

Standing Committee on Finance <u>Call for input</u>

2024 Forum of the Standing Committee on Finance on accelerating climate action and resilience through gender-responsive finance

The Standing Committee on Finance (SCF) invites interested Parties and stakeholders to submit input on its 2024 Forum on accelerating climate action and resilience through gender-responsive finance. The input may consist of:

- Relevant topics and themes to consider in designing the Forum
- Information and case studies on gender-responsive finance
- Potential institutions and events to partner with the SCF Forum

How to submit

Deadline for submission on topics and themes as well as partner institutions and events is **21 April 2024**. Information and case studies relating to gender-responsive climate finance can be submitted after the deadline, on a rolling basis.

Please send the input to: standingcommittee@unfccc.int.

Background

At SCF 33, the Committee initiated work on its 2024 Forum and appointed **Ms. Patriciah Roy Akullo (Uganda)** and **Ms. Brittany Young (Australia)** as the Forum co-facilitators. The SCF discussed possible sub-themes as a basis to design the Forum program. <u>Full outcomes of SCF 33 on the Forum can be viewed here.</u>

Next steps

- The co-facilitators will prepare a draft programme to be finalized by the SCF at its next meeting, taking into account inputs to be received from interested Parties and stakeholders.
- Dates and venue of the Forum will be determined in due course.
- The co-facilitators will consult and engage with stakeholders as appropriate during the intersessional period.

About the Standing Committee on Finance

The SCF assists the COP in exercising its functions with respect to the Financial Mechanism of the Convention through various activities. One of the flagship activities of the SCF is organizing a forum for communication and continued exchange of information among bodies and entities dealing with climate change finance in order to promote linkages and coherence. SCF Forums connect the UNFCCC with public and private actors involved in climate finance issues at global, regional and national levels. Visit the SCF webpage for more information.