

# Paris Committee on Capacity-building (PCCB)

## Call for submissions from Parties and non-Party stakeholders:

### 'Tools and methodologies for assessing and addressing capacity gaps and needs related to accessing climate finance'

#### Background

Identifying capacity gaps and needs, both current and emerging, and recommending ways to address them has been a core part of the mandate of the PCCB, since its establishment, and was made one of three priority areas of the PCCB under its 2021–2024 workplan by the COP.

Under this priority area, COP 25 mandated the PCCB, inter alia, to continue efforts to gather and promote the development and dissemination of tools and methodologies for implementing capacity-building activities.

To learn more about the work of the PCCB, you can access its annual reports and other relevant documents [here](#).

#### Topics for submissions

As part of addressing the above-mentioned mandate, the PCCB agreed to issue in 2023 a call for submissions on tools and methodologies for assessing and addressing capacity gaps and needs related to accessing climate finance. Capacity gaps and needs can be at the individual, institutional or systemic level.

#### Who can submit?

The call is open to all Parties, bodies, entities and processes under the Convention and the Paris Agreement, as well as to all UNFCCC non-Party stakeholders, including public and private sector entities, government and non-government organizations, philanthropic organizations, academic and research organizations and regional and international organizations and initiatives.

#### How will the inputs be used?

The inputs will feed into the [2021–2024 workplan](#) activities of the PCCB for 2024, including an analysis and synthesis of the submissions and a technical session at the 6th Capacity-building Hub at COP 29. Relevant tools, methodologies and other resources submitted will be widely disseminated by the PCCB and will be integrated into the list of resources accompanying [the PCCB toolkit to assess capacity gaps and needs to implement the Paris Agreement](#).

#### Submissions form

Please complete the template with concise and evidence-based information, reference all relevant sources and send the completed form to [pccb@unfccc.int](mailto:pccb@unfccc.int). Please note that a submission form should contain one tool, methodology or resource only. If you wish to submit several resources, please use a separate submission form for each. The template has two parts:

*Part 1: Details about your organization*

*Part 2: Guiding questions about implementing NDCs and national development plans in developing countries in a coherent manner, while supporting a sustainable recovery*

#### Further information:

Comments, suggestions and any other information in response to this call for submissions are welcome.

**Address for submission (and comments, suggestions, other information):** [pccb@unfccc.int](mailto:pccb@unfccc.int)

**Deadline for submissions:** 4 February 2024

Please only fill out sections that are relevant to the work of your organization. Please note that no section is mandatory.

## PART I

### Name of organization or entity:

RFI Foundation

### Type of organization:

Please choose as appropriate:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Intergovernmental organization                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Development bank / financial institution                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> UN and affiliated organization                  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-governmental organization                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> International network, coalition, or initiative | <input type="checkbox"/> Research organization   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Regional network, coalition, or initiative      | <input type="checkbox"/> University/education/training organization                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Public sector entity                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Private sector entity   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Development agency                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Philanthropic organization  |
|  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please specify) <a href="#">Click or tap here to enter text.</a> |

### Organization Location

City: London

Country: United Kingdom

### Scale of operation:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Global | <input type="checkbox"/> Regional      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Local             | <input type="checkbox"/> Subregional   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> National          | <input type="checkbox"/> Transboundary |

### City(ies)/Country(ies) of operation (if appropriate):

United Kingdom, Malaysia, Indonesia, Saudi Arabia and other Gulf Corporation Council

## PART II

### 1. Title/name of resource

Financed Emissions Database

### 2. Year of publication

2021-2023

### 3. Resource developer(s) and/or owner(s) (i.e. institution)

RFI Foundation

### 4. Target group(s)/audience(s)

Banks, Financial Institutions, Asset Owners, Government agencies, climate finance researchers

<b>5. Type of resource</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Tool(kit) or methodology (incl. handbooks, manuals and guides)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please select from list below)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Technical assistance/support offers	<input type="checkbox"/> E-courses/training
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other relevant online resources (e.g. webinar recordings, portals, platforms or databases that help assess or address capacity gaps relating to climate finance access)	<input type="checkbox"/> Case studies and technical reports/publications (showcasing lessons learned and good practices)
<b>6. Short description of the scope and objectives of the resource and how it can be used to assess or address capacity gaps related to accessing climate finance</b>	
RFI Insights' Financed Emissions Database is an open-access resource that provides top-down estimates of financed direct and indirect emissions across 11 emerging markets, including Bahrain, Bangladesh, Indonesia, Kuwait, Malaysia, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Turkey, and the United Arab Emirates. It includes estimates for bank-level financed direct and indirect emissions across sectors for 206 banks in these markets	
<b>7. Geographical scope of resource</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Global	
<input type="checkbox"/> Regional (please select from list below)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Asia and the Pacific	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Middle East and North Africa
<input type="checkbox"/> Africa	<input type="checkbox"/> Latin America and Caribbean
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) Click or tap here to enter text.
<input type="checkbox"/> National (please specify) Click or tap here to enter text.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Subnational/local (please specify) Click or tap here to enter text.	
<b>8. Information on the context in which the resource has already been used/applied and by which stakeholder(s) (if available)</b>	
We are in talks with several banks and asset management firms for a pilot project which would use the database estimates to inform transition strategies.	
<b>9. Type of access (open or limited access; free or paid)</b>	
Free access	
<b>10. Link to resource (if none is available, please attach a pdf copy of the resource to the submission email)</b>	
<a href="https://sandbox.rfi-insights.org/financed-emissions-in-islamic-markets">https://sandbox.rfi-insights.org/financed-emissions-in-islamic-markets</a>	