



# Child Protection in Crisis

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CPC Livelihoods/Economic Strengthening Task Force members and friends,

- We're happy to report that an anonymous donor has agreed to fund Year 1 of the Task Force 3-year workplan at US\$150,000. Thanks to all who helped us develop the workplan and other deliverables in 2011.
- About 40 of you filled out the survey of priorities for guidance documents. The most votes came in for development of CP indicators for ES programs, followed by general program guidance. These are our priorities in the near term. Thanks to those who answered the survey.
- We will also be working with country-level Program Learning Groups in early 2012 on an assessment tool looking at livelihood-related child protection risks. Will solicit your inputs in that process.
- I recently presented on children and livelihoods in emergencies at Columbia University's School of International and Public Affairs in November, in a course called *Gender and Livelihoods: From Displacement to Recovery*, taught by Dale Buscher of Women's Refugee Commission. Will speak at NYU's School of Continuing and Professional Studies and other forums in the near future.
- Our workplan has been formatted and hard copies are being printed; see attached.
- A draft preliminary report on the Summer 2011 CPC/Mailman/Bantwana evaluation research in Western Uganda is nearing completion, and other products will emerge from that dataset in 2012.
- In partnership with UNICEF and Women's Refugee Commission's adolescent girls campaign, we've initiated a research paper on the protective effects of ES programming engaging girls in emergency settings, around which we hope to organize an event in 2012. Will share the draft for your feedback in January.
- We're seeking an (unpaid) intern for the Spring semester in New York, if you know any motivated and currently-enrolled graduate students. Terms of Reference attached.

## Resources

- Paper: [New evaluation research on cash transfers and child labor in Ecuador, by Eric Edmonds and Norbert Schady](#)
- Event: [Reshaping the Future of Finance: The First Child and Youth Finance International Summit](#). April 3-4, 2012 at the RAI Convention Center in Amsterdam, The Netherlands. Registration password is ATND001. Registration closes December 20, 2011. This meeting brings senior-level policy-makers, experts from the private, public and civil society sectors as well as children and youth on the topics of financial

inclusion and finance education. The ChildFinance Movement hopes to reach 100 million children in 100 countries by 2015.