



## **United Nations**

### Framework Convention on Climate Change

#### **Food and Trees for Africa | South Africa**

[Food and Trees for Africa](#) (FTFA) fosters women's leadership to address climate change. The initiative carries out activities such as planting trees to sequester carbon and raises public awareness about climate change. Its programmes also enhance food security, alleviate poverty, teach women skills and create a healthier and more sustainable environment.

#### **The solution**

FTFA implements six programmes that benefit thousands of women across South Africa each year: Trees for All, Trees for Homes, EduPlant, Food Gardens for Africa, Bamboo for All and FEED. The six programmes enhance food security, respond to climate change, alleviate poverty, teach women skills and create a healthier and more sustainable environment. FTFA continues to innovate, adding new creative approaches to greening, sustainable natural resource management, behavioral change, and climate change mitigation, adaptation and awareness.

Women's leadership is at the heart of FTFA's programmes. For example, the Trees for Homes, Trees for All, EduPlant and Food Gardens for Africa programmes are led by female programme managers, supported by female entrepreneurs and have a positive impact on women from South Africa's poorest communities.

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