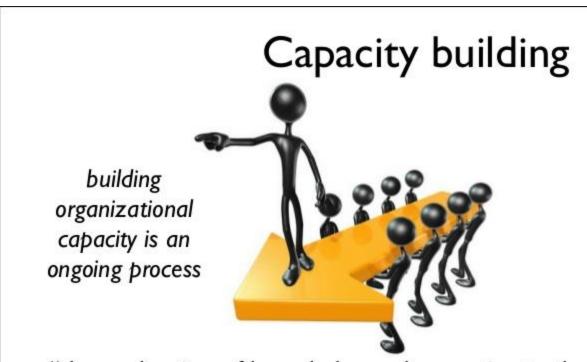


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What is Capacity Building?

One way of seeing it......



"the application of knowledge and expertise to the enhancement of those factors that contribute to organizational effectiveness".

(Kibbe, 2004, p. 5)

What do we want to achieve?

- Capacity building that is sustained (focused on long-term enhancement of capabilities), predictable and effective
- Strengthened institutional arrangements and enabling environments to support the achievement of the agreement
- Effective and regular assessment of the progress made and effectiveness of capacity building activities
- Enhanced collaboration between institutions and mechanisms undertaking capacity building within and outside UNFCCC
- Integrated capacity building at national, regional levels, with both governmental and non-governmental stakeholders

WHAT DO WE HAVE ALREADY?

Frameworks/
Work Programme

- Frameworks for Capacity Building
- Doha work programme on Art6 of the Convention

Lesson sharing

Durban Forum

Dissemination of information

- Capacity Building Portal
- Synthesis reports

Review

• SBI (considering the 3rd one)

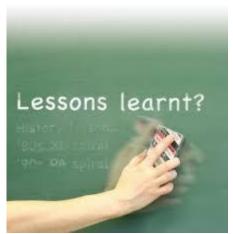
Institutions

- CGE, CTCN, TEC, AC, LEG, EB-CDM, L&D EXCOM, SCF
- Convention & KP funds, other multilateral and bilateral sources

20 years of experience under UNFCCC

Much efforts have been made ... but:

- Short-term
- Project driven rather than programmatic (embedded into a broader low-emission, climate-resilient, development strategy)
- Consultancy driven
- Focus on reporting strengthening, rather than underlying infrastructure or data collection and supply
- Focus on individual capacity building
- All over the place: scattered around various area of work:
 Adaptation, Mitigation, Tech Transfer, MRV, finance....yet no real coordination or monitoring of efforts and effectiveness of activities.
- No effective decision making process based on evidence
- Likely not enough funding (not seen as a priority), but difficult to monitor progress since lack of data/success criteria



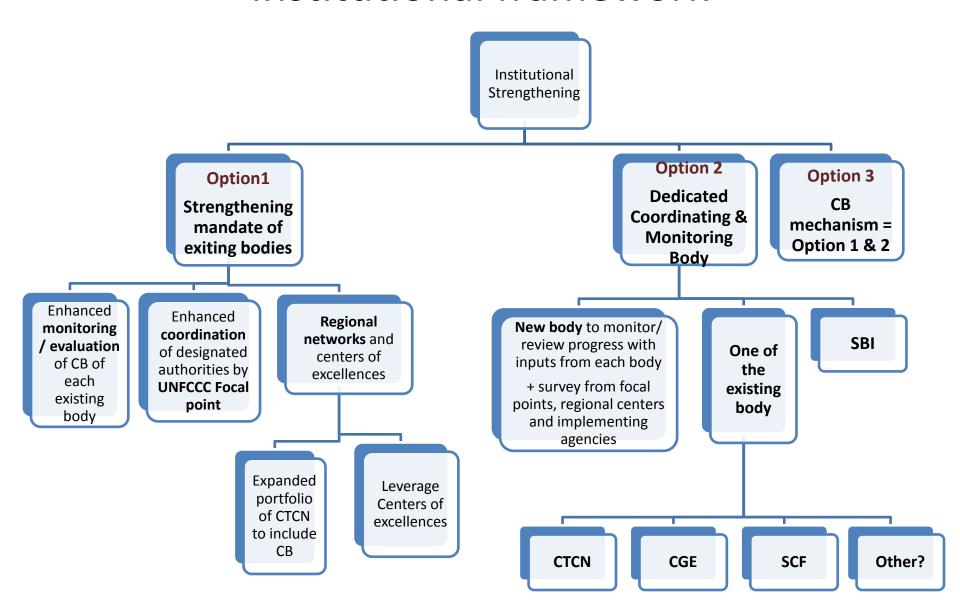
Better Prospect...

- Capacity Building:
 - > From low to high Profile

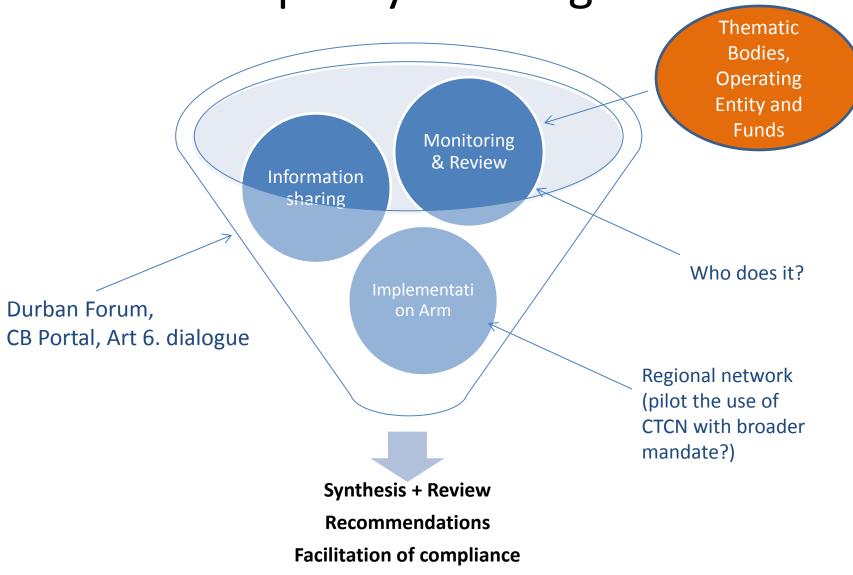


- Recognition that business as usual is not an option
- Recognition that focus must be made on institutional strengthening
- Particular attention to MRV and opportunity from CTCN

Options for enhancing the international institutional framework



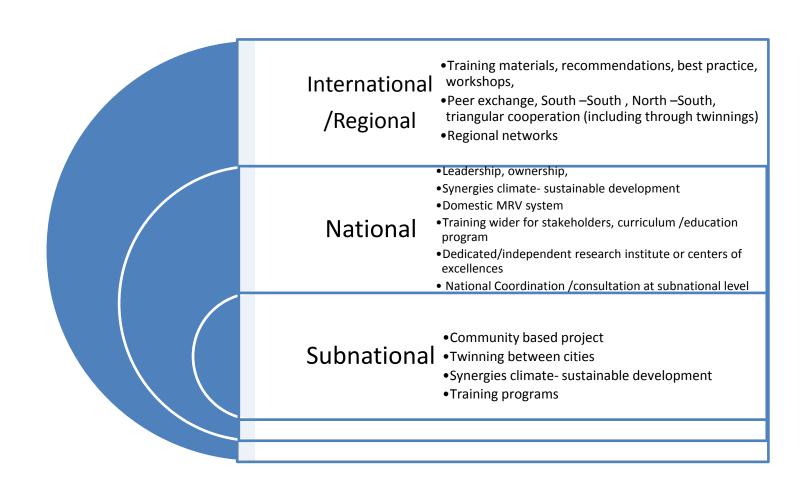
Option 3: An Institutional Model for Capacity Building



Enhanced & targeted funding

Ingredients for Better Delivering on the Ground

> Need to consider all three levels for effective implementation



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