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28th meeting of the Adaptation Committee

Agenda item 12(a)

Status overview of the Adaptation Committee's communication and outreach efforts for 2025–2026

Bonn, Germany

15–19 September 2025





I. Background

At AC 27, the Adaptation Committee:

- Took note of the updated communications plan and strategy for 2025–2026, informed by:
 - a. The audience assessment survey conducted in 2023–2024;
 - b. Lessons learned from implementing the 2024–2025 communications plan and strategy
- Took note of suggestions from AC members and observers to further improve the strategy, subject to the availability of resources.
- Acknowledged the improved structure and design of its webpages, enhancing accessibility and user experience.

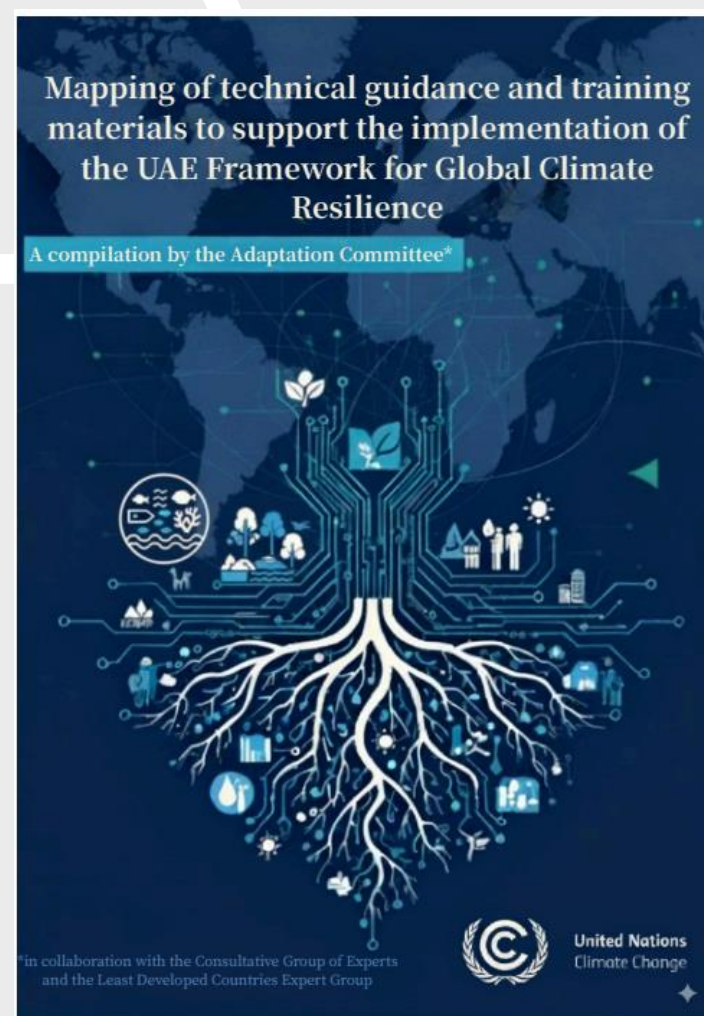


II. Status update on communication and outreach activities under the 2025–2026 communications strategy





III. Publications





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New synthesis report by
the Adaptation Committee!

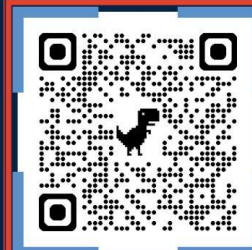


**Recognizing the
adaptation efforts
of developing
country Parties**

Synthesis report on
institutional arrangements
and stakeholder engagement

Key Highlights

- Highlights efforts by developing country Parties to establish institutional arrangements and engage stakeholders across different governance levels and dimensions of the iterative adaptation cycle
- Features case studies from developing country Parties on institutional arrangements and stakeholder engagement in relation to adaptation
- Synthesizes lessons learned and good practices in establishing and sustaining effective institutional arrangements and stakeholder engagement





IV. Translation



Official version:

- English

Unofficial translation:

- Arabic
- Chinese
- French
- Spanish
- Russian
- English

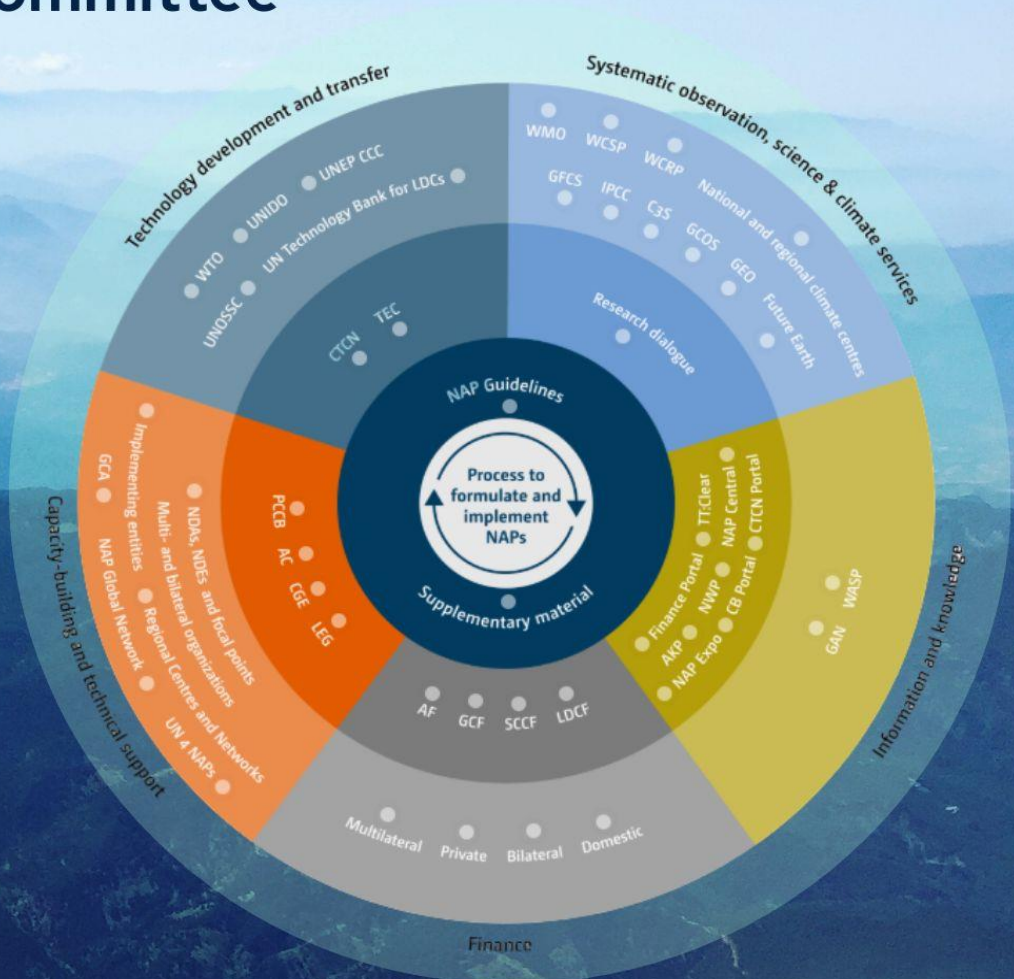
V. Events



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NAP EXPO 2025
Navigating the landscape of support for the process to formulate and implement NAPs
A session by the Adaptation Committee

Date: August 14, 2025
Time: 11:00 - 12:30 (Africa/Lusaka)
Lusaka, Zambia



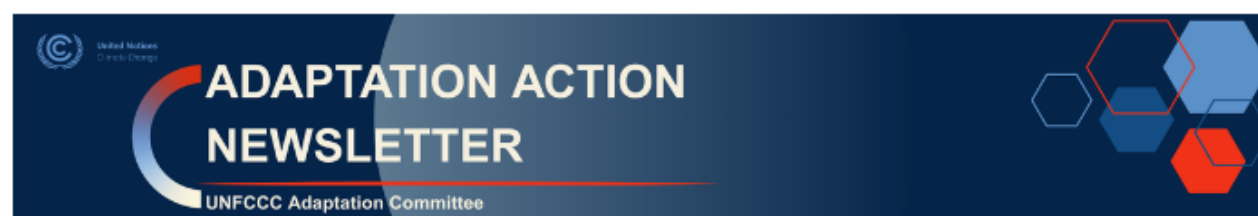
The infographic illustrates the landscape of support for the process to formulate and implement NAPs, centered around the 'Process to formulate and implement NAPs' and 'NAP Guidelines'. The support is organized into four main segments:

- Technology development and transfer:** Includes WMO, WCP, WCRP, National and regional climate centres, GFC, IPCC, C3S, GCDS, GEO, Future Earth, UNOD, UN Technology Bank for LDCs, UNOSSC, CTCN, and TEC.
- Systematic observation, science & climate services:** Includes WMO, WCP, WCRP, National and regional climate centres, GFC, IPCC, C3S, GCDS, GEO, Future Earth, UNOD, UN Technology Bank for LDCs, UNOSSC, CTCN, and TEC.
- Information and knowledge:** Includes WMO, WCP, WCRP, National and regional climate centres, GFC, IPCC, C3S, GCDS, GEO, Future Earth, UNOD, UN Technology Bank for LDCs, UNOSSC, CTCN, and TEC.
- Finance:** Includes AF, GCF, SCCF, LDCF, Multilateral, Private, Bilateral, and Domestic.



VI. Newsletters

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About this newsletter

The [Adaptation Action Newsletter](#) is a new communication product of the Adaptation Committee. It aims to disseminate adaptation-related updates and developments from constituted bodies and entities under the Convention and the Paris Agreement. It is primarily intended for Parties and also serves policymakers, UN entities, and other interested stakeholders engaged in adaptation action.

This newsletter complements the Adaptation Committee's existing [Adaptation Finance Bulletin](#), which provides regular updates on adaptation finance-related information from funds, bodies, and negotiations under the UN Climate Change process.

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Quick facts (As of 29 August 2025)

64 developing country Parties, including 14 small island developing States and 22 least developed countries, have submitted their [national adaptation plans](#), along with 10 developed countries;

72 Parties have submitted an [adaptation communication](#), mostly as standalone documents;

154 out of 195 submitted [nationally determined contributions](#) include an adaptation component;

97 out of 112 submitted [biennial transparency reports](#) provide information on adaptation.

Upcoming events (September – November 2025)

[30 September – 2 October 2025](#) | 23rd meeting of the Executive Committee of the Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and Damage

[3 October – 4 October 2025](#) | Workshop under the UAE-Belém work programme on indicators

[4 November – 7 November 2025](#) | 14th meeting of the Facilitative Working Group of the Local Communities and Indigenous Peoples Platform

[10 – 21 November 2025](#) | UN Climate Change Conference (COP 30)

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Relevant Upcoming Events (June–October 2025)

[16–26 June 2025](#) | June Climate Meetings (62nd session of the UNFCCC Subsidiary Bodies—SB 62)

[30 June–3 July 2025](#) | 42nd Meeting of the GCF Board

[30 June–3 July 2025](#) | 4th International Conference on Financing for Development

[9–11 July 2025](#) | 6th Meeting of the Board of the Fund for responding to Loss and Damage

[12–15 August 2025](#) | NAP Expo 2025

[8–9 September 2025](#) | 2025 Forum of the Standing Committee on Finance

[16–19 September 2025](#) | 28th Meeting of the Adaptation Committee

[21–28 September 2025](#) | Climate Week NYC 2025

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Adaptation Finance Quick Facts

As of 4 June 2025, the Green Climate Fund's overall portfolio is comprised of 297 projects, with a GCF funding amount of USD 16.7 billion and USD 46.5 billion in co-financing. Investment is mostly via grants (44%), followed by loans (40%) and equity (11%). A total of 59% of the funding amount in grant equivalent has been spent on adaptation projects. It is anticipated that GCF has increased the resilience of over 1 billion people.

Since 2010, the Adaptation Fund has allocated USD 1.39 billion to specifically support adaptation activities. This funding has facilitated the implementation of 199 targeted adaptation projects and the preservation or restoration of 728,250 hectares of natural habitats. These projects have collectively benefited approximately 45.8 million people in developing countries.

Since 2001, the Global Environment Facility has provided approximately USD 2.5 billion in grant financing and mobilized more than USD 14 billion from other sources through the Least Developed Countries Fund (LDCF) and the Special Climate Change Fund (SCCF). The funding has been channeled to 544 adaptation projects in the least developed countries, small island developing States and other vulnerable developing countries. These projects are working to directly reduce the vulnerability of more than 90 million people.



VII. Social media channels

adaptation action by Parties, now including country profiles for all 198 #UNFCCC Parties. ...more

landscape of support for national adaptation plans (NAPs) ...more

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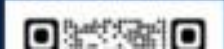
- Comprehensive and validated information on national adaptation arrangements and actions for all 198 FCCC Parties
- Wide range of filtering options allowing you to quickly access the information that you are interested in
- Non-exhaustive list of external portals which provide complementary



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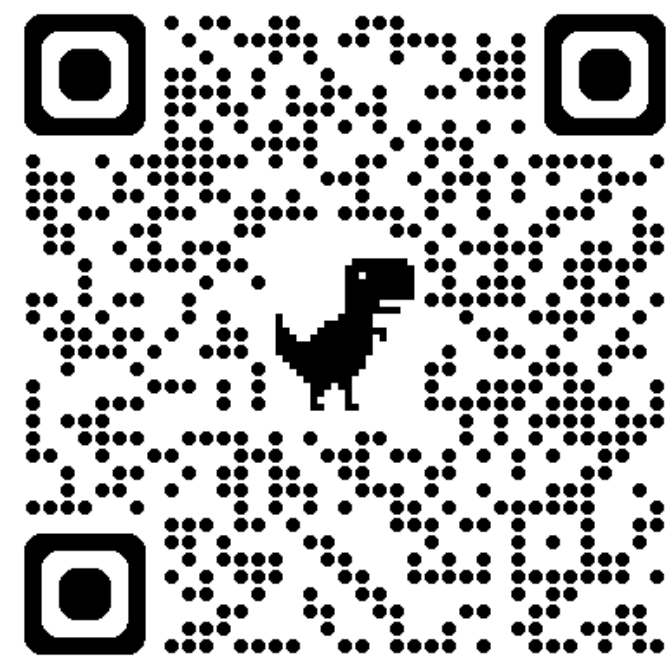
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4K+ followers

50K+ post views





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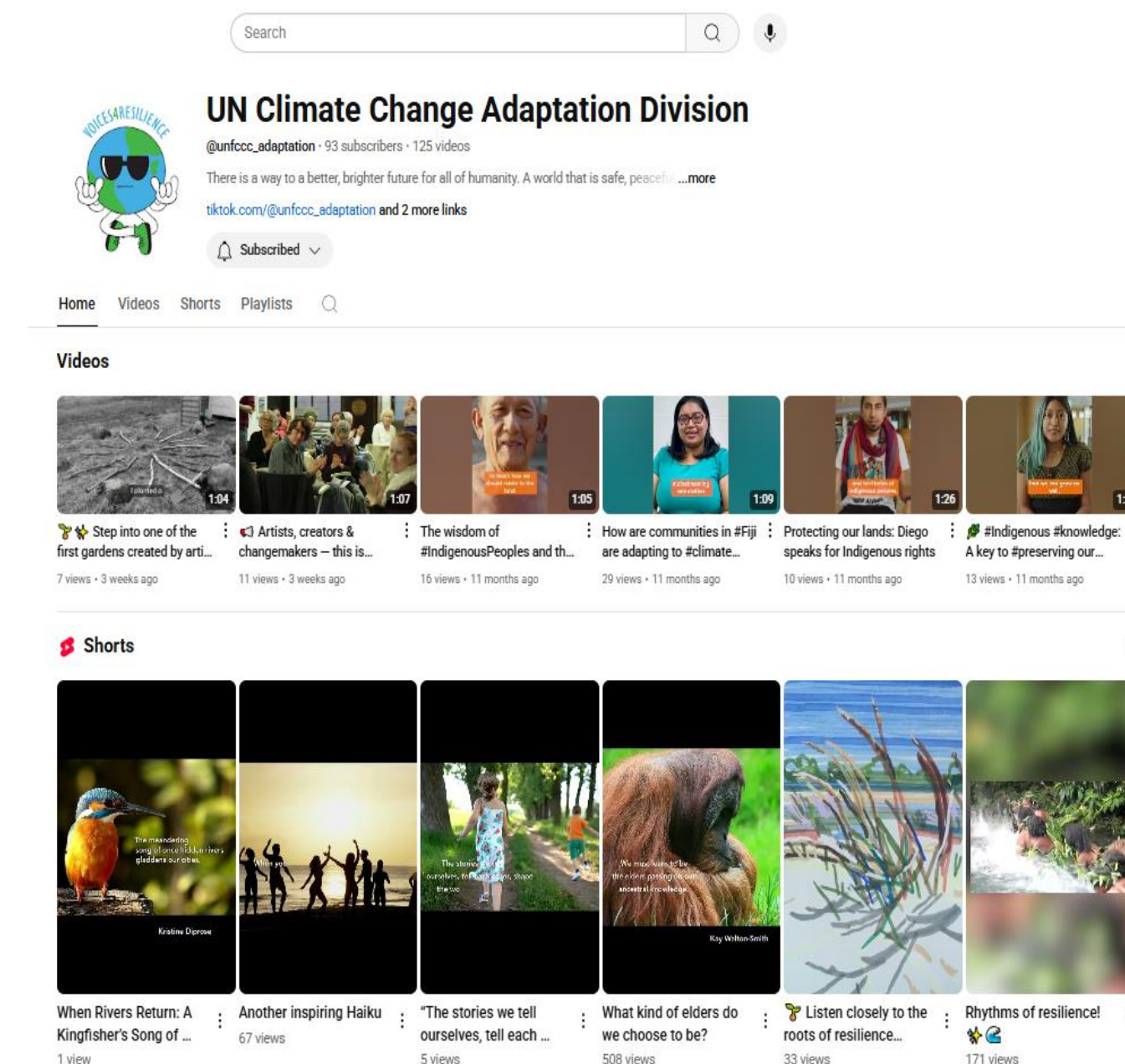
120+ videos



130+ posts



4k+ likes





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VIII. Web pages



Knowledge Products



Newsletters



Interactive Portal on the



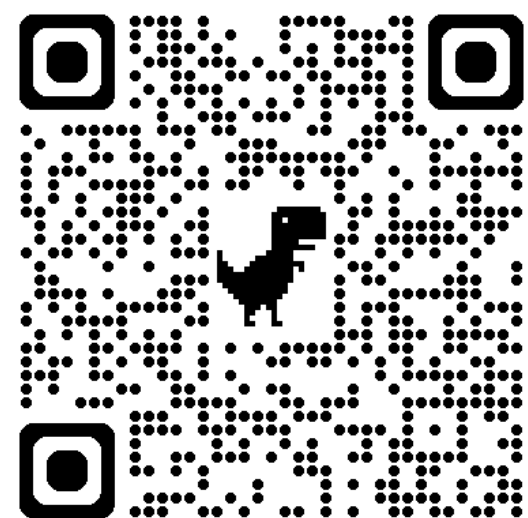
Procedure



Workplan



Support for the UAE Framework for
Global Climate Resilience





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IX. Additional outreach activities

A promotional postcard for the 'Youth Leading Adaptation 2025' contest. The card has a light blue background with abstract shapes. At the top center, a blue square contains the text 'YOUTH LEADING ADAPTATION 2025' in white, bold, sans-serif font. To the right of this square is the United Nations Climate Change logo. Below the square, the text 'A poster contest by the Adaptation Committee' is written in bold. Underneath, a paragraph says 'Submit a one-page poster showcasing a youth-led climate adaptation initiative. Scan the QR code for details.' In the center is a QR code. Below the QR code, the submission window is listed: 'Submission window: 12 August 2025 – 30 September 2025'. At the bottom, the contact information 'Contact: ac@unfccc.int' is provided. The bottom left corner features a graphic of a globe with green leaves, and the bottom right corner shows green bushes. The UNFCCC logo is in the top right corner of the card.

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X. Next steps

The AC may wish to

- Take note of the update with a view to providing further recommendations