

Project Manager, International Think Tank, World Bank Institute, Washington, DC, USA 2002-2004:

Establishment and running of international Think Tank in partnership with Glocal Forum, WBI, international academic institution and key thinkers and practitioners from around the world through \$250,000 grant from WBI.

Project Manager, We Are the Future - One Stop Youth and Children Partnership Program, UN-HABITAT/Starbucks Coffee Corporation/Glocal Forum, 2004-2007: Managed trilateral partnership for \$500,000 grant program for youth, children and municipalities in cities of Africa and Middle East.

Project Manager, MENA Youth Capacity Building Workshop Series, World Bank/UN

Agencies/NGOs: Jointly developed and coordinated series of capacity building workshops in Beirut, Ankara and Cairo for youth from the Middle East & North Africa:

- ∞ **Cairo, Egypt 11/06: Team Leader** for management of regional component of the training activity “Youth: Linking Policy with Participation” on behalf of workshop partners: German Technical Cooperation (GTZ), Glocal Forum, International Labor Organization (ILO), UNICEF, Youth Employment Network (YEN) and World Bank; speaker on stakeholders panel.
- ∞ **Ankara, Turkey 06/06:** Developed and coordinated city-to-city capacity building workshop between MENA youth and their peers in Europe/USA towards the establishment of municipal youth councils in partnership with Glocal Forum, World Bank and municipalities.
- ∞ **Beirut, Lebanon 04/06: Developed and implemented concept and program** for youth component of Fifth MENA Development Forum (MDF5): “Youth Promoting Good Governance: Best Practices & Models of Change” held by World Bank Group in partnership with Arab Urban Development Institute (AUDI), Friedrich Naumann Foundation, Lebanese Transparency Association and Glocal Forum. Wrote concept note, coordinated recruitment, selection and participation of youth from across MENA in panel discussion and working sessions towards a MENA youth networking platform.

Project Manager, Middle East City-to-City Peacebuilding Program, Glocal Forum, 2002-2006

Facilitated the development of a joint socio-economic work plan and city-to-city peacebuilding program with Israeli, Palestinian and international mayors and municipalities and in cooperation with the Union of Local Authorities in Israel (ULAI), Association of Palestinian Local Authorities (APLA), Municipal Peace Alliance (MAP) and international institutions.

Project Manager, Glocal Youth Parliament, Glocal Forum, Rome, Italy, 2002-2007:

Created and managed international network of youth from 70 cities and 5 continents in partnership with World Bank, private corporations, and participating municipalities. Managed 4 global youth conferences with the participation of 120-150 youth from network and several global/regional meetings of youth leadership.

International Glocalization Conferences, Glocal Forum, Rome, Italy, 2002-2006

Managed content and strategy for four international conferences with the participation of 150-200 high-level delegates from private and public sectors.