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New News:

We are pleased to welcome a new Analyst to our roster, Reid Sassman, to add to our Washington, DC presence. For his bio and more on our collaborations, visit www.socialenterprise.net/about

Congratulations to former Junior Associate, Adam Stepanovic, on his new position at Perkins School for the Blind as a Project Officer in International Programs

Microfinance Reporting Standards Initiative - We need your input!

Social Enterprise Associates is lead facilitator for a feedback forum for microfinance stakeholders. Participate in Español, Français, and Arabic.

Current Engagements and Contributions:



Drew Tulchin recently traveled to Afghanistan for a USAID ARIES project for AED. He facilitated a workshop on financing small and medium businesses and growing the sector. He also supported the economy by buying some nice carpets.

Jessica Shortall and **Karen Borchert** led a full strategy review for Organic Exchange, a ground-breaking NGO committed to creating and driving the

commercial market for organic cotton products and increasing sustainability in fabrics. The analysis catalyzed organizational growth and prioritized new market opportunities.



New Publications:

We continue to build an online library of free publications to spread knowledge gained through our projects. Free downloads include:

- Conservation Letters: Environmental Mortgages - co-authored by Drew Tulchin
- MFI Reporting Standards Proceedings from online discussions on MicroLINKS
- USAID South Africa Financial Services Program for Chemonics

Travel Blogs:

New entries posted from around the world.

New Entries:

- Changing Farming Practices in Nicaragua - Rachel Lindsay/Sostenica
 - Colombia Chronicles - Reid Sassman
 - Health Program in the Congo - Good Shepherd Hospital
- Earn fame and fortune. Submit your own travel-blog. Blogs highlight projects in international development, entrepreneurship, and volunteer efforts.



Short Takes:

Thanks to Summer Intern

Lena Gaviria from Brown for her good work!

We are pleased to announce that managing partner Drew Tulchin is recently engaged to Jamie Blosser. Congratulations, Drew & Jamie!

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Coming Events:

Santa Fe Alliance
9/29 Santa Fe, NM 6-8pm
Santa Fe Complex

Presentation and Open Conversation with Drew Tulchin:
Making Business Compatible with Social Betterment

ProDesarrollo,
10/12-16 Oaxaca, Mexico

Conducting microfinance training on financial reporting, ratios, and FRAME tool

Net Impact National Conference
11/13-14 Ithaca, NY

Presentation on social impact measurement and sharing updates on our SROI project for NHPS a Delaware based public health foundation, in partnership with SVT Group

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