



Welcome...

to new staff members

Name	Unit/Position
Kai Gotthold	Site Manager Adama
Hans Juergen Pahle	Skill Up-grader Infrastructure Adama
Anya Reichmann	Office Management
Maximilian Kurz	Trainee Public Relations



The SME unit with Addis Ababa as well sites staff in June 2008

Infos from Addis Ababa...

- **The Planning/ Architecture department adjusted their structure.** They support the sites in three groups:
 - Kerstin Ehlert, Marian Stoll and Netsanet Bezu cooperate with Regional Manager Claus Darmstadt for Region I (Dila, Sodo, Tepi, Mizan Teferi and Robe);
 - Dag Ruemenapp, Anette Gossinski, Kumlachew Tsegaye cooperate with Regional Manager Thomas Deubel for Region II (Debre Markos, Dire Dawa, Jijiga, Nekemte and Semera); and
 - Nina Hartmuth and Birgit Breloh cooperate with Regional Manager Markus Roedel for Region III (Adama, Axum, Debre Birhan, Dese and Kombolcha).
- UCBP activities were filmed by **two German film crews, namely 3 SAT and Deutsche Welle.** The crews interviewed staff members in Addis Ababa as well as students, university presidents etc. onsite in Semera, Adama and Debre Birhan. Deutsche Welle will show the report in August, 3 SAT in September 2008.
- In June 2008, UCBP's Higher Education team around Irene Schwarz, Consultant Winfried Schmidbauer (HWP Stuttgart) and Prof. Dr. Dr. Eichele (president Adama University) worked on the 70/30 university approach.
- Many university students are interested in supporting UCBP as interns during their semester breaks. If you are interested, contact Anne Kemps at anne.kemps@gtz.de.

Infos from the sites...

- Currently, 700 TVET students receive on-the-job trainings onsite.
- Until today, 1350 participants from local enterprises have participated in short management trainings.
- The next CEFE management workshops will be conducted in Mizan Teferi and Tepi.

Meetings/ appointments in July '08...

- 08.07.08: SME Unit meets with Southern Nations Bureau and Offices of Trade & Industry for Dila, Sodo, Mizan Teferi and Tepi; location: Sodo
- 09.07.08: SME Unit meets with Oromia Bureau and Offices of Trade & Industry for Nekemte, Robe and Adama; location: Adama
- 10.07.08: Steering Committee Meeting
- 11.07.08: Tier III, IV MoCB Performance Evaluation
- 18.07.08: Tier I, II MoCB Performance Evaluation
- 25.07.08: UCBP breakfast, 09:00 AM – 10:00 AM, location: TK Building 9th floor Meeting Room
- 31.07.08: Tier I and II Phase II closing event

Trainings/ workshops in July '08...

- Ongoing: English classes are open for all UCBP staff Tuesday & Thursday, 05:30 pm, TK Mtg Room
- July 2008: Tier III will give trainings on several sites on *Acceleration, Sub-contracting & Equipment Management*
- July 2008: 30 TVET teachers receive on the-job-training in the CEE
- 30.07. – 01.08.2008: Tier I / II / and III companies receive training on implementing HIV/AIDS protective activities by Ato Addisu, UCBP HIV/AIDS coordinator; location: CEE