

MCC Finance, Investment and Trade Open House

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Millennium Challenge Corporation

875 Fifteenth Street NW, Washington, DC

8:30 am - 5:30 pm

<p>MCC's Finance, Investment & Trade Open House will highlight the agency's investment focus for 2013 and opportunities in Africa, Southeast Asia, Eurasia, and Latin America.</p>	
8:30 – 9:30 am	<p>Registration and Continental Breakfast</p> <p>MCC staff will be available for introduction and networking.</p>
9:30 – 9:45 am	<p>Opening Remarks</p> <p>Carl Sangree, Head, MCC Finance, Investment and Trade Group</p>
9:45 – 10:30 am	<p>These sessions highlight different ways in which MCC has recently partnered with private sector firms.</p> <p><i>Public-Private Partnerships.</i> Each of the following presentations illustrates the types of public-private partnerships MCC supports.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As-Samra Wastewater Treatment Plant Expansion Project, Jordan Tom Langford, Advisor, Consolidated Contractors Company • Rural Electrification Project, El Salvador Andrew Vesey, EVP and Chief Operating Officer, The AES Corporation, • Wind Power Park, Mongolia B. Byambasaikhan, Chief Executive Officer, Newcom Group
10:30 – 10:45 am	<p>Coffee Break</p>
10:45 – 12:00 pm	<p><i>Strategic Partnerships and Co-Investments.</i> Each of the following presentations illustrates the types of strategic partnerships MCC supports.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Georgia Regional Development Fund (GRDF), Republic of Georgia Bert van der Vaart, Chief Executive Officer, Small Enterprise Assistance Funds (SEAF) • Electric Transmission and Distribution Project, Tanzania Ken Flechler, Vice President, Pike Electric Corporation • Vaccine Distribution Program, Mongolia Joan Benson, Executive Director, International Programs and Partnerships, Merck
12:00 – 1:00 pm	<p>Lunch</p>

1:00 – 2:30 pm	<p><i>Breakout Groups.</i> Breakout groups will highlight MCC project priorities in 2013, focus on upcoming opportunities for partners and co-investors, and preview new data collected through MCC activities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Energy / Water • Agribusiness • Health / Education / Technology
2:30 – 2:45 pm	Coffee Break
2:45 – 3:30 pm	<p><i>MCC's Model</i></p> <p>Sarah Lucas, Director, Department of Policy & Evaluation, will lead a panel discussion with MCC staff on the compact development process.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Country Scoring & Selection • Initial Analysis – Identify Constraints, then Projects that Address Constraints • Project Development • Program Implementation • Data-Based Country Selection
3:30 – 4:00 pm	<p><i>Newly Selected Compact and Threshold Countries.</i> A first look at Liberia, Morocco, Niger, Sierra Leone, Tanzania, and Guatemala.</p> <p>MCC's Deputy Vice President for West Africa, Jonathan Bloom, will discuss new MCC partner countries.</p>
4:00 – 4:15 pm	<p>CEO Closing Remarks</p> <p>Daniel Yohannes, Chief Executive Officer, MCC</p>
4:15 – 5:30 pm	Reception