

## Hunger Aid Uganda

A new project under the umbrella of Lernen Helfen Leben e.V. (LHL)

The project Hunger Aid Africa has been in preparation for about one year and has been conducted to the active phase, which started in November 2020.

Potential donors need to understand that for people who live in poverty the costs of fuelwood exceed those of food. For this reason, the main target of the project is the reduction of fuel costs. Eventually, this will lead to hunger aid as well and to a reduction of exposure to toxic emissions.

In Kampala, the Economic Sciences student Esther Nattabi founded and registered the social enterprise UGwal Clean Energy Ltd. (Registration No. 80020002723826, TIN No. 1017319265). She has many years of experience as a tinsmith and workshop leader at Awamu Biomass Energy Ltd.

The main project focuses are

1. Production, presentation and dissemination of fireless cookers (insulated baskets)
2. Production, presentation and dissemination of energy efficient stoves
3. Production and dissemination of briquettes made only of waste materials
4. Conception of solar technical items, such as solar food dryers
5. Refugees aid in the settlements along the border to South Sudan. There already is a close co-operation with Ugandan and international organizations, e.g. the Red Cross.

As a first step, the donations will be used to expand the already existing workshop. Later the funds will be spent to boost already implemented programs, e.g. presentations, workshops, educational events, etc. They will be operated independently until the end of 2023 in order to ease the burden of poor people by significantly decreasing their energy expenditures. Simultaneously, this will create opportunities to start income-generating projects thus strengthening women empowerment.

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