



Company Profile

HORN-UNIQUE CONSULTING GROUP INC



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WELCOME FROM US

On behalf of the partners, researchers, and consultants at Horn-Unique Consulting Group Inc. (HCG), we welcome you to our company profile. We appreciate your interest in our work and invite you to explore how we support development, governance, and private sector initiatives across the Horn of Africa.

Our work is centered on providing the objective research and structured strategy required to address complex regional challenges. We believe that sustainable development and economic growth rely on accurate information and tailored execution. Whether you represent a development partner, a public institution, or a private enterprise, we are committed to collaborating with you to achieve meaningful, lasting progress.



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We Are
HORN-UNIQUE
CONSULTING

ABOUT *HORN-UNIQUE*

Horn-Unique Consulting Group Inc. (HCG) is a Somalia-based research, advisory, and strategic consulting firm providing evidence-driven solutions across the Horn of Africa. The firm specializes in supporting governments, development agencies, NGOs, and private sector institutions operating in complex and rapidly evolving environments.

HCG combines local expertise with international consulting standards to deliver high-quality research, policy analysis, institutional advisory services, monitoring and evaluation, strategic planning, and capacity development.

By bridging field realities with strategic decision-making, the firm helps clients design practical solutions, strengthen governance systems, improve program performance, and drive sustainable socio-economic development.

With a strong understanding of the regional context, HCG is committed to professionalism, innovation, integrity, and impact—transforming data and knowledge into actionable strategies that create measurable results for communities and institutions across the region.

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VISION, MISSION & CORE VALUES



Our Vision

To be a trusted research and strategic advisory partner in the Horn of Africa, recognized for analytical rigor, local insight, and sustainable impact.



Our Mission

To provide high-quality research, objective policy analysis, and strategic consulting services that empower institutions, businesses, and communities to make informed decisions and achieve resilient growth.

Core Value



Excellent

We strive for the highest standards in research, analysis, and advisory services, continuously improving our methods to ensure quality outputs and meaningful impact for our clients and stakeholders.



Integrity

We operate with strong ethical principles, ensuring honesty, transparency, and accountability in every stage of our work. From data collection to reporting and client engagement, we maintain trust as a core foundation of our practice.



Objectivity

Our analysis and findings are strictly evidence-based, derived from verified field data and reliable sources. We ensure independence in our assessments, free from bias, political influence, or predetermined conclusions.



Respect

We recognize and honor the dignity, culture, and rights of all communities we engage with. Our work is guided by inclusivity and the "Do No Harm" principle, ensuring sensitivity in all contexts of operation.



Practicality

We focus on delivering realistic and implementable recommendations that reflect local realities. Our solutions are designed to be actionable, sustainable, and adaptable within the socio-economic and institutional environment of the Horn of Africa.

STRATEGIC DIRECTION

Principal Statement

HCG grounds its work in robust research methodologies, managing risks in fragile and conflict-affected contexts with dedication and professionalism. We take calculated steps to deliver innovative, stable solutions for your humanitarian, development, and business objectives, fostering long-term, trusted collaborations.

Our Goals

Our primary goal is to enhance the institutional capabilities of our partners through the provision of rigorous field research, capacity building, and management consulting.

HCG programs are designed to establish and secure trust between client agencies and the local communities they serve. We continuously analyze evolving markets, socio-demographic trends, and conflict dynamics to provide practical, reliable advice.

Business Ethics

HCG strives to cultivate trust, maintain respect, and enforce transparency across all engagements.

We adhere strictly to standard field operating procedures and "Do No Harm" protocols, always aligning our work with the optimum long-term interests of our clients and the communities involved.



Trust is built through integrity, strengthened by evidence, and sustained through results. This principle guides every engagement we undertake.

Why Choose Us

1 Deep Regional Insight

Our team understands the nuances of the Horn of Africa's social, political, and economic landscapes, enabling us to provide context-sensitive analyses.

2 Rigorous Quality Standards

We combine global research methodologies with localized field execution to ensure reliability and depth.

3 Agile and Safe Mobilization

Our robust regional networks allow us to deploy field teams rapidly and manage operational security effectively.

4 Evidence to Action Focus

We do not simply deliver data; we provide strategic frameworks that help organizations make clear, forward-looking decisions.

5 Interdisciplinary Expertise

We bring together specialists in public finance, stabilization, gender, agriculture, and climate change to solve complex, overlapping problems.

6 Accountability & Compliance:

All project operations are subject to strict financial controls and data protection protocols, safeguarding both funds and participant privacy.

A photograph showing a group of women, some wearing hijabs, seated around a long white table in a meeting room. They appear to be engaged in a discussion or workshop. There are water bottles and some papers on the table. The room has a decorative wall with a large framed artwork.

OUR APPROACH & METHODOLOGY

At HCG, we employ a rigorous, technology-driven, and context sensitive methodology that ensures the generation of reliable evidence and practical solutions for our clients. Our approach combines international best practices with deep local knowledge, enabling us to operate effectively in complex, fragile, and rapidly evolving environments.

1 Contextual Scoping & Solution Design

We engage closely with clients through consultations, stakeholder workshops, and contextual analysis to define objectives, identify challenges, and design tailored research, advisory, and implementation methodologies aligned with local realities.

2 Tech-Enabled Data Collection

Our field teams utilize Computer-Assisted Personal Interviewing (CAPI) platforms to facilitate real-time data collection, geo-spatial mapping, automated quality controls, and continuous field monitoring, ensuring accurate and reliable datasets.

3 Local Expertise & Field Engagement

We mobilize experienced local researchers, enumerators, and technical specialists with strong linguistic, cultural, and contextual knowledge, enabling effective engagement with communities, institutions, and stakeholders, including those in hard-to-reach and fragile environments.

4 Quality Assurance & Evidence Verification

We maintain rigorous quality control procedures throughout every assignment, including instrument testing, field supervision, data validation, back-checks, statistical analysis, and triangulation to ensure accuracy, credibility, and accountability.

5 Capacity Building & Institutional Strengthening

We strengthen the capabilities of government institutions, development partners, civil society organizations, and private sector actors through tailored training, mentoring, coaching, technical assistance, and organizational development support.

6 Policy, Strategy & Advisory Support

We translate research findings and field evidence into actionable policies, strategies, investment plans, governance reforms, and development interventions that support informed decision-making and sustainable growth.

7 Actionable Reporting & Knowledge Transfer

Our deliverables are clear, concise, and decision-oriented, providing practical recommendations, implementation pathways, and knowledge products that enable clients to achieve lasting results and measurable impact.

OUR PRACTICE AREAS

HCG delivers integrated research, advisory, and implementation support services designed to strengthen governance, accelerate economic development, and enhance resilience in complex and fragile environments. Our practice areas combine rigorous evidence generation with practical, field-based solutions that support governments, development partners, and institutions in achieving sustainable and measurable impact.

AREA A: RESEARCH, COMMUNICATION AND POLICY ANALYSIS

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In a data-driven world, HCG transforms raw primary data into actionable strategic insights through mixed-method quantitative and qualitative research, statistical modeling, and data visualization. Our research agendas align with regional development priorities, providing independent evidence for policy decisions that enhance economic growth and localized development. Our approach is grounded in a deep, real-time understanding of localized clan, conflict, and economic dynamics.

THIRD-PARTY MONITORING AND EVALUATION (TPM / MEL)

HCG conducts rigorous Third-Party Monitoring (TPM) via structured site verification visits, direct beneficiary contact, and targeted call center validation. Our extensive MEL experience offers independent, on-the-ground project insights, supporting adaptive programming and Collaborating, Learning, and Adapting (CLA) frameworks. We deliver expert, utilization-focused evaluations, helping organizations assess progress across:



BASELINE ASSESSMENTS

Constructing clear starting points for indicator tracking.



MID-TERM EVALUATIONS

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QUANTITATIVE & QUALITATIVE SURVEYS

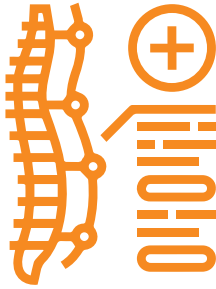
HCG design, pilots, and deploys large-scale household and stakeholder surveys. We utilize modern CAPI (Computer-Assisted Personal Interviewing) mobile tools to collect comprehensive demographic, socioeconomic, and welfare data. These surveys help partners track living standards, access to assets, and basic community needs.



POLICY DEVELOPMENT AND DELIVERY

We build structured relationships with decision-making bodies at national and regional levels. We utilize contextual, localized knowledge as a driver of institutional reform, assisting partners in drafting credible public policies, research monographs, survey reports, and policy briefs.

AREA B: GOVERNANCE, STABILIZATION & INSTITUTIONAL REFORM

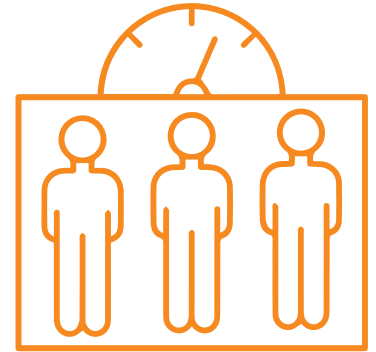


STABILIZATION AND CIVIC RECONSTRUCTION

HCG designs and supports quick-impact stabilization activities in fragile and conflict-affected administrative zones. We assist partners in moving from emergency response to sustained economic growth, strengthening local service delivery, restoring civic trust, and analyzing the root causes of regional grievances.

INSTITUTIONAL STRENGTHENING AND CAPACITY BUILDING

Sound organizational analysis is vital for sustainable development. We collaborate with donors and public agencies to strengthen transparent institutions, implement sound policies, and promote good governance. We provide tailored technical training, structural audits, and standard operating procedure (SOP) development to support self-reliance.



LOCAL GOVERNANCE AND CITIZEN ENGAGEMENT

Applying Rights-Based Approaches (RBA), HCG supports locally led, locally owned state-building efforts. We prioritize strengthening accountability between regional authorities (duty-bearers) and local citizens (rights-holders), promoting inclusive decision-making, participatory budgeting, and civic education.

PUBLIC FINANCIAL GOVERNANCE (PFM)

Acknowledging the operational challenges in frontier jurisdictions, we provide advisory services to develop robust PFM systems, processes, and laws. Our focus centers on supporting governments to increase domestic revenue, enhance budget execution transparency, and ensure fiscal discipline.



AREA C: ECONOMIC GROWTH, TRADE & RESILIENCE



LIVELIHOODS & RESILIENCE PROGRAMMING

Recurrent socioeconomic and climate shocks drive vulnerability across the region. HCG supports development and humanitarian partners to design investments that minimize community exposure, build household coping mechanisms, and transition populations from emergency aid toward resilient, sustainable livelihoods.

TRADE, VALUE CHAINS AND MARKET SYSTEMS

We cooperate with development finance institutions (DFIs), governments, and the private sector to map and strengthen local market systems. HCG provides detailed value chain analyses (agriculture, livestock, and fisheries) and advises on trade policies, export optimization, and regulatory alignment.



PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS (PPP)

HCG supports regional governments in mobilizing private sector capital to enhance the efficiency, quality, and sustainability of public service delivery. We provide comprehensive, hands-on technical assistance across all stages of Public-Private Partnership (PPP) development, including:



PRE-FEASIBILITY &
FEASIBILITY STUDIES



RISK ALLOCATION
AND BENEFIT-SHAR-
ING MAPPING



PPP DRAFT CON-
TRACT EVALUATIONS
FOR TRANSPARENCY
AND COMPLIANCE



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ATION OF ACTIVE PPP
PROJECTS

AREA D: ENVIRONMENT AND CLIMATE CHANGE



CLIMATE MITIGATION & RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

HCG provides technical solutions designed to encourage climate-sensitive economic activities. We assist governments in developing sustainable resource management frameworks, land-use planning, and waste management policies.

CLIMATE FINANCING & ADAPTATION

We support partners in accessing unutilized climate funds and expanding climate-resilience investments. Understanding that there is no “one-size-fits-all” solution, our holistic approach to climate adaptation includes.



Assessing climate
impacts, vulnerability,
and systemic risks.

Planning and implementing
localized, community-led
adaptation measures.

Monitoring and evaluation
of climate-smart
adaptation programs.

OUR CLIENTS

HCG maintains strong collaborative relationships with federal, state, and local governments, as well as private sector actors, trade unions, international financial institutions, bilateral donors, and non-governmental organizations. These partnerships support effective policy design, research, institutional strengthening, and sustainable development delivery across the region.



Deegaan relief services (DRS)



Ministry of Environment, Climate Change and Rural development Galmudug State



Federation of Somali Trade Unions



Ministry of Interior, Federal affairs and Reconciliation Galmudug State



Dayah Humanitarian Organization



Eco-pickup environmental Solutions



Baari Construction and General Services

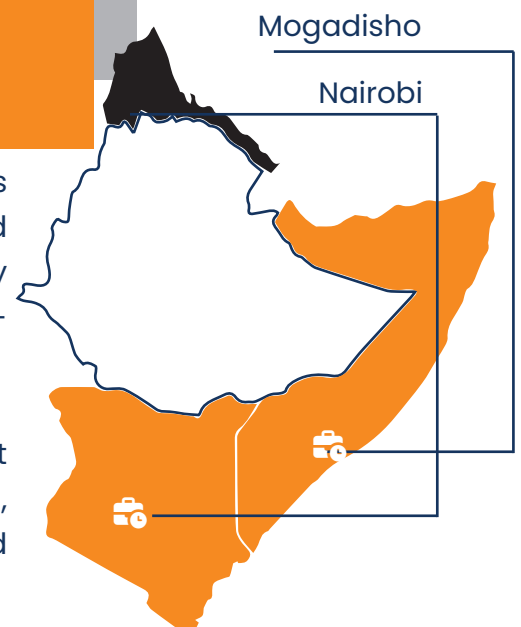


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GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

HCG maintains an active operational presence across key regions in the Horn of Africa. We have established offices in Somalia and Kenya, enabling strong in-country coordination, while also delivering remote and field-supported assignments in Ethiopia.

Our operational model is structured around local hubs that ensure rapid field mobilization, efficient project execution, and deep access to communities across diverse and often hard-to-reach contexts.





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