



ANNUAL HIGHLIGHTS 2014

Special Talent Exchange Program

Initiatives of STEP for Implementation of UN Convention on the Right of Persons with Disabilities (UNCRPD) in Pakistan



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WOMEN WITH DISABILITIES

15 people Including Persons with Disabilities Participated in Ministerial Conference on Beijing +20 Review Asia Pacific by UNESCAP September 3-4, 2014 | Bangkok, Thailand



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AWARENESS RAISING

Observance of International Day of Persons with Disabilities December 3, 2014 | Islamabad, Pakistan



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Observance of International Day of Women March 8, 2014 | Islamabad, Pakistan



Development of Training Manual for Training of Trainers for implementation and monitoring of UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

July 2014 | Pakistan

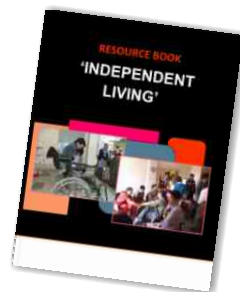


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Development of Resource Book on Independent Living.

April 2014 | Pakistan



Development of training manual on Leadership of Women with Disabilities and Training in Bangkok November 2014 | Bangkok



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Session on Understanding Diversity at Young Leaders Conference by School of Leadership in Karachi 2014 | Karachi, Pakistan



Awareness Raising through TV Talk Shows 2014 | Pakistan



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ACCESSIBILITY

**Contributed and in Technical Thematic Session Human Rights
to Sanitation (Inclusion & Equity)
December, 2014 | Islamabad, Pakistan**



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**SITUATIONS OF RISK
AND HUMANITARIAN
EMERGENCIES**

Implemented one year Project on Disability Inclusive Disaster Risk Reduction in Swat and Jhung

2014-15 | Pakistan



**Malteser
International**
Order of Malta Worldwide Relief



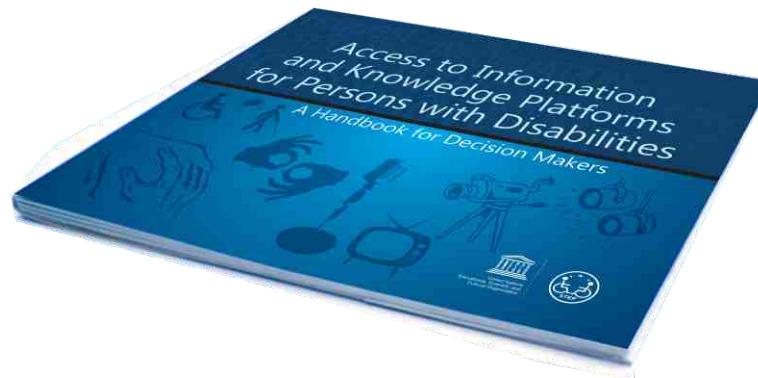
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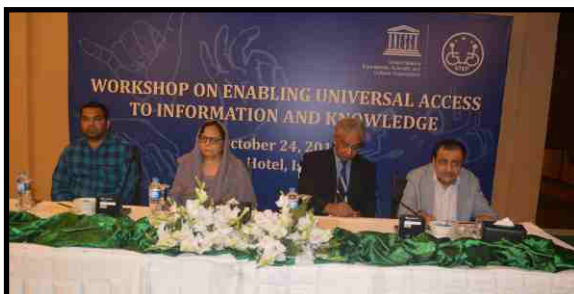
**FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION
AND OPINION, AND ACCESS
TO INFORMATION**

Training of Media representatives on Accessibility of Information and Knowledge Platforms for persons with disabilities and development of Hand Book for decision makers

24 November, 2014 | Islamabad, Pakistan



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Educational, Scientific and
Cultural Organization



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WORK AND EMPLOYMENT

**30 Persons with Disabilities got Jobs in Corporate sector
under STEP-Telenor Pakistan Open Mind Program
2014 | Pakistan**



Web portal of Employment Exchange for persons with disabilities established (Disability Job Center)

2014 | Pakistan



<http://www.disabilityjobcenter.pk>



Disability Inclusive Vocational Training Center for Women “Aghaz” established in sub-urban area adjacent to Islamabad established 2014 | Pakistan



Mobile Repairing Lab established at NTCSP Under STEP-Telenor Pakistan Collaboration June 2014 | Islamabad, Pakistan



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**PARTICIPATION IN POLITICAL
AND PUBLIC LIFE**

Conference on the Inclusion of Persons with disabilities in the Electoral Processes September 3-4, 2014 | Islamabad, Pakistan June 2014 | Islamabad, Pakistan



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**PARTICIPATION IN CULTURAL
LIFE, RECREATION, LEISURE
AND SPORT**

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**A delegation of 10 Women with Disabilities and 5 women from different sectors including Government attended Pakistan-US Leadership Exchange Program for Women with Disabilities in United States
June 2014 | Islamabad, Pakistan**



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**STATISTICS AND DATA
COLLECTION**

Contribution in the Research study Disability and development by British Council “Moving from the Margins’

December 2014 | Islamabad, Pakistan



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**INTERNATIONAL
COOPERATION**

Representation in first session of the Working Group on the Asian and Pacific Decade of Persons with Disabilities, 2013-2022 in Korea 2014 | Bangkok, Pakistan



