

FINANCE IN DISPLACEMENT: REFUGEE INTEGRATION IN JORDAN, KENYA, MEXICO, AND UGANDA

Virtual Event - April 20 and 21, 2021

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Item	Time (EDT)		
Welcome	8:00 AM	Anneleen Vos, International Rescue Committee	
Opening Remarks	8:10 AM	Dr. Maria Flachsbarth, Parliamentary State Secretary to the Federal Minister for Economic Cooperation and Development and Member of the German Parliament	
		Gabriele Gien, President of Katholische Universität Eichstätt-Ingolstadt	
Comprehensive Overview of the FIND Project	8:15 AM	Hans-Martin Zademach, Katholische Universität Eichstätt-Ingolstadt Karen Jacobsen, Tufts University Kim Wilson, Tufts University Swati Mehta Dhawan, Katholische Universität Eichstätt-Ingolstadt Julie Zollmann, Tufts University Maria Teresa Nagel, Tufts University	
Policy Realities and Key Recommendations	8:52 AM	Radha Rajkotia, Innovations for Poverty Action Daphne Jayasinghe, International Rescue Committee Maha Bahou, CEO, Jordan Payments & Clearing Company (JOPACCC) Meshack Mwololo, Asst. Livelihood & Economic Inclusion Officer - UNHCR Kenya	
Break	9:20 AM		
Discussants Response and Q&A	9:30 AM	Karen Jacobsen, Tufts University Kim Wilson, Tufts University Mayada El-Zoghbi, Center for Financial Inclusion at Accion Mariam Zahara, Alliance for Financial Inclusion Stefanie Scharf, Federal Minister for Economic Cooperation and Development Kenneth Tweheyo, Uganda Communications Commission Joel Boutroue, United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees	
Closing Remarks	10:45 AM	Alyoscia D'Onofrio, Vice President and Head of Technical Excellence, International Rescue Committee	













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DAY 2:

WHAT THE FINDINGS REVEAL ABOUT OUR ASSUMPTIONS

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Welcome	8:00 AM	Anneleen Vos, International Rescue Committee
Opening Remarks	8:15 AM	Jean Pierre, refugee-led organization
Breakout sessions	8:20 AM	Breakout sessions on provocative subjects
Break	9:30 AM	
Plenary	9:40 AM	Anneleen Vos, International Rescue Committee
Q&A	9:50 AM	
Closing Remarks	10:10 AM	Rachel Kyte, the Fletcher School at Tufts University

Provocative Discussions Session 1

Responses by faith-based or refugee self-help organizations, though crucial, are impossible to scale

See concept note here:

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Provocative Discussions Session 2

Little evidence supports the value of "livelihoods programming" in displaced settings

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Provocative Discussions Session 3

Why are digital financial services missing the mark in ratcheting up refugee livelihoods?

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Provocative Discussions Session 4

Nothing new under the sun: Innovations in refugee services are at a standstill.

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