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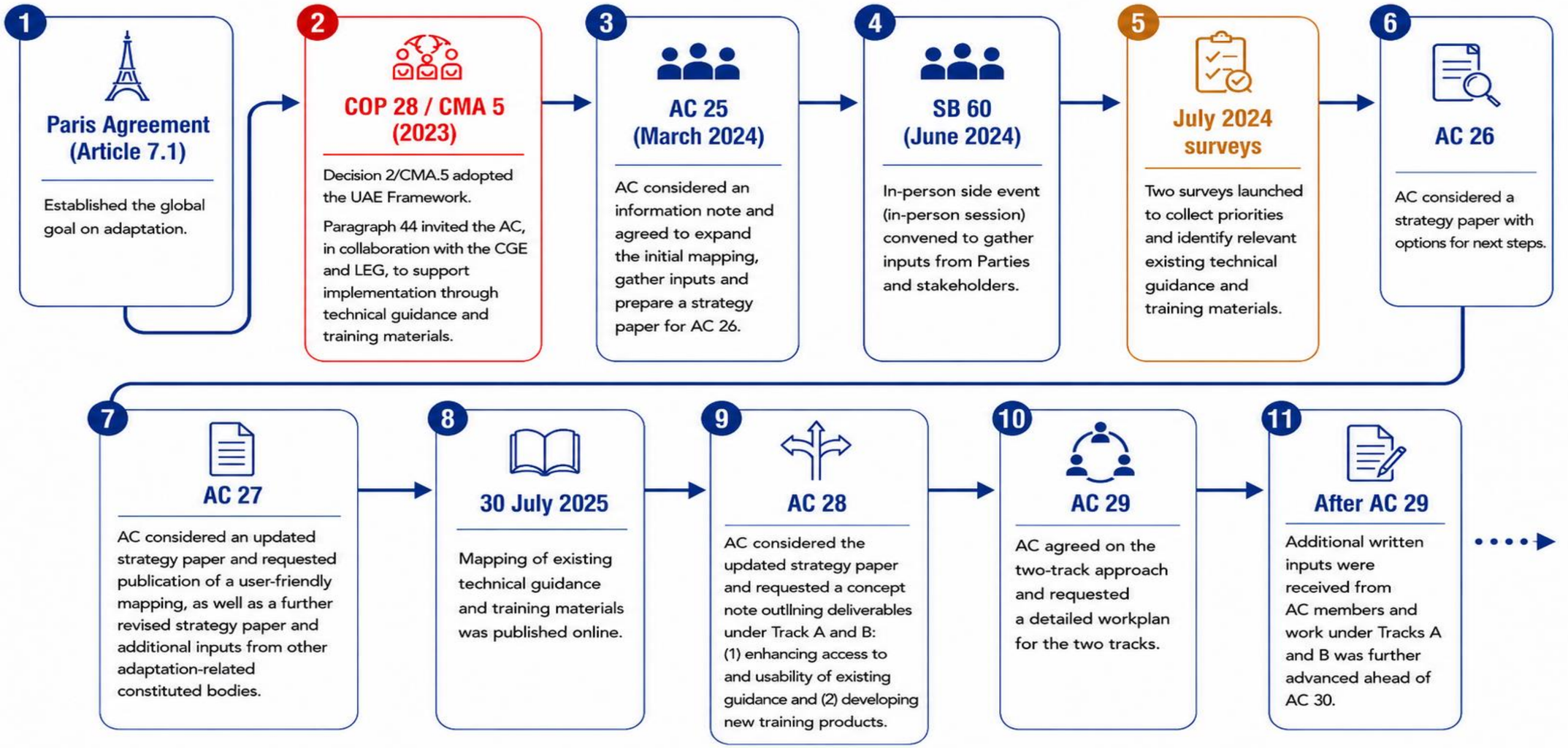
Technical guidance and training materials to support the implementation of the UAE Framework for Global Climate Resilience



Baku, Azerbaijan

14–17 September 2026

Background and mandate



AC 29 outcome

The AC considered the concept note prepared for this agenda item and

- **Agreed to implement the two-track approac**h of (1) enhancing access to and usability of existing guidance and of (2) developing new training products;
- **Underlined the importance of engaging the CGE, the LEG, SCF,** and other constituted bodies and stakeholders, in the implementation of this mandate;
- **Agreed to invite additional written inputs by AC members** to the concept note during the two weeks following the conclusion of AC 29, to be taken into account by the AC intersessional working group and the secretariat;
- **Agreed to request the intersessional working group to advise on the implementation of next steps**, including the prioritization of activities, for intersessional consideration and guidance by the AC;
- **Tasked the secretariat to develop a detailed workplan** for the implementation of the priority activities and to mobilize resources needed, for consideration at AC 30.

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Track A – Proposed approach

- Track A aims to enhance access to and usability of existing technical guidance and training materials relevant to the implementation of the UAE Framework by organizing relevant existing resources in an accessible and structured online platform.
- The platform would enable Parties and other stakeholders to identify existing technical guidance and training materials according to their relevance to the thematic and dimensional targets and cross-cutting considerations of the UAE Framework, it will also feature additional filtering options.
- The platform would build on the existing mapping of technical guidance and training materials undertaken by the AC in collaboration with the CGE and the LEG and would be developed through a phased and iterative approach.
- This approach would allow the AC to guide its development and enable the platform to be progressively updated and refined as additional relevant resources are identified, feedback is received and relevant policy and technical developments emerge.
- Where applicable, users would be directed to the authoritative source maintained by the originating organization.
- Inclusion of a resource would not imply endorsement by the AC.

Track A – Proposed workplan

August 2026

Development of the demonstration version of the platform

Functional demonstration version based on existing mapping

September 2026

Presentation of the demonstration version at AC 30

Feedback and guidance from the AC

After AC 30

Refinement and public launch

Launch of the demonstration version based on AC 30 outcomes

At launch of first iteration

Activation of submission and feedback functions

Operational resource-submission and user-feedback functions

October–December 2026

Update and expansion of the resource base

Expanded resource pool and preliminary gap findings from submissions and desk review

December 2026

Consultation with relevant constituted bodies

Inputs on scope, gaps, categorization, division of labour and review arrangements

Track A – Proposed approach and workplan

January 2027

Review of submissions and desk-review findings

Reviewed and expanded resource database

February 2027

Further development of the platform

Enhanced demonstration version with descriptions, annotations, curation and new filters

March 2027

Intersessional review of the platform

Feedback and guidance from AC working group members

April 2027

Consideration of the enhanced version by AC 31

Feedback and guidance from AC members

Following AC 31

Revision and launch of the enhanced version

Publicly available enhanced version of the online platform

May 2027 onwards

Assessment of options for connectivity with other relevant AC resources

Integrated navigation across all digital resources of the AC

Demonstration version

Track B – Proposed approach and workplan

E-learning course on the United Arab Emirates Framework for Global Climate Resilience

- As an initial activity under track B, it is proposed to develop a modular, self-paced e-learning course which would serve as an introductory resource for any subsequent training resources.
- The course would provide a factual explanation of the global goal on adaptation, the UAE Framework, any relevant policy and technical developments and the linkage between the global goal on adaptation with national adaptation processes and the global stocktake.
- The modules of the course would combine short, animated videos, graphics, expert and practitioner interviews, interactive exercises, quizzes and downloadable resources.
- The course would be developed as a living product. It would be updated as per new developments.
- The course would also include a disclaimer that it is an informational product and does not interpret decisions or provide recommendations.

Track B – Proposed modules

Subject to the guidance by the AC, the course may comprise six modules covering:

1. Adaptation and the global goal on adaptation;

2. The United Arab Emirates Framework for Global Climate Resilience;

3. The Belém Adaptation Indicators;

4. Implementation of the UAE Framework at the national level;

5. The relationship between the UAE Framework and the global stocktake;

6. Recent developments and key updates.

Track B – Proposed workplan

September 2026
Consideration of the proposed e-learning course at AC 30

October – December 2026
Development of the detailed curriculum and learning objectives

January – February 2027
Development of storyboard and draft scripts

February – April 2027
Development of initial interactive learning materials

April 2027
Consideration of the demonstration version at AC 31

After AC 31
User testing and refinement

June 2027*
Public launch

**Contingent on AC 31 outcome*

After June 2027
Periodic update

**As required, subject to resource availability*

After June 2027
Accessibility and multilingual delivery

**As required, subject to resource availability*

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II. Next steps

The AC, at its 30th meeting, may wish to

(a) **Endorse the proposed approaches and priority workplans for implementing Tracks A and B**, subject to the availability of resources, and provide guidance on their scope, sequencing and implementation;

(b) **With regard to Track A, provide guidance on the demonstration version of the online platform and agree that the secretariat refine and prepare an initial public version**, applying transparent resource-inclusion criteria, an appropriate disclaimer and workable arrangements for review and updating, in consultation with the CGE, the LEG and other relevant bodies and stakeholders;

(c) **With regard to Track B, agree that the secretariat proceed with developing the detailed curriculum, learning objectives and a demonstration version of the modular e-learning course for consideration at AC 31**, in collaboration with the CGE and the LEG and with inputs from other relevant bodies and stakeholders, as appropriate;

(d) **Request the secretariat to report to AC 31 on progress under both tracks**, collaboration undertaken, user feedback and testing, resource mobilization and any proposed adjustments to scope, sequencing or timelines.