

Dear MGG colleagues and friends,

in our letter of 28 July to you, we informed about important changes in the programme "Managing Global Governance" (MGG). A key innovation announced there refers to the new training format for young professionals from governmental organisations and policy-oriented think tanks in one region or sub-region in close cooperation with MGG partners from that particular area.

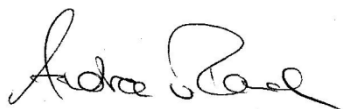
To explore the possibilities of such regional formats, the Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) has provided funds for one pilot next year. Depending on the outcome and future funding possibilities, similar training courses could be offered in the same region and/or other regions in the years after 2011.

Guided by the responses received from our MGG partners so far and by practical circumstances, InWEnt and DIE have selected one country from each of the continents participating in MGG, namely Indonesia, Mexico and South Africa.

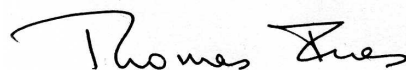
All MGG partners in these countries will be invited, by separate communication, to submit proposals for the pilot format. Out of these, one proposal will be chosen to be further elaborated between the partner(s), InWEnt and DIE with the aim of implementation in 2011.

We ask all partners from countries not included in this initial round for their kind understanding. As indicated, most likely there will be future opportunities beyond 2011. And we invite you all to explore other areas of collaboration within the MGG network, such a joint research and mutual exchanges.

With warm regards



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