

IRU Connected

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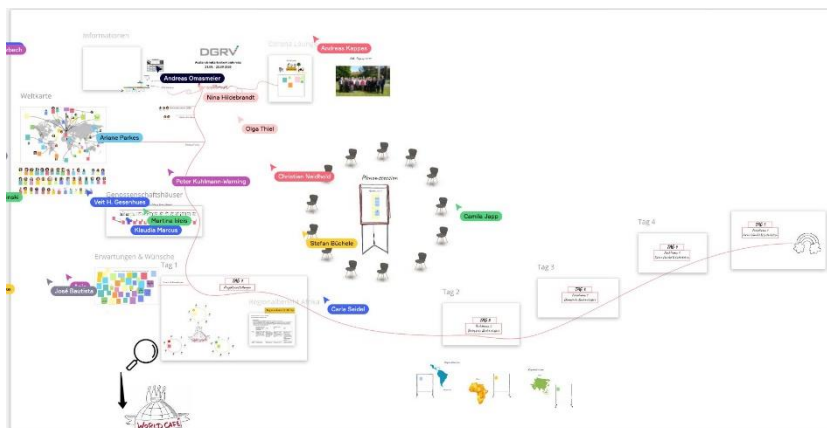
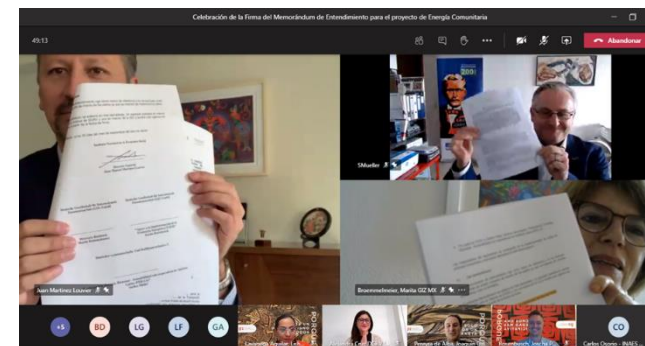
Our latest breaking news is ...

... DGRV goes digital



e.g. Virtual General Assembly, Digital Audits

Digital training & consulting in project work

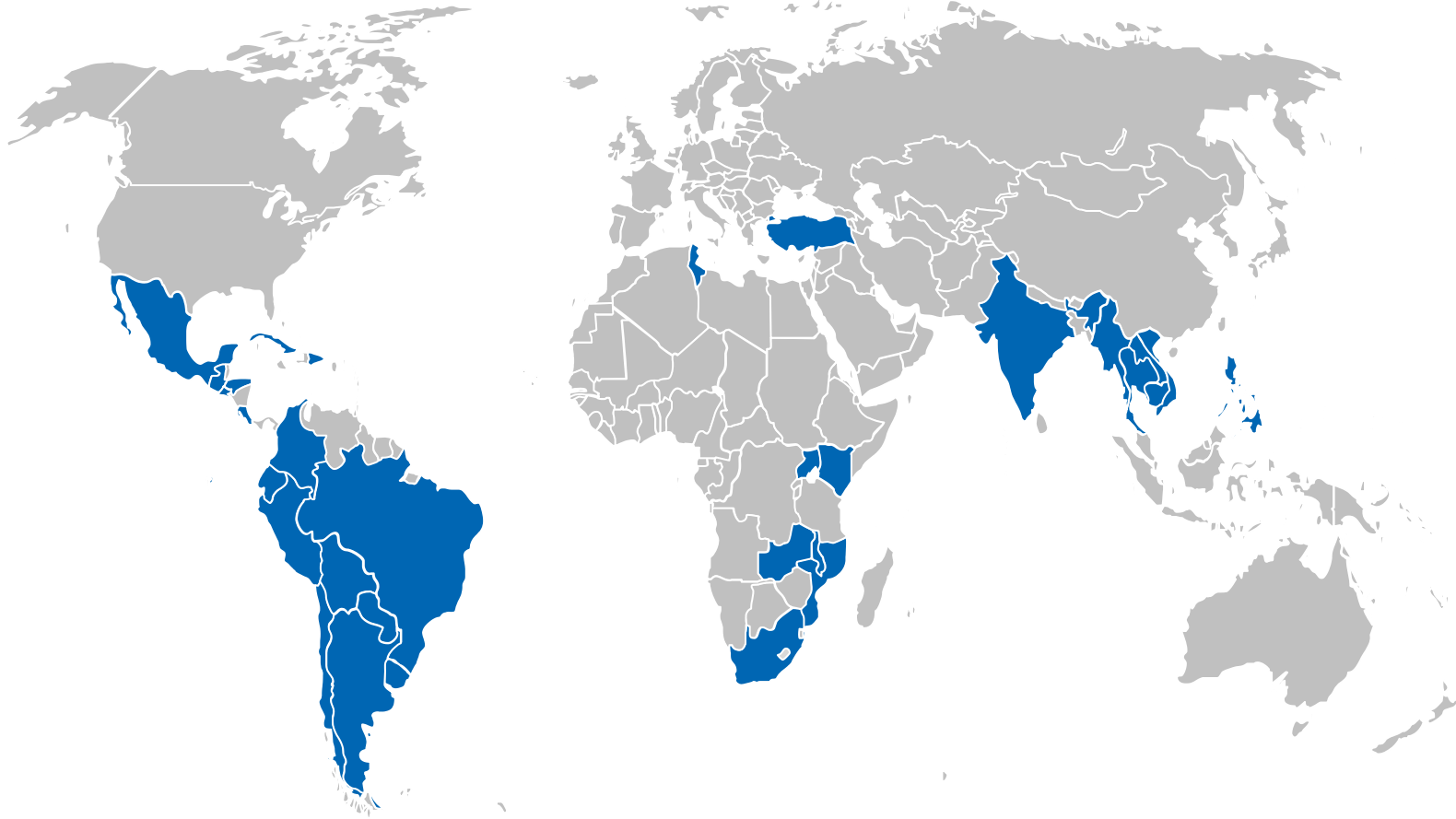


Virtual staff conference & use of digital tools

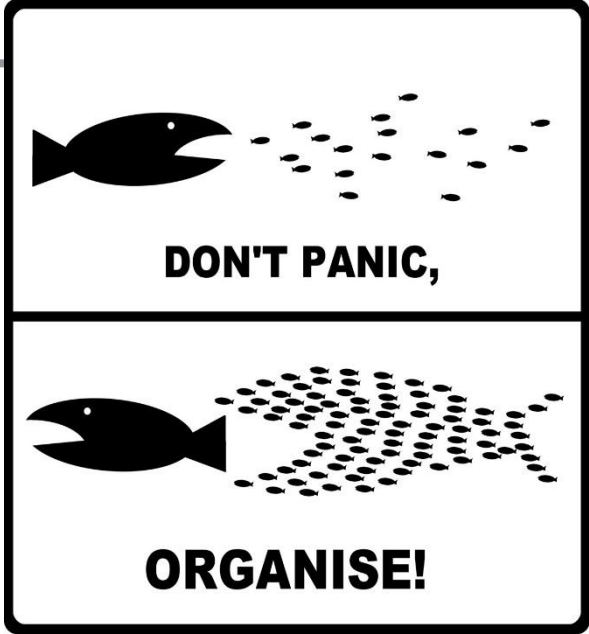
Description & Figures

- **Creation of member organisation:** 1972 – cooperatives have 160 years tradition
- **# of staff:** 95, 17 employees in AIB, 115 project staff worldwide
- **Web:** www.dgrv.de / www.dgrv.coop
- **Services:** Audit / Training / Consultancy
- **Strategic objective & target group(s):** Promotion and strengthening of the co-operative movement and the cooperative audit
 - **International (AIB):** Promotion of sustainable, entrepreneurially self-sustaining cooperatives and network structures in partner countries
- **Countries / Regions active:** 15 project offices; active in 16 countries
 - Main **regions/countries** of development activities: Latin / Central America – Africa – Asia;

Countries of Development Activities



Current Situation



Cooperation with IRU Members

- **ACCU – Association of Asian Confederation of Credit Unions**
- **FECOPROD Paraguay**
- **CERA**
- **ÖRV – Austrian Raiffeisen Association**
- **Raiffeisen Südtirol**
- **Caja Popular Mexicana**
- **IRU Working Group**
- **Cooperatives Europe (Development Platform)**



What does IRU mean to you?

- What does IRU **mean** to us:
 - Strong focus on our cooperative principles through a worldwide network and exchange
 - Exchange with like-minded cooperative organisations on working level
 - Our „Spirit“ → Cooperative entrepreneurial idea based on the Raiffeisen Principles

Added Value

- Which **added value** do we see in an IRU membership?
 - „Raiffeisen Today“ → How do we jointly implement the Raiffeisen principles under today's challenges?
 - Platform for networking and exchange
 - Dialogue Forum
- Use the possibilities of IRU more often!

Expectations

- What are DGRV' **expectations** from an IRU membership?
 - Exchange of experience / know-how / tools between members
 - Joint (training) materials → „Raiffeisen Ambassador“
 - Joint learning platform
 - Joint projects / events
 - Pooling of resources

Let's exchange!



Thank you very much!

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