



our goals

Promoting economic growth and reducing poverty

Achieving sustainability by enhancing economic freedom

Fostering international cooperation and stability

OUR PRACTICE

- Conceptualizing and implementing institutional reform
- Modernizing governments by strengthening their fiscal performance and accountability
- Bolstering market-augmenting strategies
- Transforming information into applicable knowledge

OUR APPROACH

- Increasing economic literacy and understanding
- Facilitating constructive dialogue between governments and citizens
- Introducing technical solutions based on an ethical commitment to efficacy

ACCESSING DEVTECH'S SERVICES

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General Services

The General Services Administration (GSA) Management, Organizational, and Business Improvement Services (MOBIS) price schedule (SIN 8741 & SIN 8747) can be used for short-and/or long-term projects in any sector through 2010.

Sector and/or Issue-Specific Services

- USAID/Support for Economic Growth and Institutional Reform in Macroeconomic Policy (SEGIR/Macro II) through 2009
- USAID/Support for Economic Growth and Institutional Reform in Commercial, Legal, and Institutional Reform (SEGIR/CLIR) through 2009
- USAID/Accelerated Microenterprise Advancement Project (AMAP)-Business Development Services (BDS) through 2007
- USAID/International Governmental Integrity and Anti-Corruption Technical Assistance Services through 2008
- USAID/Sustainable Urban Management (SUM II) through 2009

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economics

applying the science of economics to development

Since 1984, DevTech Systems Inc. (DevTech) has worked with governments and civil society to implement sound market-oriented policies that are essential to solid economic growth.

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ECONOMIC GOVERNANCE

DevTech assists governments, the private sector, and civil society in developing countries to foster sound, stable and market-enabling economic environments.

Capacity Building and Strengthening

- Integrating gender equity concerns into national and local economic development programs
- Assisting the Panamanian government after United States intervention to normalize the economy and support privatization

Policy, Economic, and Statistical Analysis

- Designing economic reactivation program following the 2001 earthquakes in El Salvador
- Developing economic and sector-specific statistical information and user-friendly systems for the United States Government to analyze large global data sets
- Assessing the performance of non-project assistance to Nicaragua and East Timor

Public Awareness and Advocacy

- Delivering public education services in support of capital markets development in Russia

TRADE CAPACITY AND COMPETITIVENESS

DevTech helps enable trading partners to participate in and benefit from a rules-based global trading system.

Business Climate and Institutional Reform

- Advising Egyptian exporters of processed foods, furniture, apparel, leather goods, and software on technical specifications to penetrate European and other markets
- Assisting the Panamanian government to define and implement competition policy
- Designing and implementing monitoring systems to assess economic and social impact of rural roads construction and rehabilitation in Guinea
- Conducting cost-benefit studies for five municipal markets in El Salvador

Global Market Intelligence and Trade Data Analysis

- Assisting the United States Government to monitor trade capacity building activities
- Tracking trade statistics and developing easy-to-use interfaces for a variety of clients

Small & Medium Enterprises (SMEs) Advancement and Integration

- Assisting the government of El Salvador to establish a market intelligence and competitiveness unit to foster SME participation in international markets
- Developing curriculum to improve vocational skills for workforce and small business development in Honduras
- Researching the value chain process in Guatemala and Tanzania to identify opportunities and difficulties of SMEs, and to determine how SMEs can thrive in local, national, and global markets

FISCAL PERFORMANCE AND STRENGTHENING

DevTech works hand-in-hand with national and sub-national governments to create fiscal policies that support growth and good governance.

Fiscal Decentralization

- Assisting in the design of the National Commission for Federalism in Mexico
- Fostering dialogue to support fiscal decentralization and transparency for intergovernment transfers in Guatemala and Mexico

Tax Policy

- Formulating policy reforms to increase tax revenues, reduce nuisance taxes, and build a more equitable tax system in Guatemala, Bosnia and El Salvador

Tax and Customs Administration

- Modernizing tax administrations and improving revenue collections in Bosnia, El Salvador, Kenya, and the Philippines
- Introducing cutting-edge information communication technology such as broadband microwave networks and open source code for central processing centers, e-filing, and taxpayer services and registration.

