

United Nations Peace Fund for Nepal Project Summary

Participating UN Organization:	United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)	UN Fund cluster and/or Nepal PBF Priority area:	Elections, Governance and Mediation		
Implementing partner(s):	United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)				
Project number:	UNPFN/B-3				
Project title:	Collaborative Leadership and Dialogue				
Total approved project budget:	USD 150,000				
Location:	Nation-wide, Nepal				
Executive Committee approval date:	<i>tbd</i>				
Project duration:	2 years	Starting date:	October 2010	Completion date:	October 2012
Project's Strategic Outcome:	An inclusive and gender-representative culture of dialogue and conflict transformation is expanded and strengthened, contributing to conflict prevention and social cohesion during Nepal's transitional peace-building process.				
Project description:	CLD will target political, civic, government, youth, women and ethnic leaders at both central and local levels, strengthening capacities in constructive negotiation, mediation, facilitation of dialogue processes, consensus building, communications, leadership and trust building. The capacity will further be developed through support for accompaniment, mentoring and coaching as these skills are applied to key contemporary issues. A network or platform of experts would be formed to enable the application of the skills in the interim period while longer term peace-building institutional mechanisms will be created and/or supported through consultation with relevant stakeholders, to sustain the promotion and application of collaborative leadership and related skills.				
Peacebuilding Impact:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sustainable capacity on collaboration and dialogue developed for leaders at central and local levels • Better negotiated solutions on peacebuilding and development related issues • Strengthened national and local capacities and mechanisms for collaboration, dialogue and conflict management 				
Project Outcomes and Key Activities:	<p>Outcome 1: Capacities built on collaborative leadership and related skills (individuals and groups)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop trainers and facilitators in collaborative leadership and related skills. These skills could include: constructive negotiation, dialogue facilitation, mediation, consensus-building, communication, building and rebuilding trust, and leadership. • Develop capacity of central and local level leaders on collaborative leadership and related skills. The leaders in focus will include leaders from: political Parties, the civil society, the government and civil service, ethnic groups, youth and women. • Develop appropriately tailored training materials on collaborative leadership and related skills <p>Outcome 2: Collaborative leadership and related skills applied to Nepal's peacebuilding and development issues</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify a strategic set of initial issues for application of collaborative approaches in addressing contemporary challenges • Support application of collaborative leadership and related skills to contemporary issues and challenges • Provide support to the Steering/Advisory Committee on Collaborative Leadership <p>Outcome 3: Appropriate peace architecture and institutional mechanisms strengthened and/or created to promote peacebuilding and conflict management at the central and local levels</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Establish and support networks of facilitators and mediators at the central and local levels • Support sustainable dialogue and mediation institutional mechanisms at the central level • Support sustainable dialogue, mediation and conflict management capacities and institutional mechanisms at the local levels 				