Fundamentals of Project Design
and MEAL
November 12 & 13
12:30pm-4:00pm ET

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DESCRIPTION

This workshop will discuss the fundamental components of project design and MEAL. It will help practitioners gain insights into the design of projects and a MEAL system. Through virtual sessions (presentations and interactive methods) the following main topics will be covered:

- Developing project objectives – from theory of change to setting project objectives
- MEAL framework design – developing logical framework, MEAL plan
- Baseline assessment design – ToR development, Measurement tools
- Data analysis and reporting – baseline survey data analysis, baseline reports

FACILITATORS

Nomvula Woodend is a seasoned Monitoring, Evaluation Accountability and Learning Practitioner with a demonstrated history of working in the non-profit organization sector for more than 10 years designing Performance Measurement Frameworks, MEAL Plans, Digital MEAL and Context monitoring frameworks, Endline Evaluations and Data Analysis.

She has also provided technical support in diverse donor proposal developments. She is currently a MEAL Analyst for 11 Nexus Accelerator Funded countries and 1 Global Funded project, leading the process of implementing project's Activity and Context Monitoring dashboards. She holds a Master of Social Science Degree in Monitoring and Evaluation, BSc Special Honors Degree in Monitoring and Evaluation and a BSc Honors Degree in Journalism and Media Studies.

Temesgen Bocher(PhD.), a development economist with over 15 years of experience, has led large-scale, multi-donor, multi-country program evaluations across Africa and Latin America countries. He is working as MEAL Specialist at World Vision Canada, supporting Youth Ready

project implemented in 10 countries and Resilient We-Climate change and gender project in Ethiopia. Recently, he has been involved in proposal development, capacity building in Digital MEAL system designing, Survey evaluation, and data analysis. Bocher holds a PhD in Agricultural Economics, M.Sc. in Economics and, M.Sc. in Data Science.

Victor Ogbole is a dedicated professional with over a decade of experience in Monitoring, Evaluation, Accountability, and Learning (MEAL) and project management. He has worked on various projects including Adolescent Health, Maternal and Child Health, Family Planning, GVB, HIV/AIDS, TB, Orphans, and Vulnerable Children, Immunization, Nutrition, Malaria, Water and Sanitation, Food Security, Livelihoods and Labor Right, funded by USAID, GAC, ESCD, UNHCR, and the Global Fund across Africa and South America. His expertise includes designing Performance Measurement Frameworks, MEAL Plans, Digital MEAL Systems, and Data Analysis. He provides technical support in proposal development and is currently a MEAL Analyst at World Vision Canada, managing the MEAL components of three grants. He holds a Master's Degree in International Cooperation and Humanitarian Aid, a Bachelor's in Chemical Engineering, and a Postgraduate Diploma in Statistics.

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