

The HEDERA Training Platform Facilitating virtual training and education

The spread of SARS-CoV-2 has turned our lives upside down, for example, forcing people to work from home and homeschool their children. This has greatly impacted the way organizations operate and has resulted in the cancellation of countless in-person meetings, trainings, workshops, and conferences. To help NGOs focused on sustainable development and committed to supporting their communities address this issue, HEDERA is offering the HEDERA Training Platform for free as a contribution during this crisis.

The HEDERA Training Platform enables trainers/teachers to create and manage their own content, track participation, and interact directly with the trainees/students. You can upload all kinds of multimedia, create surveys, forums, exercises, etc., and conduct webinars and virtual classes. The platform is available in English, Spanish, German, and French. HEDERA provides support in the initiation and creation of new courses, activation of user accounts, enrolment of users in courses, and assistance in using the training/teaching tools on the platform.

Our objective is to increase efficiency in training delivery and capacity building, enabling organizations with remote rural offices to quickly and effectively train their employees. Additionally, they can receive trainings from investors and technical assistance partners, ensuring greater impact through the train-the-trainer approach. This type of virtual platform is especially needed at this time, when people are unable to travel and have to work remotely. It can also be used as an e-learning tool by teachers and people homeschooling their children.

HEDERA is a Berlin-based start-up enterprise focused on developing digital solutions for sustainable development. In addition to the training platform, HEDERA has developed an impact assessment toolkit (HEDERA Impact Toolkit) for organizations that want to identify and track their clients' needs in terms of basic services, and the HEDERA connect networking platform for professionals in the inclusive finance sector. We believe that cost-effective, easy-to-use digital solutions are crucial to scaling up development initiatives around the world, and education and training are the foundation of development.

Interested organizations can contact us directly at contact@hedera.online to schedule a call to discuss and get access to the platform. Usage of the platform is free for NGOs in developing countries until September 30, 2020. We hope that it will be helpful during this time of crisis.

For more information, please visit: <https://training.hedera.online/>.