UNFCCC Gender Action Plan

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Fleur Newman, Lead Officer Gender and Climate Change UN Climate Change secretariat Climate change is a challenge that impacts every aspect of our economies and societies.

And we are out of time.

We need a rapid and radical transition away from the status quo to low-carbon, resilient economies and societies.



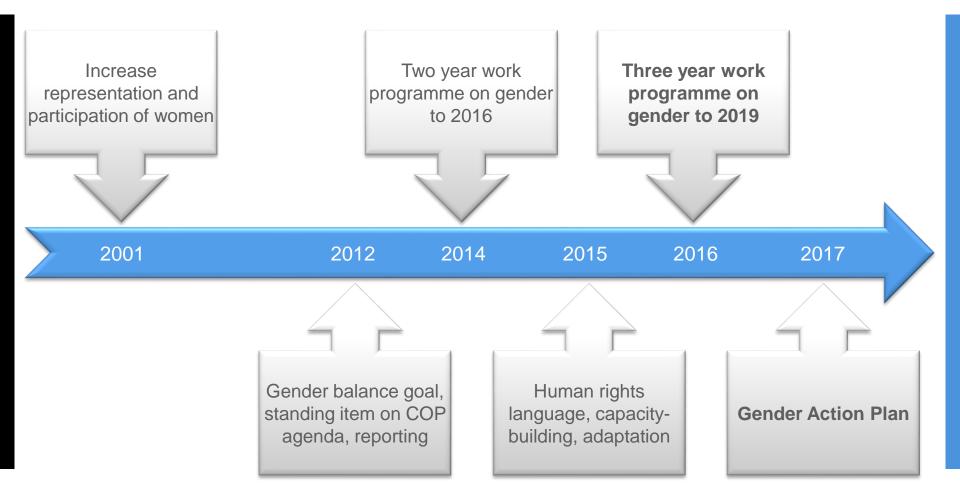
Ensuring women participate equally with men in solution-building, and ensuring that women have equal access and input to the new economy will *accelerate* our move away from business as usual, towards a transformative low-carbon future.



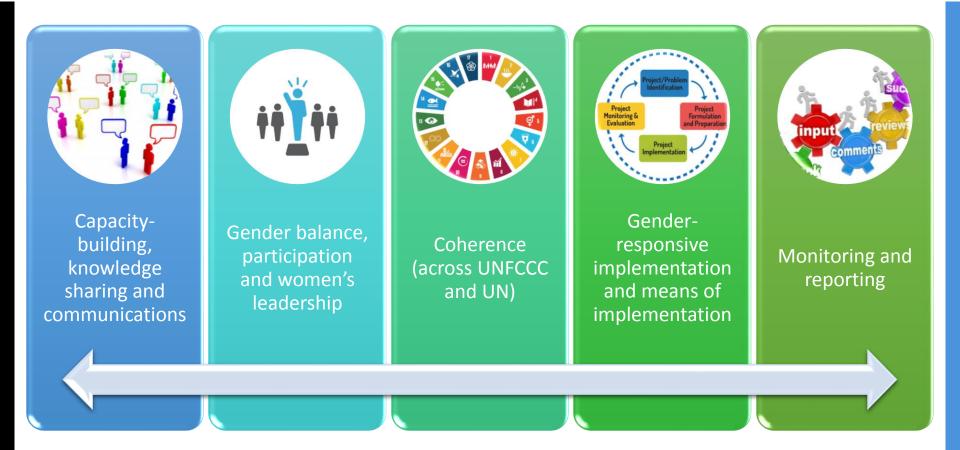
Gender equality and the empowerment of women and girls is undoubtedly a rights issue

AND to meet the ambitious 1.5°C degrees target and limiting warming to well below 2°C, the needs, perspectives and ideas of 100% of the population must be included to build solutions that are *effective, just and sustainable*











Capacity-building, knowledge sharing and communication

 Enhancing the understanding and expertise of stakeholders on the systematic integration of gender considerations ... in the thematic areas under the Convention and the Paris Agreement and in policies, programmes and projects on the ground



Gender balance, participation and women's leadership

✓ To achieve and sustain the full, equal and meaningful participation of women in the UNFCCC process



Coherence (in UNFCCC, across UN)

✓ To strengthen the integration of gender considerations within the work of UNFCCC bodies, the secretariat and other United Nation entities and stakeholders towards the consistent implementation of gender-related mandates and activities



Gender-responsive implementation and means of implementation

 To ensure the respect, promotion and consideration of gender equality and the empowerment of women in the implementation of the Convention and the Paris Agreement



Monitoring and reporting

 To improve tracking in relation to the implementation of and reporting on genderrelated mandates under the UNFCCC



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https://unfccc.int/topics/gender/the-big-picture/introductionto-gender-and-climate-change

