



***Inter-American Development Bank
IDB YOUTH PROGRAM
Overview***



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OVERVIEW



- Founded in 1959, oldest and largest of the regional multilateral development banks
- Largest source of development finance for Latin America
- 47 Member countries
 - 26 Borrowing
 - 21 Non-borrowing (Republic of Korea, 2004)
- 2006 lending \$6.4 billion and more than \$140 billion since 1961.
technical assistance grants \$164 million

OPERATIONS



- IDB provides 90% of its loans to the public sector with sovereign guarantee; investment, policy-based and emergency loans
<http://www.iadb.org/>
- Also lends directly to the private sector through the Private Sector Department (up to 10% of loans outstanding), primarily for infrastructure and capital markets projects
<http://www.iadb.org/pri/>
- Inter-American Investment Corporation: SME loans <\$10 million
- Multilateral Investment Fund (MIF) provides grants for microfinance, training, business regulation and deregulation; loans; and equity funds. Remittances. <http://www.iadb.org/mif/>

HISTORICAL PRIORITIES



- Poverty Reduction & Social Equity
- Sustainable Development & Growth





KEY AREAS

Opportunities for the majorities: Birth registry; mainstreaming low-income people into the formal financial system (microfinance); expanding access to housing and to public services; basic infrastructure and ICT; promoting micro, small and medium sized enterprises; and job training.



IDB YOUTH



- Established in 1995 to respond more effectively to the needs of youth and to promote their participation in the dev process
- Program focuses in 4 areas: leadership and participation, community service and volunteerism, ICT, and entrepreneurship.
- Coordinates a regional network of more than 12,000 young leaders and social entrepreneurs actively engaged in socioeconomic activities who serve as agents of change.
- www.iadb.org/idbyouth

IDB YOUTH



- Works in partnerships:
- Youth
- Private sector and media
- Civil Society
- Government agencies
- Other multilateral organizations
(IAWGYD)

IDB Other sources of financing



- Social Entrepreneurship Program
- The Multilateral Investment Fund (MIF)
- Line of Activity for Strengthening Financial Institutions for Microenterprise
- Rating Fund for Microfinance Institutions
- Program for the Development of Local Microfinance Institutions
- Trust Funds
- Regional Technical Cooperation
- www.iadb.org/sds/mic
- **YOUTH FUND!!** www.fondodejuventud.org

Sources of Information from your computer



IDB Homepage: www.iadb.org



IDB YOUTH PROGRAM: www.iadb.org/idbyouth

General

Basic Facts: www.iadb.org/info/

Annual Report:

www.iadb.org/aboutus/l/hi_ar.cfm?language=English

Sectors and Topics: www.iadb.org/exr/topics/index.htm

Projects

Project Information & Procurement notices :

<http://condc05.iadb.org/idbppi/asp/mainpage.asp>

Project Documents and Public Information Center :

<http://www.iadb.org/exr/pic/?language=english>

Events

IDB Business Seminars: <http://www.iadb.org/biz/>

IDB-sponsored events:

www.iadb.org/NEWS/DISPLAY/events.cfm?Language=English

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