



EL SALVADOR SKILLS FOR EMPLOYMENT PROJECT

FACT SHEET

OVERVIEW

The USAID Skills for Employment Project boosts the education, training, and employment opportunities for youth aged 15-29, including young women, persons with disabilities; LGBTQI individuals, as well as returned migrants aged 15-64.

PRIORITIES

With its activities led by local partner organizations, the Skills for Employment Project improves the long-term effectiveness of El Salvador's education and workforce development systems to increase private sector engagement and employment opportunities.

The project also improves the relevance and quality of education curricula so students complete high school and can have a pathway to a career and employment.

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**TOTAL
INVESTMENT:**
\$28.3 million

TIME PERIOD:
March 2023 - March
2028

PARTNER:
DAI Global, LLC

Activities provide training to education providers and civil society for job placement and to align technical training courses with on-the-job requirements. The project also improves infrastructure and provides equipment and materials so that education training centers deliver better services to students. Through alliances with the private sector, the project helps ensure that job training programs meet employer demands.

By changing perceptions of employers, aligning training curricula with the needs of the labor market, and equipping individuals with high-quality and relevant education and skills, the Skills for Employment Project helps youth and vulnerable groups to excel in the country's formal workforce.

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