MTB MLE Curriculum & Instructional Materials Development training II (LMD-2) Islamabad, May 2012

Main goal

The main goal of training event was to enable the language group to start working on their L1 primer, review the two-track method, especially understand the accuracy track (primer)

Facilitators from FLI

Naseem Haider, Training Coordinator, and Muhammad Zaman, Language Development Consultant.

Participants

12 people from three language groups participated in this workshop:

Hindko [hno]	Indus Kohistani [mvy]	Khowar [khw]
4 people	4 people	4 people
Raja Tasawar (C)	Talib Jan (C)	Farid Ahmad Raza (C)
Raja Wasal Ahmed	Fazal Haq	Gul Muhammad Shami
Arshad Ali	Kifayat Ullah	Akbar Ali Atif
Nasir Ahmad	Mutabar Shah Rashid	Atta Hussain

Executive summary

This was the 2nd in the series of workshops on curriculum and instructional materials development for the newly established MLE projects. The workshop scheduled a 6-day from April 30 to 4 May in Islamabad. Each language group participated individually for two days. None of the language groups could complete the tasks from the previous workshop, especially the frequency count of letters and functors, LNA, etc. For this reason, they spent a lot of time working on that during this workshop. Indus Kohistani spent a good amount of time on letter frequency count as they had only used two short texts. All language groups still had some issues to resolve regarding their LNA survey results.

In general, all language groups liked the individual sessions. Most of the participants mentioned that now they understood and where they have to go now. One new member joined Hindko language group in place of one trained member.

Due to the death of the mentor of the Shina language group and immaturity of their MLE team, they dropped out from FLI's training and will not be able to continue.