

Inclusive Budgeting and Financing for Climate Change in Africa (IBFCCA)











Program: Opportunities to Coordinate the Integration of Gender and Climate Change into Budgeting and Finance

Virtual Peer Learning and Exchange Event

29-30 June 2021

Gender responsive budgeting (GRB) is well established with over two decades of experience with related reforms. Climate responsive budgeting (CRB) is relatively new and the two have largely been pursued independently. However, similarities and complementarity between them have led to calls for the 'double mainstreaming' of both gender and climate change. Gender considerations have increasingly become a requirement when accessing international climate finance. The two day virtual event will provide a platform for officials from across Africa to share their experience on the actions and methods used to implement gender responsive budgeting and/or gender responsive climate budgeting. Related actions span the entire budget cycle. Opportunities will be explored to further coordinate the integration of gender and climate change into public financial management systems.

Pretoria/ Harare time	Tuesday 29 June 2021
09:45-10:00	Audio and visual testing
10:00-10:05	Guidelines for engagement video
10:05-10:20	Welcome address by, Philipp Krause, Head of Technical, CABRI Opening remarks by, Anna Tjarvar, Programme Manager Environment, Climate Change, Renewable Energy, Embassy of Sweden
10:20-10:30	Why gender and climate change Perspectives from, Dr Zainab Ahmed, Honourable Minister of Finance, Budget and National Planning in Nigeria (tbc)

10:30-11:05

Session 1: International frameworks and financing for gender and climate change

The session provides an overview of the international frameworks supporting the integration of gender and climate change into national policy, planning, budgeting and finance. In particular, we look at the SDGs and the UNFCCC instruments, including NDCs, NAPs, and NCs. The session in addition covers the inclusion of gender in international climate finance, an area that has received substantial attention in recent years.

Presentations include:

- Overview of the international framework for integrating gender and climate change into planning, budgeting and financing by, Tara Daniel, Women's Environment and Development Organisation (WEDO)
- Liberia: Linking the international to the national level by, Josephine F Doles, Gender Coordinator, Environmental Protection Agency, Liberia
- Burkina Faso: Gender responsive reforms by, Ouedraogo Daouda, Directorate of Budget Reforms, Ministry of Economy, Finance and Development, Burkina Faso

Discussant: Carina Sugden, Chief Governance Officer, African Development Bank

Facilitator: Tracy Kajumba, IIED

10 min break

11:15-12:30

Session 2: National strategies and budget formulation

Panel country presentations followed by open discussions

- Nigeria: National Action Plan on Gender and Climate Change by, Halima Bawa, Director Climate Change, Federal Ministry of Environment, Nigeria
- Eswatini: Climate Change in the national gender strategy by, Mpendulo Masuku, Monitoring and Evaluation Analyst (Gender), Department of Gender and Family Issues, Deputy Prime Minister's Office, Eswatini
- Rwanda: Gender and climate change in the budget circular by, Christine Mukankundiye, Gender Responsive Budgeting Specialist, Ministry of Finance and Economic Planning, Rwanda
- Morocco: The gender report in budget preparation and approval by, Hajar Ben Ameur, Head of the Budget Performance Monitoring and Gender Sensitive Budgeting Service, Ministry of Economy, Finance and Administrative Reform, Morocco

Discussant: Josphine Candiru, Gender Specialist, UNDP Uganda

Facilitator: Fréjus Lingue, CABRI

12:30-13:15	Session 3: Working groups – enabling conditions for gender responsive
	climate budgeting
	The success of GRCB is dependent on sustaining certain enabling conditions that support effective double mainstreaming of gender and climate change in PFM systems. The breakaway session provides an opportunity for participants to discuss these conditions in smaller groups.
	Session 4a – French Fréjus Lingue, CABRI and Charles Komla Hegbor, Savana E. Enseadas
	Session 4b – Portuguese Joana Bento, CABRI and Kit Nicholson, Climate Scrutiny
	Session 4c – English Danielle Serebro, CABRI and Zeinab El Bakri, Savana E. Enseadas
	Session 4d – English Shanaz Broermann, CABRI and Sunita Pitamber, Savana E. Enseadas
	Wednesday 30 June 2021
09:45-10:00	Audio and visual testing
10:00-10:10	Welcome and recap of day one
10:10-10:15	Video – Confronting climate change with gender inclusive financing, Indonesia
10:15-10:30	Urgency of the problem
	Insights on how climate change is impacting communities in the Lake Chad region, and how women in particular are affected.
	Fireside chat with, Adenike Oladosu, CEO of ILeadClimate
10:30-11:30	Session 4: Tracking expenditure, budget execution and audit
	The session provides an overview of some of the main reforms introduced to track gender and climate change related expenditure. Both experience similar challenges with regards to how gender and climate is measured, although usually pursued separately.
	Panel country presentations followed by open discussions
	- South Africa: Gender and climate budget reforms by, Prudence Cele, Director Budget Reform and Gcobisa Magazi, Director Environment, Science and Tourism, National Treasury of South Africa

	 Mozambique: Gender and climate change in the public audit by, Márcio Gonzaga, Senior Budget and Accounting Technician, Ministry of Finance, Mozambique Common challenges and possible solutions by, Kit Nicholson, Director, Climate Scrutiny Facilitator: Daisy Mukarakate, UNDP
11:30-11:35	Evaluation survey
	10 minute break
11:45-12:45	Session 5: 'Double mainstreaming' gender and climate: the way forward
	 The session brings different perspectives when exploring why gender and climate change should be jointly considered through 'double mainstreaming'. This includes, the economic and social benefits of double mainstreaming gender and climate change the role of women as active agents of change a comparison of the approaches taken and methodologies applied lessons learned so far from both gender responsive budgeting and climate responsive budgeting
	 On the panel: Florence Tanoh, Director of Gender and Equity at the Ministry of Women, Family and Children, Côte d'Ivoire Dr Kai Kim Chiang, National Climate Finance Adviser, Ministry of Agriculture, Climate Change and Environment, Seychelles Dr Mary Nyasimi, Executive Director, Inclusive Climate Change Adaptation for a Sustainable Africa (ICCSA), Kenya Ndivile Mokoena, GenderCC – Women for Climate Justice, Southern Africa Moderator: Margaux Granat, EnGen Collaborative
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12:45-13:00	Closing remarks and next steps Shanaz Broermann, CABRI