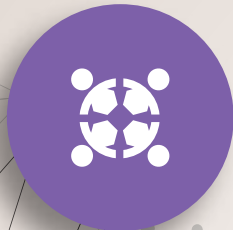


# MASHAV

Aid From Israel



## OUR MISSION

To lead Israel's efforts in empowering individuals and communities in need by sharing tools and expertise to achieve sustainable development and transformation within their own societies.



## HISTORY

MASHAV was established in 1958 following the vision of then Foreign Minister Golda Meir and Prime Minister David Ben Gurion to assist fellow nations overcome development challenges by sharing knowhow and technologies which provided the basis of Israel's own development.



## ABOUT US

MASHAV - Israel's Agency for International Development Cooperation at Israel's Ministry of Foreign Affairs is responsible for the design, coordination and implementation of the State of Israel's development cooperation programs and humanitarian assistance efforts. By placing people at the heart of development, we focus our development activities on human capacity building and on the 'training of trainers' approach, sharing with other countries Israel's own development experience and expertise as well as innovative technologies and tested methodologies. In alignment with the 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda, and as a member of the family of nations, the State of Israel through MASHAV, shares the global responsibility of striving to overcome development challenges and contributing to the fight against poverty, while leaving no one behind.



## DEVELOPMENT COOPERATION

MASHAV emphasizes the importance of creating effective partnerships for development and of implementing cooperative projects both in Israel and abroad with a wide range of partners with each side contributing its strengths and unique experience and expertise:

- Active dialogues for development with donor countries and sister agencies
- Signing bi- and trilateral development cooperation agreements with partner countries
- Multilateral cooperation

## HOW WE WORK

MASHAV's training program is comprised of technical assistance and human capacity building based on a demand-driven approach and in accordance with the needs and requests of partner countries. MASHAV's professional activities take place both in Israel and in partner countries.

### In Israel:

MASHAV conducts its extensive capacity building program in Israel through professional affiliated leading institutes, and through its core specialized training and consultancy centers:

- Professional training programs
- International conferences
- Thematic delegations

### In Partner Countries:

- On-the-spot training programs
- Short and long-term expert consultancies
- Establishment of Centers of Excellence in Agriculture for professional training



## PRIORITY SECTORS

MASHAV focuses its human capacity building activities on areas in which Israel has a comparative advantage and accumulated expertise:

- Food Security and Agriculture
- Education for All
- Medicine and Public Health
- Community Development
- Innovation and Entrepreneurship
- Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment
- Rural-Urban Development
- Research and Development
- Emergency Planning and Response
- Humanitarian Aid



## AT A GLANCE

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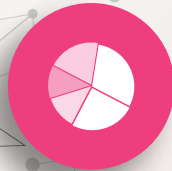
Over 300,000 graduates from 140 countries  
50 training centers and demonstration projects

### International cooperation:

35 ongoing partnerships with fellow donor countries and international organizations

### Each year:

Over 5,000 trainees  
160 courses in Israel and abroad  
100 short-term consultancy missions



## SHALOM CLUBS

MASHAV keeps in touch with its graduates through a worldwide network of 'Shalom Clubs'. Established in their respective countries, the clubs serve as a forum to take part in professional, social and cultural events, and to exchange ideas and expertise for the benefit their communities.



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