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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON GEOLOGY, MINING, MINERAL AND
GROUNDWATER RESOURCES OF THE SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA: OPPORTUNITIES AND
CHALLENGES AHEAD

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RETURN TO WORK PLANS (RWP)

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I. RETURN-TO-WORK PLANS

Return to Work projects are a valuable mechanism for workshop participants' personal and professional development. As part of your sponsorship, you are required to develop a return-to-work plan on a project you will undertake on your return, applying the knowledge and skills gained from workshop to influence change.

Periodic follow-up on the progress of implementation of the plan will be undertaken by UNDP.

II. REPORTING STRUCTURE FOR RETURN-TO-WORK PLANS

To facilitate ease of reporting and follow-up on your return to work project, the structure below outlines the key project elements that need to be covered in the reporting. **Please submit a Return to Work Project (RWP)** using the structure provided below.

GENERAL INFORMATION
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Brief Description of the project: In the centre region of Cameroon, there are some localities with great potentials, namely development minerals. We are focused here on granitoids and quartz veins of the Bape massive. This is an area where there have not been much geological works, especially on the applicable field. Thus, this project aims at bringing out every economical potentiality found in outcrops of the Bape massive, in order to enrich our geological database and also bring out new sources of income, through small scale mining that will be done by the local population.
Expected Outcomes: <ul style="list-style-type: none">– geochemical characterisation of quartz veins and granitoids of Bape;– Identification of new development minerals;– Determination of the type of mining that can be applied.
Expected Outputs: <ul style="list-style-type: none">– organize a presentation at my work place to share the knowledge acquired during the conference;– make thin sections on collected samples, in a laboratory: realisation and observation, in order to confirms the specific rock types;– run out geochemical analysis on powdered rocks in order to confirm the nature and characteristics of our new development minerals;– later on, implement environmental and security practices;– take measures to kick off and follow up mining.

Please describe how you plan to implement the return to work project: (outline key partnerships and collaborations across sectors in your country as well as any joint collaboration with other countries)
The return to work project will be implemented following our activities plan, with the collaboration of a supervisor from the university of Yaoundé I, and any other eventual organisation for which I can apply for funding. This will also be done in regard of all I will acquire during the conference.

What indicators of success will you employ? (include indicators of success that go beyond activity-level implementation)

In order to successfully carry out this project, my personal engagement and hard work as well as experts intervention will be needed.

What other strategic opportunities have you identified that will contribute to the success and sustainability of your project? (include linkages to sub-regional and regional agenda)

Working in partnership with organisations such as the development minerals programme might contribute immensely to the sustainability and success of my project. I may identify other opportunities during the conference.

What aspects of the training will be most useful in implementing your project? Explain

All the conference sessions will be useful to me, those are the geology, the engineering geology, mining, emerging issues, development minerals, and metallurgy sessions. During every one of the sessions, I will have the opportunity to acquire knowledge on many aspects of my project, which can help for implementation and also for future plans.

What are your future plans? (Include any additional capacity building needs for your professional development that you have identified during the course of the workshop).

My future plan will be well stated after the conference, when most of the items I need will be gathered.

ACTION PLAN

Period	Month 1	Month 2	Month 3	Month 4	Month 5	Month 6	Month 7
Activities							
Activity 1:	Organize a presentation at my work place to share the knowledge acquired during the conference						
Activity 2:		make thin sections on collected samples, in a laboratory: realisation and observation					

Activity 3:				Run out geochemical analysis on powdered rocks in order to confirm the nature and characteristics of our new development minerals			
Activity 4:							Later on, after the seven months, ,implement environmental and security practices and take measures to kick off and follow up mining
Activity 5:							
Etc.							

III. SUBMISSION DATE OF THE DRAFT RETURN-TO-WORK PLAN

The draft Return to Work plan should be sent to lyapa.manza@undp.org; taonga.mshanga@undp.org