



Welcome...

to new staff members

Name	Unit/Position
Frank Reim	Site Manager in Robe
Minase Abate	Intern, Tier III
Mesfin Kebede	Intern, Tech Trans Unit

Final presentations of Tier II companies, 18.06.09



Infos from Addis Ababa...

- After eight months of intensive trainings, the Tier I and Tier II participating companies have finished the third Capacity Building Phase, building component. Thus, a **certification ceremony** will take place on 09.07.09 at TK Bldg II 9th from 06:30 pm-09:00 pm.
- A **UCBP exhibition** takes place from 17.07-06.09.09 at the German Architectural Museum in Frankfurt. The exhibition opens with information addressed from Mr. Wolfgang Schmidtt, Managing Director of GTZ and a representative from the Ethiopian embassy in Germany. For more information please contact Steffi.noelting@gtz.de.
- KOCKS Consult GmbH and MH Engineering have finished the **designs for the Treatment Plants** for all 15 sites. The construction will start in a few months time.

Infos from the sites...

- **HIV/AIDS counseling and testing activity** took place on 20 June 2009 at Dire Dawa site. 125 construction workers were mobilized and took the opportunity to test their status. The result showed that one person was HIV positive who was referred to a nearby government health center for continuous support.
- Four **contracts** for UCBP buildings are signed for Debre Birhan lot 4C, Debre Markos LOT 2AA, Jijiga LOT 4C and Robe LOT 2A. Contracts for Adama LOT 2BB & Kombolcha lot 3B are directly awarded. 13 last contracts are in the process of being tendered for Dila LOT 4D, Debre Markos LOT 4C and 4D, Dire Dawa LOT 4A and 4B, Jijiga LOT 4A, Nekemte LOT 4B, 4C, 4D and 4E, Sodo LOT 3C and Health center and Tepi LOT 2C.

Meetings/ appointments in July '09...

- 09.07.09: Tier I & Tier II closing event, location: TK Bldg 9th floor
- 10.07.09: General contractors evaluation meeting, location: ecbp, ground floor meeting room
- 17.07.09: Opening of UCBP exhibition, location: German Architectural Museum, Frankfurt
- 18.07-06.08.09: UCBP exhibition, location: German Architectural Museum, Frankfurt
- 31.07.09: Monthly UCBP breakfast, location: TK Bldg 9th floor

Trainings/ workshops in July '09...

- 30.06-01.07.09: Presentation of final report of Tier I companies, location: TK Bldg 9th floor
- 01-17.07.09: Skill Up-grader training in Masonry & Concrete for TVET teachers, location: Wingate Technical College
- 19.07.09: CEFE business creation workshop for TVET graduates, location: Dese
- 30.07.09: CEFE entrepreneurship workshop for local enterprise owners, location: Axum