

Arab Women’s Entrepreneurship Program (AWEP)

Are you a woman about to start a business? Have you just started a business?



Apply now to qualify for a fully-funded training program designed to help you successfully launch or grow your business!

15 Days of training on business skills, conducted in Arabic

- What makes a successful entrepreneur
- How to register a business in Lebanon
- How to fund a new business or business growth
- How to assess risk and feasibility
- Strategic planning
- Accounting and cash flow
- Customer service
- Sales skills

Training

Mentorship

Group support

Develop a business plan

Network with business funders

Successful women guest speakers



Join these women in Lebanon who joined AWEP in 2011 and 2012!

The Arab Women’s Entrepreneurship Program (AWEP) is a Citi Foundation-funded initiative, implemented by AMIDEAST in Egypt, Jordan, Lebanon, and Morocco. In each country 20 women will compete to be selected to participate in the program.

Training Dates and Times:

Tuesday, November 26 & Friday, November 29
Tuesday, December 3 & Friday, December 6
Tuesday, December 10 & Friday, December 13
Tuesday, December 17 & Friday, December 20
Tuesday, January 7 & Friday, January 10
Friday, January 17 & Saturday, January 18
Friday, January 24 & Saturday, January 25
Friday, January 31

All sessions to run from 10:30 am – 4:30 pm

In addition, during the period of February – August, 2014, monthly half-day meetings as well as two full-day training sessions will take place on Saturdays.

Location:

A hotel conference room in Beirut
Venue to be confirmed

Application:

To apply, complete the application form in either Arabic or English and submit your completed application:

Via fax to fax number: 01-989901, ext. 100

Via email to: ajerab@amideast.org

In person at: AMIDEAST, Bazerkan Building, Riad El Solh, Nijmeh Square, Downtown Beirut

Deadline to submit completed applications: November 11, 2013

For Additional Information:

Contact Allyson Jerab AMIDEAST/Lebanon, tel. 01-989901, ext. 234, email ajerab@amideast.org

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