AGFUND INTERNATIONAL PRIZE 2018 END OF POVERTY IN ALL ITS FORMS EVERYWHERE

The <u>Arab Gulf Programme for Development AGFUND</u> announces the first goal of the SDGs 2030 *End of poverty in all its forms everywhere* as subject for the 2018 AGFUND International Prize 2018.

AGFUND invites the United Nations, international and regional organizations, ministries and public institutions, social business enterprises, national NGOs, individuals and development actors worldwide to submit nominations.

The projects that best contribute to achieving one or more of the targets of the first Sustainable Development Goal 2030 *End of poverty in all its forms everywhere* shall be eligible to compete for AGFUND Prize 2018 that amounts to US\$1,000,000. In particular, the Prize covers the four categories as follows:

- First category prize (US\$ 400,000) for projects implemented by UN agencies or international and regional NGOs;
- Second category prize (US\$ 300,000) for projects implemented by national NGOs;
- Third category prize (US\$ 200,000) specified for projects implemented by governmental bodies (ministries and public institutions) or social business enterprises;
- Fourth category prize (US\$ 100,000) for projects initiated, funded and/or implemented by individuals.

The deadline for receiving nominations is November 30, 2018.



AGFUND International Prize for Pioneering Human Development Projects was established in 1999 by the Arab Gulf Programme for Development (AGFUND), with the aim of inciting and encouraging innovation and creativity in the areas of human development. The idea of the Prize was stemmed from AGFUND's approach to enhance development performance and support key development projects in order to achieve the goal of sustainability and investment in people. The number of the projects nominated for the Prize since 1999 until 2017 totaled 1448 projects. In the AGFUND website information is available on the <u>Winners of the International Prizes</u>.

To know more and participate

AGFUND 2018 International Prize

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Nomination Form

AGFUND Prize in OpportunityDesk.org