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Annual Report 2016

The ILO's Impact Insurance Facility is proud to present its Annual Report 2016! The report highlights our achievements over the past year, such as our new innovation projects, our Fellowship Programme and our increased capacity building activities.

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KNOWLEDGE UPDATE

The Facility blog: new posts!

Make sure to follow the Facility's blog on Medium. Our colleagues and experts in the industry regularly contribute to this new platform. See, for example, our Fellow Cedric Roux's post on [financial exclusion](#) among those employed in the informal sector in Côte d'Ivoire. Or Thea Anderson of Mercy Corps writing on the impact of [inclusive finance in fragile states](#). The most recent contribution comes from our colleague Camyla Fonseca, writing on [teachable moments](#) to increase understanding of insurance.

Emerging Insight: Boosting capacity in Senegal

Our latest Emerging Insight looks at one of the Facility's local training institutes. The Centre Professionnel de Formation à l'Assurance (CPFA) in Senegal is one of several partners which help to build capacity of insurance providers.

GSMA: State of the industry report on mobile money

GSMA has released its "State of the industry" report, covering a decade of impressive development in the mobile money industry. Industry lessons, impact and future developments are all included in this comprehensive publication.

FSD Zambia: Financial Diaries

The Zambia Financial Diaries report is now available. A team of field workers tracked 355 people for a year in four provinces in Zambia. The report offers insights into low-income households' use of informal financial services.

NEWS FLASH

"Making inclusive insurance work" webinar series: Agriculture and climate risks

Join us for the fifth webinar in the "Making inclusive insurance work" series with the UN Environment Principles for Sustainable Insurance (UNEP-PSI) Initiative. The upcoming session, taking place on April 11th, will focus on agriculture and climate risks!

"Making inclusive insurance work" webinar series: SMEs and value chains – recording now available

Do you want to catch up with our webinar series on "Making inclusive insurance work"? You can now go to our website and check out our latest session on SMEs and value chains.

Successful microinsurance starts with having the right mindset

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First Mobile Insurance Conference

The Facility in partnership with AFD and FSDA



Webinar on improving claims

Upcoming training: Providing insurance responsibly in Lagos, Nigeria (April 20-21)

Are you based in Nigeria and interested to learn more about responsible insurance? You're in luck! We'll be organizing our next training in Lagos on April 20-21, together with our partners AfricaRe and GIZ. For a full overview of this and other upcoming trainings, go to our page: [The Facility at your doorstep](#).

Microfinance Gateway webinar series announced

The Microfinance Gateway is hosting a series of webinars on risk management for financial inclusion. A kick-off session was held on March 22 and the next webinar will be held on April 5, focusing on approaches to risk management assessments for consultants.

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