

Training of Trainers in Microfinance

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An INAFI-INDIA Initiative

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Microfinance has been recognised globally as a powerful instrument to reduce poverty. Development sector has witnessed many microfinance programmes in India with significant contributions from Government, banks and NGOs. The SHG bank linkage programme has demonstrated a new and viable way of banking with poor and the linkage program is gathering rapid momentum in India. Although mainstream financial institutes do provide microfinance services, the initiatives and involvement of NGOs triggered impressive growth of the sector. In fact, NGOs have emerged as the key facilitators to mainstream financial institutions for providing the financial services. MFIs are also now emerging and extending the financial services to poor where the banks are not responding. The exponential growth of the microfinance sector brought concerns about the quality of the program and also the inadequacy capacities of the NGOs to the fore.

Building Human Resource for managing the microfinance programs is very critical for sustaining the quality over long terms. Building the perspectives of the professionals not just on purely financial aspects but also in terms of holistic development aspects for poverty reduction is the major challenge faced in the capacity building by the NGOs.

INAFI INDIA, a network of development NGOs in India is actively involved in building capacity of the member organizations through several training programmes, exposure visits and other capacity building programmes. As part of the mandate for the capacity building, INAFI is taking the initiative in organizing a training programme for the training professionals from its member organisations to build the capacity of internal training systems in their organisations at Hyderabad from April 9-13, 2007

Objectives of the programme

- ❖ To build perspectives and enhance the clarity of the training professionals of member organizations about Microfinance sector
- ❖ To expose the participants to different training pedagogy in Microfinance context
- ❖ To build the skills for designing training programmes relevant for their context.
- ❖ To enrich the content and knowledge of the participants
- ❖ To provide necessary training inputs to participants on financial products

The program has broadly the following seven modules to meet the objectives of the TOT

- ⤴ Training pedagogy for microfinance
- ⤴ Designing training programs in microfinance context
- ⤴ Microfinance models and structural issues
- ⤴ People's organisations and networking
- ⤴ Financial services, products and management
- ⤴ Financial systems
- ⤴ Perspective building

Participants

Professionals/Senior Executives of INAFI member organisations across the country.

Venue

JEEVAN JOTHI RETREAT HOUSE

Training Centre

Opp. Shoppers Shop

Chikkuttu Garden

Begumpet

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