

ILAB TECHNICAL COOPERATION PROJECT SUMMARY

PROJECT TITLE	PRIORITY RESEARCH TO SUPPORT THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ILO CONVENTION No. 182
REGION/COUNTRY	GLOBAL
PROJECT DURATION	September 2002 – June 2007
FISCAL YEAR & FUNDING LEVEL	FY2002: \$2,330,230
PROBLEM TO BE ADDRESSED	Child labor research is a relatively new field and many information gaps need to be filled, particularly regarding the worst forms of child labor.
PROJECT OBJECTIVES	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Increase the knowledge base on child labor by filling gaps in the difficult to research areas of child labor;2. Increase world-wide awareness of child labor and its causes and consequences;3. Promotion of good policy practices and program development strategies for the successful implementation of ILO Conventions No. 182 and 138.
SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Conduct study on child labor and school attendance and performance;• Conduct economic study on child labor wages and productivity levels;• Conduct study on mechanisms of forced and bonded child labor (Niger, Ghana, Haiti, Pakistan);• Develop IPEC working paper series on topics of rising importance;• Perform good policy practice review and produce manual;• Concept paper on targeting the intolerable forms of child labor.
GRANTEE	International Labor Organization International Program on the Elimination of Child Labor (ILO-IPEC)
IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS	Reputable international and national research institutions
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