

Block I: Our contribution to the reduction of fragility

Block II: Who do we partner with? Working with state and civil society

Tuesday 31 May 2016, 11-12:30 (part I), 15-16:30 (part II)

Workshop description	
Title	Gender, fragility & violence (part I and II)
Focus and Key questions	<p>In tackling the violation of women’s rights to a life free of violence, SDC has a number of projects addressing sexual & gender based violence (SGBV). We hear a lot about the flag-ship programme in the Great Lakes which takes a psychosocial approach, but there are many more projects in Latin America, Central Europe and the Middle East. Through a “capitalization process” we have gathered the extensive experience within SDC on addressing SGBV in many different contexts – encompassing aspects of health, psychological support and counselling, rule of law and justice, and including work with perpetrators and wider family members as well as the victims/survivors.</p> <p>Together with you, we will discuss how we can make best use of our knowledge on addressing SGBV in the future. Please come and bring your experience in this field to the workshop and share it.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What is SDC’s experience and competences in addressing SGBV? - How can we link our SGBV-work more systematically with the work on fragility? (Governance model) <p>Part I : Preventing and responding to SGBV in conflicts focuses on the psychosocial approach and experiences of working with families, communities and men & boys (Tuesday, 31.5., 11-12.30h)</p> <p>Part II : Role of state and civil society in responding to SGBV focuses on the role of and cooperation between government, security and justice sector and civil society (SGBV governance model) (Tuesday, 31.5., 15-16.30)</p>
Examples /resource persons from the field	<p>Part I</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Benin (Blandine Codija Agossou) • Cambodia (Muong Channisai) • Democratic Republic of Congo (Rahel Hürzeler, HEKS) • Western Balkans (M. Loncarevic) <p>Part II</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bolivia (Mila Reynolds) • Western Balkans (M. Loncarevic) • Democratic Republic of Congo (Aziza Aziz-Suleyman)
Moderator Resource persons	<p>Jane Carter (HSI, co-author of SGBV report) Gucharan Virdee (co-author of SGBV report) Maja Loncarevic (Iamaneh, sounding board)</p>
Workshop procedure	You will get a short presentation of the results of the SGBV –

	<p>capitalization process and receive a copy of the report.</p> <p>Together, we will look at the different aspects of SGBV (psychological, social and political) and how they interlink.</p> <p>We will discuss in groups on different approaches: psycho-social, working with families, men and boys, awareness raising and others, cooperating with state, security and justice institutions.</p> <p>You can share your experience from your projects and bring your questions to discuss with the group.</p>
Workshop Outcome	Key lessons and messages from the capitalization of SDC's SGBV work to take home.