

In-session workshop on developing elements of a gender action plan under the UNFCCC

Gender and Climate Change

Summary report

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*Working group C: Coherence within the UNFCCC and
other UN agencies*

*GRICP
Gender Responsive Implementation Climate Policy*



- **Priority Result Area C1:** Strengthened integration of gender considerations within the work of the UNFCCC constituted bodies, **across workstreams**, and within the work of the secretariat, towards consistent implementation of gender mandates and activities

Activities (i)

- Formalise updating sessions organized by the Secretariat Gender FP to happen at each session, including and inviting report backs from other constituted bodies under the Convention;
- Include gender expertise as a criteria in the ToRs for new employees to the Secretariat;

Activities (iii)

- Access information/guidance/support – incl guidance on key priorities areas to integrate gender into diff. areas

Activities (iv)

Activities (v)

Activities (vi) – add “all areas of the Convention



- **Priority Result Area C2:** Enhanced synergies with other UN agencies and processes and relevant international instruments and mandates on climate-related gender responsive action, consistent with the sustainable development goals
- General comments:
 - a) Not name all agencies: but give some guidance, Un Women, HRC, UNDP, ILO
 - b) Agencies as institutions
 - c) Look at hem thematically
 - d) Activities should be written broadly enough for partners to be flexible
 - e) Add “build on what other UN agencies we have” and other relevant bodies
 - f) Add a virtual platform, which UN agencies feeds in interlinking decisions taken within their bodies



Activities (a) - including any mandates/resolutions to advance GRICP on.

- identify relevant resolutions from other bodies

Activities (b) – replace: “UNFCCC engage/brief with the respective governing bodies...”

Activities (c) - add to thematic areas: food, security, human rights, just transition and decent work, health happening between UN agencies and at national level

- Asses the effects of CC & gender on the realisation of 2030 gender SDGs (explanation: Identifying the knowledge gap, knowledge exchange btwn gender & climate change coherent w. SDGs)
- Encourage gender experts from other sectors within UN to engage with the UNFCCC
- Knowledge dialogue on gender considerations in just transition economic diversification

Activitie (d) – add: subnational, grassroots



- **Priority Result Area C3:** Strengthened coordination among national and sub- national entities towards gender responsive climate change policy, planning and programming

General comments

- Want to include lessons learnt
- Language on (b) too ambitious – some countries don't have gender ministries

Activity (a) add: to enhance synergies btwn national/subnational level with other UN agencies

Activity (b):

- Grassroots level engagement; including indigenous women and non-binary persons
- Create information channels between governments
- Institutionalise a space/foster/stimulate for these engagement

Activity (c): add “and lessons learnt”

