

# Lessons Learned in implementing climate action empowerment from non-party stakeholders

# Mainstreaming ACE

- \* Article 12 embodies crosscutting principles and all five must be addressed in a balanced matter, as all five are related and only all five together deliver real empowerment
- \* Incorporates a number of rights that parties are committed to upholding including rights to participation and access to information in environmental decision-making and right to environmental education
- \* Important to several specific areas of implementation of the Paris Agreement and should be integrated into the implementation guidelines

# Positive Outcomes

- \* Public participation in decision-making and planning
- \* Community forest management
- \* Women led climate action
- \* Access to Information
- \* Climate education



# Beyond Good Practice

- \* Sharing good practices across countries can enhance climate action
- \* Promote the integration of the principles listed in Article 12 throughout the implementation of the Paris Agreement and identify how these principles should be integrated in the Paris Implementation Guidelines to increase their effectiveness.