

EPAG = Economic Empowerment of Adolescent Girls & Young Women

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EPAG IN KAKATA!

In Kakata, American Refugee Committee (ARC) and its implementing partner, the National Adult Education Association of Liberia (NAEAL), offer business development skills training. ARC & NAEAL organized today's program. The Community Empowerment Program (CEP) delivers job skills training in Kakata. There will be a joint Kakata EPAG graduation program NEXT FRIDAY on January 21st, at Kakata City Hall. Don't miss it!



American Refugee Committee
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EPAG BUSINESS PLAN COMPETITION!



Friday, January 14th, 2011
Evening Star Baptist Church
 (Opposite EcoBank)
Kakata, Margibi County
10:00 am – 12:30 pm

BUSINESS PLAN COMPETITION PROGRAM

Invocation.....	Rev. Lincoln M. Gboco, Sr. Evening Star Baptist Church
Welcome.....	Madam Danieleette D. Asilton Gender Coordinator – MoGD, Margibi County
Overview of business plan..... Competition	Comfort Togba, ARC
Presentation of contestants &... judges	Abraham Juah, NAEAL
Choral selection.....	Mrs. Odell Gondon, EPAG Mentor
PRESENTATION OF BUSINESS PLANS	MANDINGO QUARTER SITE 1. Felecia Yah 2. Hawa Brown 3. Mercy Rogers 4. Mercy S. Gbollie 5. Oretha Carngbah
Choral selection & role-play....	EPAG Trainees
PRESENTATION OF BUSINESS PLANS	SUGAR HILL SITE 1. Charline Y. Sumoiwuo 2. Kebbeh A. Maniato 3. Lydia Ma Kolinemore 4. Sianeh G. Barpeen 5. Tutu-Girl Paye
Voter registration awareness.... message	Ministry of Gender & Development
Explanation of awards.....	Carrie Hasselback ARC Country Director
Announcement of final results..	Judge representative
Remarks.....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • City Mayor • Ministry of Commerce • Ministry of Labor
Vote of thanks.....	Trainee with highest score
Benediction.....	Rev. Lincoln M. Gboco, Sr. Evening Star Baptist Church

JUDGES

1. Mrs. Princess Vonleh, Branch Manager, EcoBank, Kakata
2. Ms. Vera Turlay, Branch Manager, BRAC, Kakata
3. Mr. Forkpah Gbelee, Branch Manager, LEAP, Kakata
4. Mr. Sam Charline, Superintendent, Liberia Marketing Association, Kakata
5. Mrs. Wokie Sirleaf, EPAG Mentor / Chairlady, Kakata
6. Mr. Dala T. Korkoyah Jr., M & E Director, EPAG / Ministry of Gender & Development
7. Mr. Patrick Singbeh, Branch Manager, Liberty Finance, Kakata

We sincerely thank the judges for their assistance & support.

Dear ARC / NAEAL Business Development Skills Trainees:

We would like to thank all 138 of you who participated in the business plan competition. You are all winners! This contest has helped you put your entrepreneurial skills into practice. We urge you to work hard to realize your personal & professional dreams! The sky is the limit.

- ARC, NAEAL, MoGD

M.C. Ms. Lorpu Kobo, ARC/NAEAL trainee