

Panelist

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Since July 2020 Mr. Lars Fiechel is heading the Sustainable Training and Education Programme in Ethiopia, funded by BMZ and co-finance by the European Union and the Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, implemented by GIZ.

The programme intends to promote cooperative training models in several business sectors and also bridge gaps between education and employment. He also acts as Cluster Coordinator for GIZ's Skills Development Cluster in Ethiopia.

Prior to his engagement in Ethiopia, Mr. Fiechel was leading a project on dual system enhancement in Egypt from 2016 onwards. Between 2010 and 2016, he was a member of a college project in Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, which was training young Saudis to become vocational trainers and teachers, implemented by GIZ International Services. He headed the department of vocational pedagogy in this college.

Mr. Fiechel holds an M.A. equivalent degree as a state-examined vocational teacher in Germany and is a trained carpenter from the German dual system.