ABOUT SWISSCONTACT

Who we are & Vision
Swisscontact is an independent non-profit development organisation established in 1959 by representatives of the Swiss private sector and civil society. Our development work focuses on private sector-led, sustainable economic development with improved quality of life for all in developing and emerging countries. A key focus is to strengthen the skills of individuals and foster the competitiveness of businesses.

Where we work

41 COUNTRIES  
130 PROJECTS

WHAT WE OFFER

We offer best practices on a global level:

- Project Development and Implementation
- Training
- Advisory
- Research
WHAT WE DO

We strengthen the competencies of people, improving their employability.

We increase the competitiveness of enterprises, growing their business.

We foster social and economic systems, promoting inclusive development.
OUR UNDERSTANDING OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

We adopt a systems approach to influence our processes and guide our actions in the design and delivery of interventions.

THE PRIVATE SECTOR AS A PARTNER

The private sector is the engine of economic growth, generating income and jobs. From the outset, Swisscontact works with the private sector to foster sustainable development and broad-based well-being in developing countries and emerging economies. Collaboration with the private sector enhances the impact and sustainability of our interventions. As the commitment by private firms focuses on a specific field of business, these interventions are replicable and scalable.
GLOBAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT 2022

SOURCE OF FUNDS
Return in CHF million

Swiss public donors/principals
- 2020: 60.7
- 2021: 67.9
- 2022: 69.0
- Return: 60% 67% 66%

International public donors/principals
- 2020: 18.6
- 2021: 16.5
- 2022: 15.5
- Return: 18% 16% 15%

Private donors/principals
- 2020: 21.7
- 2021: 17.6
- 2022: 20.1
- Return: 22% 17%
# GLOBAL RESULTS - 2022

## Skills

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<th>19.6 Million</th>
<th>CHF additional income generated for those who have benefited from skills development programmes</th>
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<td>23,081</td>
<td>People (49.8% women) who have found a job or started their own business</td>
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<td>127,458</td>
<td>People who have completed training programmes in skills development, entrepreneurship, and labor market insertion (46.2% women)</td>
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## Enterprise

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<th>330.6 Million</th>
<th>CHF additional income for farmers and SMEs</th>
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<td>31,871</td>
<td>New jobs created or saved</td>
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<td>3,798,238</td>
<td>Farmers and SMEs gained access to better products and services</td>
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SWISSCONTACT IN UGANDA

Strategic Priorities

Our ambition is to scale up our presence in sustainable agriculture and job creation/skilling. We continue to grow in the humanitarian development nexus and trade through an inclusive market systems approach and meaningful partnerships with local organisations.

THEMATIC AREAS

- Job Creation and Skilling
- Sustainable Agriculture
- Trade
- Humanitarian Development Nexus
UGANDA PROJECT PORTFOLIO

SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE

Project Name
Dynamic Market for Farmers – Sustainable Cocoa and Beekeeping
Uganda

Project Donors
Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC), Linsi Foundation, City of Zurich, Medicor Foundations, Canton of Baselland, among other donors

Project Duration
2021 - 2024

SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE

Project Name
Climate-smart Jobs

Implemented in consortium with Palladium International Ltd (Lead)

Project Donor
Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO)

Project Duration
2023 - 2026

TRADE

Project Name
Re-engineering Uganda’s Sanitary and Phytosanitary Inspection for Horticultural Exports (RUSH)

Project Donor
Global Alliance for Trade Facilitation
(Led by the Center for International Private Enterprise, the International Chamber of Commerce, and the World Economic Forum, in cooperation with Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit. Funded by governments of the United States, Canada and Germany)

Project Duration
2020 - 2023

HUMANITARIAN DEVELOPMENT NEXUS

Project Name
Building Resilience through Market-led Livelihood Opportunities (Uthabiti)

Implemented in consortium with Save the Children (Lead)

Project Donor
USAID

Project Duration
2022 - 2025
Overview of achievements in Uganda (2013 - 2022)

86,635
(35% female)

Participants reached with improved knowledge and skills, inputs, extension and advisory services, financial and market information.

58,000
(34% female)

Participants realised cumulative income increase of CHF 13.5 Million

STIMULATING INVESTMENT

Finance Mobilised (CHF)

For every 1 CHF we put into business cases, Swisscontact mobilized X28 from the public and private sectors with latter contributing 91%.
PARTNERSHIPS

157
Local Partners

Strategic Private Sector Partners

Implementing Partners

Public Sector
36 Memorandum of Understandings with District Authorities in Eastern, Central & Western Uganda
Financing Partners

- Mastercard Foundation
- USAID
- Foreign & Commonwealth Office
- World Economic Forum
- Swiss Confederation
- Linsi Foundation
- Hilti Foundation
- Ford Foundation
- Happel Foundation
- medicor foundation
- GIZ
- Stadt Zürich Finanzdepartement
- Esperanza
- Gebauer Stiftung
- Green Leaves Education Foundation
We create opportunities

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