

Aeres - Track record Middle East 2013-2018

Ref	Project title: Upgrading the Technical Agriculture Education System in Lebanon						
Name of legal entity	Country	Client	Budget, €	Starting date	End date		
AERES MBO	Libanon	FAO	€ 88.000	01-10-2017	30-09-2018		

Project description

The present subproject is part of a project of the Ministry of Agriculture and FAO to upgrade the Lebanese agricultural education system with funding from the Netherlands. The project is implemented in partnership with AVSI and ILO and in collaboration with UNICEF.

The project intends to enhance the employability of young Lebanese and displaced Syrians and other refugees in Lebanon by giving them the opportunity to acquire the necessary technical skills to access improved career opportunities in agriculture and agribusiness in Lebanon or in Syria upon their return accordingly.

The outcome is to have the seven agriculture technical schools managed in a sustainable manner providing adequate high quality agriculture technical training to young Lebanese and Syrians to respond to the labour market demand. The agricultural technical schools deliver graduates at Baccalauréat Technique (BT) level.

Services rendered

- 1. A revision of the existing BT program is conducted and related reform directives are formulated in line with the national qualification and harmonization system.
- 2. The BT courses contents for year 1, 2 and 3 are updated, include field practice and related textbooks with relevant attractive, interactive and practical educational materials for the specific courses, and ready to be handed over to MoA for implementation.
- 3. Follow-up activities and capacity building plan for longer term support of the MoA schools upgrade is developed with FAO to be partially funded by the Nuffic program.



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Ref	Project title: Training of University Teachers Irak				
Name of legal entity	Country	Client	Budget	Starting date	End date
Aeres - Vilentum University (CAH and Stoas) and Groenhorst (Project leader)	Iraq	Ministry of Higher Education, Republic of Iraq	€ 239.300,-	2013	2014

Project description

- The development of teaching staffs / teacher training in the various sections of agricultural and management
- The teacher will participate in the course to develop their skill and knowledge and to provide them the opportunity to see the technological advances in many divisions of the agricultural sector. Furthermore, visits to agricultural companies and private laboratories in the agricultural sector will be planned.
- And participate in a training programme on Management and Economics. visiting related companies and private laboratories.

Services rendered

Project management, Theoretical lessons, practical lessons field visits, introduction innovative production techniques and development of management.

Ref	Project title: Professionalization of technical staff of SFDA					
Name of legal entity	Country	Client	Budget	Starting date	End date	
Aeres - PTC+ (Project leader)	Saudi Arabia	Saudi Drug and Feed Authority (SFDA)	€ 50.000	2013	2014	

Project description

Professionalization of technical staff of SFDA. The main aim of this project is to improve the technical knowhow on feed manufacturing and poultry nutrition.

Services rendered

Training in the livestock, training in practical skills, curriculum development.