmers posed with hand-push trucks farmers and 500 beneficiaries in the villages of Batibo in the North West region, Cameroon.

Accreditations

ICENECDEV is accredited by the following United Nations agencies and institutions:

- United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)
- United Nations Department of Public Information (UNDPI)
- World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)
- United Nations Global Compact
- United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification (UNCCD)
- Cameroon Government through the Ministry of External Relations.

Partners

- 1% for Development Switzerland
- Feed The Minds UK
- Ecotour Enterprise Cameroon
- XMINUSY Netherlands
- Book Aid International UK
- Cameroon Government

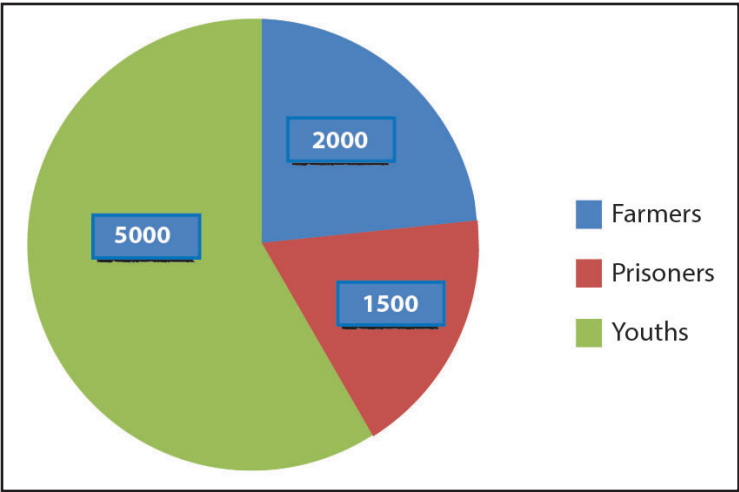
- Technical Centre for Agricultural and Rural Cooperation(CTA) Netherlands
- 1% for the planet USA
- MIVA Switzerland
- Caritas Italiana

Upcoming Events

Join ICENECDEV in the following upcoming events:

- Consultative stakeholder and Community dialogue to promote the principles of the United Nations Global Compact.
- Celebration of International day of Forest 21st March 2017
- Celebration of World Water Day 22nd March 2017
- Celebration of World Migratory Bird Day 9-10th May 2017
- Celebration of World Environment Day 5th June 2017
- Celebration of the World food Day 16th October 2017
- International Human Rights day 10th December 2017
- Celebration of International Mountain Day 11th December 2017

GRAPHICAL REPRESENTATION OF OVERALL IMPACT OF ICENECDEV IMPACT FOR 2016

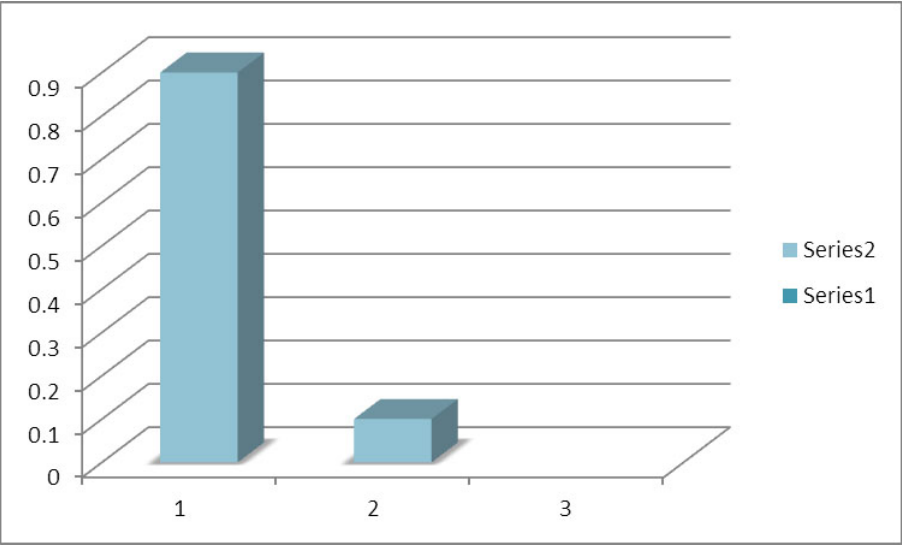


STATEMENT OF RECIEPTS AND PAYMENTS OF ICENECDEV FOR THE YEAR ENDED 2016

RECIEPTS	AMOUNT (FCFA)
Xminsy Netherlands	650,000
Feed the Minds UK	2,223,000
Miva Switzerland	4,550,000
1% for Development Switzerland	7,600,000
Caritas Italiana	2,100,000
Individual donations	500,000
Membership Contribution	2,000,000
community donation	700,000
Library Fees (publications)	300,000
TOTAL RECIEPTS	20,623,000
PAYMENTS	
Rent of office	720,000
Salary of Coordinator	600,000
Secretary	360,000
Allowance for Volunteers	100,000
Monthly Workshops	120,000
Printers	100,000
Hiring projector	120,000
Disinfecting the office	100,000
Photocopying	60,000
Folders	36,000
Ream of Papers	48,000
Electricity bills	60,000
Repairs of office equipments	120,000

Internet	240,000
Post office fees	140,000
Bank Charges	150,000
Consultants fee for implemented projects	1,600,000
Materials and equipments for implement projects	13,250,000
TOTAL PAYMENTS	17,924,000
TOTAL RECIPTS OVER PAYMENTS.	2,699,000

GRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDING FOR ICENECDEV
ACTIVITIES FOR 2016 Key



Coloum 1Projects
Coloum 2Projects Administration

90%
10%

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