

## Mejorando la Educación para Trabajar, Aprender, y Superarse

### *Improving Education for Work, Learning and Success*

#### Purpose

Proyecto METAS, an EQUIP3 Associate Award, will enable at-risk youth in Honduras to gain access to up-to-date basic education and technical training delivery systems that will allow them to meet the changing needs of private sector employers.

#### Activities

- 1) Establish alliances with local institutions to enhance initiatives targeting marginalized youth for enrollment in basic education, technical training, and other youth development programs;
- 2) Provide technical assistance to Honduran alternative education programs to increase access to high-quality, post-primary education for out-of-school youth and young adults;
- 3) Help technical high schools and training programs upgrade and implement basic education or technical training curricula to meet private sector needs;
- 4) Establish private sector alliances to help promote and maintain employment opportunities for youth.

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*METAS works with and for youth in Honduras. We partner with all sectors of society to empower at-risk youth and generate access to high-quality learning and livelihood opportunities.*

— Gustavo Payan, Project Director,  
Proyecto METAS

#### Guiding Principles

- Value and build upon the assets of youth.
- Emphasis on the formation of alliances for all project components within the various sectors of government and community organizations.
- Adherence to an adaptive management approach with the capacity to adjust strategies and activities based on project needs.
- Application of a coordinated Monitoring and Evaluation Plan where indicators are results-oriented.

#### EQUIP3 Consortium

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