

ALLIANCES IN ACTION

INTEL GLOBAL FRAMEWORK

DEVELOPMENT CHALLENGE

For more than 30 years, USAID has applied information and communication technology (ICT) to development challenges. By providing youth, women, entrepreneurs, farmers and others located in developing countries with access to ICT networks, USAID is helping underserved communities to connect and compete in the global marketplace.

BUSINESS CHALLENGE

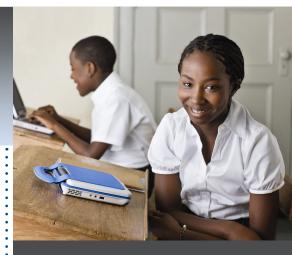
Intel Corporation, through its World Ahead Program, is working to connect developing communities around the globe to technology. The program seeks to provide "the next billion" with accessibility, connectivity, education, and content to enhance lives while introducing future generations of computer users to ICT.

APPROACH

USAID and Intel Corporation are working together in a partnership that spans the globe from Latin America, Africa, Asia, and beyond. The Global Framework between USAID and Intel Corporation focuses on increasing access to computers; expanding wireless broadband Internet; preparing teachers and students for success in the global economy; and accelerating development of localized content. By connecting USAID missions, or offices, around the world with local Intel offices, the Global Famework partners are leveraging complementary assets to expand opportunities for thousands. Depending on the needs of an alliance, Intel can work with its partners to develop appropriate software, hardware, and connectivity solutions. Intel can also provide curriculum and training to improve education through the effective use of technology. USAID brings resources, networks, development expertise, and knowledge of developing countries to an alliance. To date, USAID and Intel have developed 15 partnerships under the Global Framework agreement and there are plans for additional alliances.

PARTNERS





ALLIANCE EXAMPLES

- Alliance partners have installed WiMAX technology throughout Lao Cai province in rural northern Vietnam, offering its citizens access to cost-efficient broadband internet and VoIP telephone service, improving the business environment, education opportunities, and availability of medical services.
- Intel has contributed 100 Classmate PCs — a low-cost laptop designed for children—to be used in USAID's One to One program to bring technology into public schools in Guatemala, enhancing access to diverseresources and advancing skills development.
- USAID/Indonesia and Intel have created a three-year, \$1.5M alliance to train teachers on classroom use of computer technology to improve basic education in Indonesia.

FAST FACTS

START: 2006 END: 2011

PARTNER CONTRIBUTIONS: