

Skill Development Initiatives of UNHCR

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Objective:

Skill Development

Improve resilience and economic empowerment of Rohingya refugees through skills development in camp-based activities in preparation for eventually voluntary repatriation and sustainable reintegration, where applicable, in alliance with Myanmar's skill development systems

Initiatives since 2019:

- Developed skills of more than 1,200 women on hand embroidery, sewing, production of female hygiene materials, production of tote (jute) bag, etc.
- 1,000 women are engaged in wage employment and earning based on volunteer payment rate.

New initiative in 2021

- 50 youth will be trained on different technical skills (e.g. masonry, solar panel repairing, solar lamp production, carpentry) in camp.

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Future Initiative

- In the process of developing a 30-months project proposal on skill development funding from Global Affairs Canada (GAC)
- ILO is the administrative agency as well as lead agency for host community; UNHCR will be the lead in camps; BRAC as implementing agency for both the host and refugees with other partner of UNHCR in camp. Other UN organizations will join the project.





Thank You