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Members of Environment Communication and Community Development Association (ECCDA)

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ORGANIZATION

Environment Communication and Community Development Association (ECCDA), a non-governmental organization belongs to HCMC Psychological Science - Education Association with the operation license No.220/TCNS No. 05 on May 20, 1997.

MISSION

ECCDA's mission is to support urban poor to improve their living conditions and environment. ECCDA also plays an active role in finding ways to expand and applying the bottom up approach for sustainable development at all levels.

INTERVENTION STRATEGY

ECCDA's strategy is mainly contributed by supporting community-based activities and special attention to the experience gained in practice to change attitudes at all levels and promote new initiatives in terms of institutions for the Vietnamese to build, implement and maintain programs for sustainable development locally.

FIELD OF WORK

The ECCDA group members include professionals working in the field of community development, environmental management, solid waste management, housing for low-income people and climate change, with the target groups are low income people, migrant workers, private waste collectors and waste pickers.

FIELD OF WORK	PROJECT AREAS	TARGET GROUPS
1. Social financial services	Community savings-credit	Urban poor
2. Solid waste management	Solid waste management	Authorities, urban households, sub-urban households
	Solid waste segregation at source, community- based solid waste collection service and composting	Authorities, urban households, peripheral sub-urban households, functional companies providing solid waste services (URENCO)
	Involvement of non-public solid waste collection system	Authorities, informal private waste collectors, social organizations and local residents
3. Housing Housing re-location		Relocated households (most effected households)
sector	Credit for re-location	Relocated households (most effected households)
	Capacity building	Local authorities and social organizations
	Technical advice	Local partners and social organizations and relocated households
	Rights information (legal support)	Relocated households
4. Environment	Urban:	
	Infrastructure upgrading	Authorities, local residents in poor communities
	Sanitation improvement	Authorities, local residents in poor communities
	Environmental communication/hygiene	Authorities, local residents, teachers
5. Health	Health promotion, social marketing	Urban populations

HUMAN RESOURCE

The human resource of ECCDA consists of 10 members (7 females), in which there are 3 members (female) in charge of administrative, secretary and finance, 7 other members (4 females) are professionals in the fields of social and environment directly implement consulting activities.

	FULL NAME	GENDER	POSITION	PROFESSIONAL
1.	Đào Đức Khánh	Male	Chief of Association	Bachelor of Law. Bachelor in Sociology Specialist in Community Development and environmental communication
2.	Nguyễn Ngọc Gióng	Male	Vice-chief of Association	Bachelor in Sociology Specialist in Community Development , solid waste management
3.	Nguyễn Thị Dung	Female	Vice-chief of Association	Bachelor in Sociology Specialist in Community Development and environmental communication.
4.	Lâm Ngọc Mai	Female	Member	Bachelor in French Literature Specialist in Administrative management and Community Development

	FULL NAME	GENDER	POSITION	PROFESSIONAL
5	Nguyễn Thị Xuân	Female	Member	BA in business management. BA in English / French Specialist in Community Development, Solid Waste Management and environmental communication
6	Lê Mỹ Linh	Female	Member	Bachelor in English Literature. Specialist in Financial management and Community Development.
7	Đoàn Văn Khải	Male	Member	Bachelor in Geography Specialist in Community Development, Solid Waste Management and environmental communication
8	Phạm Thị Việt Hà	Female	Member	Bachelor in Sociology, Specialist in Community Development and environmental communication
9	Nguyễn Thị Thanh Phú	Female	Member	Bachelor in English / French Literature Specialist in administrative work and Community Development.
10	Nguyễn Thị Ninh	Female	Member	Master in Economics Bachelor in Economics Bachelor in English Specialist in community development planning strategy, micro-credit management

EXPERIENCES

Since its foundation, all ECCDA members have directly participated in many projects with different roles and depend on donors. The key roles that ECCDA's members take in charge include:

- Project coordinator/ Project officer
- Project consultant/expert.
- Trainer

Project activities of ECCDA in past years:

	PROJECTS AND CONTENT OF ACTIVITIES	LOCATION	BUDGET (EURO)	COLLABORATED ORGANISATION/FINA NCED PARTNERS
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1.	Consulting on environmental awareness for community, institutional development and environmental management strategy.	HCM City	20,000	Enda Vietnam - UNDP
2.	Consulting and technical supporting on institutional development in community-based development projects	Hai Duong, Viet Tri, Hue, Quy Nhon Can Tho Cities	25,000	Enda Vietnam – UNDP
3.	Consulting on solid waste management socialization and financial encouring on the remove of small size polluted recycling enterprises	HCM City	3,000	Enda Vietnam – UNDP

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4.	Technical support on solid waste management and solid waste sorting	District 5	30,000	Enda Vietnam - Asia - Urbs
5.	Technical consulting on feasibility study on propoor and sustainable solid waste management	Quy Nhon, Kon Tum, Ha Tinh and Hoi An Cities	52,280	Enda vietnam - United Nations for Economic and Social Committee for Asia and the Pacific (UN-ESCAP)
6.	Consulting on community awareness raising on environmental protection in the frame of project « Environmental sanitation improvement in HCMC»	HCM City	69,279	ADB – HCMCity Department of Natural Resources and Environment – NJS
7.	Consulting on establishing of environmental management functions component for HCM City Urban Drainage Company and designing programs on community awareness raising in the frame of project "Environmental Sanitation in HCM City»	HCM City	20,000	Worl Bank – HCMCity Department of Natural Resources and Environment
8.	Consulting survey on socio-economic situation of evicted/relocated communities in the frame of East-West Highway project and improve water environment in HCMC	District 1, District 5, District 6	15,000	Ho Chi Minh City Department of Public Works

	PROJECTS AND CONTENT OF ACTIVITIES	LOCATION	BUDGET (EURO)	COLLABORATED ORGANISATION/FINA NCED PARTNERS	
9.	Potential connections overseas Vietnamese to participate in national development in the areas of Science, Culture & Social Education	HCM City	25,000	Aid liaison overseas Vietnamese Centre (ALOV) – enda Vietnam	
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10.	Providing training on community- based waste management in the frame of project « Localizing Agenda 21 in Vinh City»	Vinh City	5,000	Enda vietnam - UNCHS/BDRA, 1999	
11.	Support training and technical consulting on formulation an action plan on waste sorting at source and solid waste management for private sector	Some local mass organisations and authorities in HCM City	15,000	Enda vietnam - Department of Science, Technology & Environment & HCM City People's Committee	
12.	Training on environmental awareness and protection for the youth	District 3, HCM City	15,450	Social work Center HCM City Youth Union enda Vietnam – CORDAID	
PROJE	PROJECTS IMPLEMENTATION				
13.	Environment and degraded infrastructure improving and promote recycling activity by community-based development method	Tam Thong Hiep, ward5, District 11, HCMC	10,000	Enda vietnam - French Ministry of Foreign Affairs	

	PROJECTS AND CONTENT OF ACTIVITIES	LOCATION	BUDGET (EURO)	COLLABORATED ORGANISATION/FINA NCED PARTNERS
14.	Improving living conditions for waste pickers' community based on community-based development approach	Binh Hung Hoa commune – Binh Chanh District – HCM City	92,800	Enda vietnam - French Ministry of Foreign Affairs
15.	Decentralized solid waste treatment into compost	Nhon Phu ward, Quy Nhơn City, Binh Đinh Province	43,540	Enda vietnam - United Nations for Economic and Social Committee for Asia and the Pacific (UN-ESCAP)
16.	Integrated community development and Improving the legal and socio-economic conditions of urban migrants: - To strengthen the management system of the CDF - To expand the CDF model in new project sites, to expand the model of small savings and credit groups to new project sites - To expand the savings and credit network to respond to the economic and social welfare of low income people - To create a network of Community Development Fund (CDF) linking the urban poor communities, including the old and new project sites	Hanoi Danang Quy Nhon And HCM City (Thu Duc District)	910,000	Enda Vietnam NOVIB

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	 To raise the awareness on gender sensitization, to continuing the gender sensitization activities for all the related stakeholders. To raise awareness on environment sanitation, to conduct communication activities on environment sanitation to improve the public environment sanitation. To improve the legal residential status of targeted migrant communities; To assist migrant communities better access to social services and other support (formal credit program); To create a social safety net for targeted migrant communities in order to help them cope with shocks and vulnerability To disseminate lesson learned from this pilot project to functional institutions and the city government to help improve policy concerning migration. 			
17.	Supporting Informal Waste Collectors - Study on status and working conditions of PWCs and analyse formal and informal health insurance system	District 3, District 4, District 6, District 7, 11 and District	441,408	- Enda vietnam - USAEP - European Commission

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- Support to healthcares and working conditions for PWCs	Binh Thanh		
- Capacity building through different trainings topics			
- Experience sharings/workshops/inland field visit.			
- Support seed capital for PWC to upgrade their handcarts.			