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Technical Education for Rural Youth:

An opportunity for young people from rural areas which helps them to break the vicious circle of poverty.



The problem

In Bolivia, grow in up in a non-urban environment, in most of the cases, means being **excluded from opportunities** for quality technical education. As a result, most young people decide to migrate to urban centers in the country - out of necessity or curiosity - ending up without work or with only occasional shoddy jobs, condemn them to live at subsistence **level** or have not even that.

Technical Education for Rural Youth

Fundación Pueblo has set up a youth hostel in El Alto de La Paz, to give young people from remote rural areas the opportunity to attend a one-year technical training at a qualified private institute in La Paz.

where do they come from?

Herkunft, Alter und Schulbildung der Stipendiaten im Projektjahrgang 2010

Name	Heimatdorf	Departement und Landkreis	Alter (Jahre)	Schul- bildung
Agustín Jorge Zenteno	Falaucani	Potosí - Llallagua	19	Abitur
Javier Mitma Policarpio	Camani	Potosí – Llallagua	16	10.Schuljahr
Hernan Zenteno Mamani	Jachojo	Potosí - Llallagua	22	Abitur
Jaime Ticona Condori	Camani	Potosí - Llallagua	17	9.Schuljahr
Ivo Mitma Cucuna	Falaucani	Potosí - Llallagua	15	8.Schuljahr

The young people come from rural areas where we have implemented the **Virtual Boarding School.**

where do they come from?

Sinforiano Zenteno Mamani	Bigtata	Potosí - Llallagua	19	Abitur
Luis Reynaldo Quenallata Gonza	Huatahuaya	La Paz – Escoma (Provinz Camacho)	19	Abitur
Adolfo Machaca Huacani	Iquipuni	La Paz – Escoma (Provinz Camacho)	20	Abitur
Reynaldo Patzi Yana	Yuca	La Paz – Escoma (Provinz Camacho)	20	Abitur
Ismael Sebacollo	Pichu	La Paz - Yanacachi	17	11.Schuljahr

The young people come from rural areas of the **Northern of Potosi La Paz rural counties**

Components of the Technical Education for Rural Youth



Technical Education, shelter, family life, monitoring and control, nutrition, support the study and recreational activities are the **components of the project.**

Technical Education



Through a cooperation agreement signed with Aldeas Infantiles SOS, young people get their technical education in different fields.

Fields of the technical Education



Auto Mechanics, machine tools, leather, metalworking, carpentry...

Fields of the technical Education



Garment design and production, nursery education, administrative management assistance, Cooking and event planning, hairdressing and cosmetology, and baking and pastry.

Shelter and Family Life



Young people live as in a large family in the care of the Project Coordinator.

Monitoring and Control



The Coordinator controls and monitors the young and their parents are informed about their progress.

Nutrition



They receive meals in the "Future House" as a family.

Support the Study



They also receive additional classes, enabling them to **consolidate their knowledge** and learn crosscutting issues.

Recreational Activities



Recreational activities are important because they can **relax and learn more** about their country.

The class of 2010



During 2010, there were 10 young boys from Yanacachi, Llallagua and Escoma Counties.

The class of 2010 - Graduation



Nine of them graduated from **Auto Mechanics** and one from **machine tools**.

The class of 2010 – where are they now?



Hernán Zenteno continued studying to achieve higher technical on mechanics. Now he is working on a specialist mechanics workshop in El Alto City.



Agustín Jorge Zenteno is working on a mechanics workshop in Cochabamba City



Ivo Mitma Cucuma is working on a mechanics workshop in La Paz City

The class of 2010 – where are they now?



Reynaldo Patzi Yana is working on a mechanics workshop at his home town (Escoma), he is also in the cars business



Adolfo Machcaca Huacaci went to Argentina were he was working on sewing to save some money and being able to start up his own mechanics workshop.



Ismael Sebacollo went back to Yanacachi to end up his school studies. This year he is working on another field but he does assistance on mechanics on his community

The class of 2010 – where are they now?



Javier Mitma during the day he is working on a mechanics workshop, on the nights he is studying to finish his education



Jaime Ticona Mitma is working on the National Road Service driving the loader

The class of 2011



During 2011, there were 10 young girls from Yanacachi, Colquechaca and Palca Counties.

The class of 2011 - Graduation



Six of them graduated from **garment design and production** and five from **hairdressing and cosmetology**

The class of 2011 – where are they now?



María Acho Fernández since February she is working in the same enterprise where she did her internship and she is thinking on going to Argentina



Juana Choque she is working in Cochabamba city.



Plácida Condori she is currently working at a beauty salon in Cochabamba City.

The class of 2011 – where are they now?



Nohemí Quispe is working in the same enterprise where she did her internship and she is finishing her high school.



Martha Manuelo, She went back to her community to finish school.



Marisol Copa she is currently working at a beauty salon in Cochabamba City.

The class of 2011 – where are they now?



Maribel Zalles was working on Yanacachi City Hall as a secretary. Now she wants to start studies to become a nurse.



Nohemí Luna she is Brasil working in garment industry



Reyna Colque she is in Argentina at a sewing workshop.

The class of 2012



There are 11 young boys, 6 of them are studying garment design and production, 2 of them administrative management assistance, 2 of them baking and pastry and 1 hairdressing and cosmetology.

Project Costs

DETAIL	UNIT	COST	COST PER YOUNG
Staff		8.212	747
Food		7.064	642
Transportation		4.013	365
Extracurricular activities		3.306	301
maintenance		902	82
public services		1.258	114
Promotion and project supervision		446	41
Other costs		495	45
TOTAL COST PER YEAR	Euro	25.696	2.336

Project costs are calculated based on 11 young beneficiaries, each one contributes with 72 Euros per year from his parents pockets.

Thank you for your attention!

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