

Brief Description of the Rule of Law Foundation's Partnership Model, Selection System, and Follow-up Routines

Partnership Model:

The Rule of Law Foundation operates within a robust partnership model designed to enhance collaboration and maximize impact, especially critical during times of conflict such as the ongoing war in Ukraine. Our model emphasizes mutual respect, shared goals, and complementary strengths to address the multifaceted challenges we face.

System for Selecting Partners:

Needs Assessment: We begin by identifying the specific needs and objectives of our projects. This involves a thorough analysis of the current situation, considering the unique challenges posed by the war in Ukraine.

Criteria Development: We establish clear criteria for partner selection, focusing on their expertise, reliability, and alignment with our mission. Criteria include:

Proven track record in similar projects

Strong organizational capacity

Commitment to transparency and accountability

Shared values and goals, particularly in promoting justice and the rule of law

Identification and Outreach: Potential partners are identified through a combination of market research, networking, and recommendations. We actively seek out organizations with a strong local presence and deep understanding of the context in Ukraine.

Evaluation and Due Diligence: Each potential partner undergoes a rigorous evaluation process, including background checks, financial assessments, and capacity evaluations. This ensures they can meet the demands of the partnership, especially under the challenging conditions of an active conflict zone.

Routines for Following Up Partners:

Regular Communication: We maintain open and frequent communication with our partners to ensure alignment and address any emerging issues promptly. This includes regular meetings, progress reports, and updates on the situation on the ground.

Monitoring and Evaluation: Continuous monitoring and evaluation are integral to our partnership management. We track the progress of joint projects against predefined indicators and milestones. This helps us assess effectiveness, identify areas for improvement, and ensure that resources are used efficiently.

Capacity Building: Recognizing the additional strain placed on organizations during wartime, we invest in building the capacity of our partners. This includes training, technical support, and resources to enhance their operational effectiveness.

Risk Management: Given the heightened risks associated with operating in a conflict zone, we have developed comprehensive risk management strategies. These include contingency planning, security protocols, and regular risk assessments to protect both our staff and our partners.

Feedback Mechanisms: We have established feedback mechanisms to gather input from our partners. This ensures that their perspectives and experiences inform our ongoing collaboration and help us adapt to changing circumstances.

Impact and Adaptation:

Our partnership model is designed to be flexible and responsive to the rapidly changing environment in Ukraine. By fostering strong, resilient partnerships, we can continue to support the rule of law and deliver critical services to those most in need, even in the face of significant challenges.

The Rule of Law Foundation remains committed to working closely with our partners to uphold justice and protect human rights during these difficult times. Our collaborative efforts are more crucial than ever in ensuring a positive impact and advancing our mission.

For further details or specific examples of our partnership practices, please feel free to contact us.