

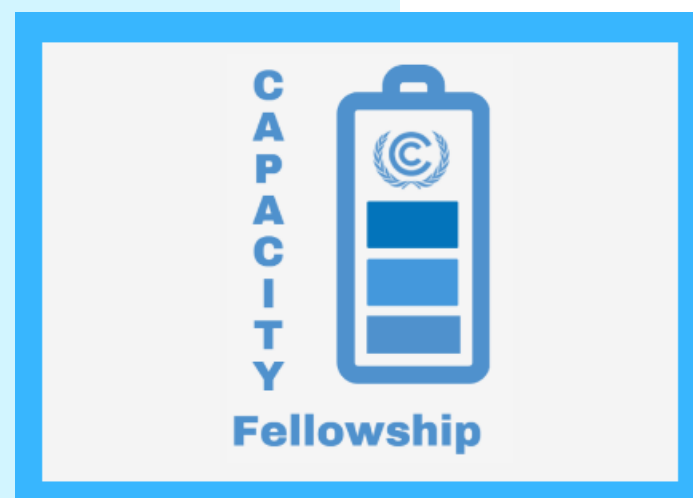


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Welcome to this side event:

Lessons learned through building capacity of LDCs and SIDS through the CAPACITY fellowship

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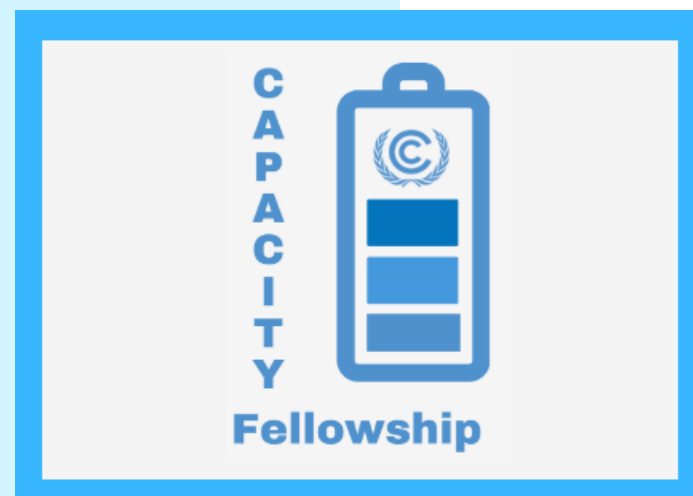
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Background and context

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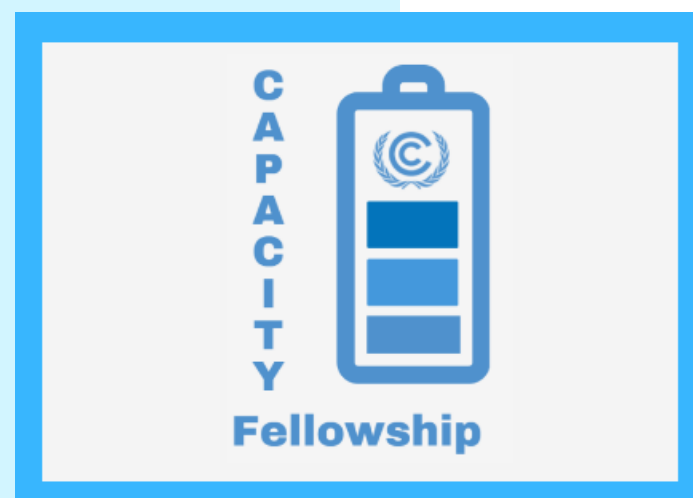
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**Capacity Award
Program to Advance
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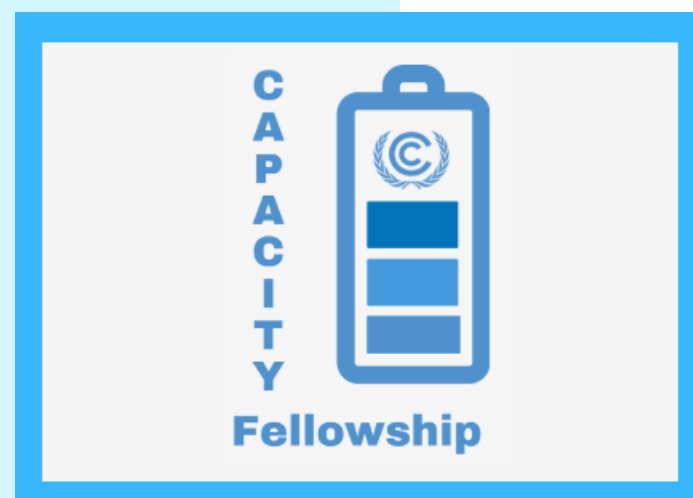
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The capacity awards programme offers fellowships at the UN Climate Change secretariat for a period of one year (renewable to two years)

Building local capacity for addressing climate change in SIDS and LDCs by:

- Supporting [innovative analytical work](#) *on climate change in the context of sustainable development*
- Building the [leadership potential](#) *of young and promising professionals.*
- Helping to create [a network of experts](#) *to produce creative & innovative solutions to climate change and its effects*



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Opportunities for work projects at the UN Climate Change secretariat

Work projects may be carried out in
any of the UNFCCC secretariat divisions

on a number of issues

relating to the Paris Agreement and its implementation.

- Adaptation • Mitigation • Transfer of technology • NDCs
- Inventories • Mechanisms under Article 6 of the Paris Agreement
- Finance, legal, regulatory and institutional framework • Transparency
- Capacity-building • Global climate action agenda
- Education, training, and public awareness, participation and access to information



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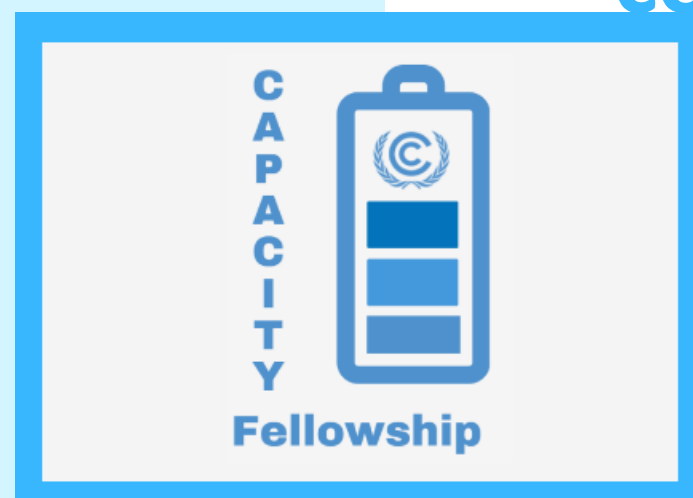
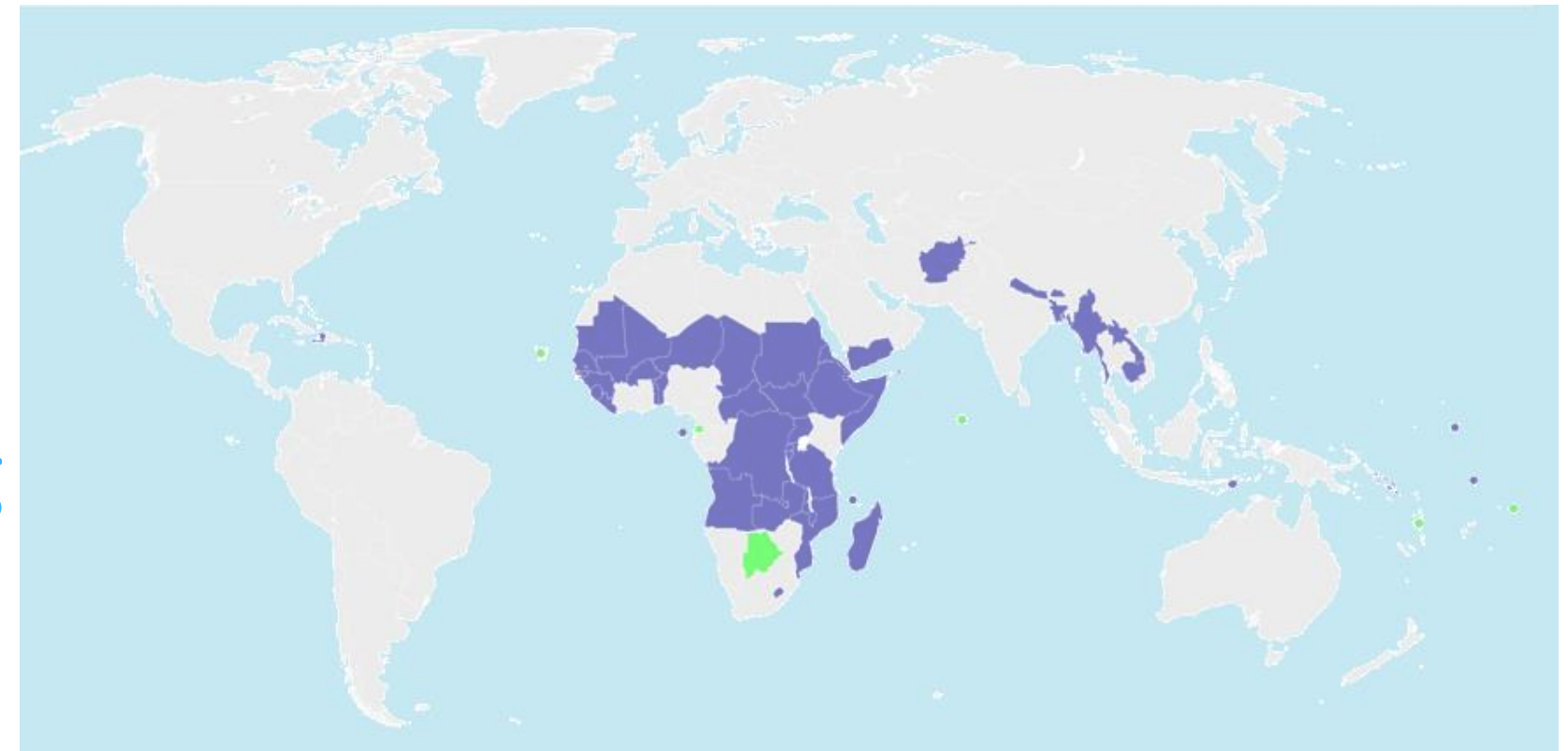
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The capacity awards programme targets:
young and mid-career professionals who are

- already in public service sector
and
- nationals of and working in
a small island developing
State (SIDS)
or
- nationals of and working
in a **least developed
country (LDC).**



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What are the C.A.P.A.C.I.T.Y. Fellowship expectations?

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Expectations:

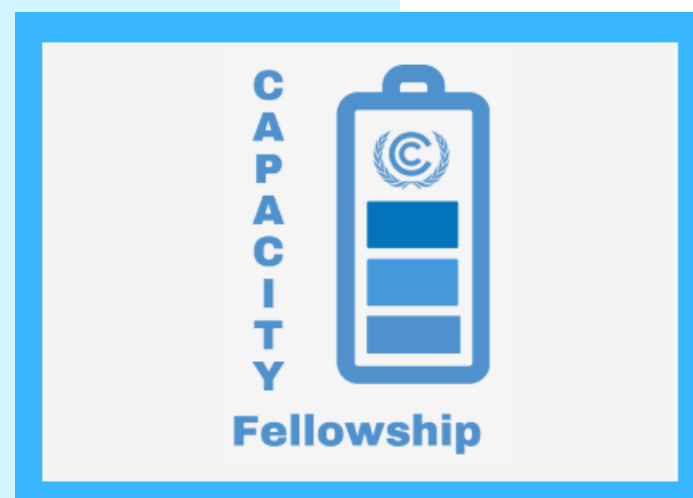
From the Fellows

- Obtain employer's approval of training
and permission for leave of absence
- Certify return to institution for at least six months
- Produce a final report
- Come to the secretariat with an attitude to learn and develop

From the Hosting secretariat Team

- Develop suitable expression of interest
- Nominate a supervisor
- Monitor progress and make final appraisal of the Fellow

- **Provide training in professional expertise on climate change**



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Who **were** the C.A.P.A.C.I.T.Y. Fellows?

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The first round of Fellows came in 2019

- Eight Fellows, four men, four women from:
 - Ethiopia
 - Kiribati
 - Lao PDR
 - Malawi
 - Rwanda
 - Uganda
- *They worked in the following areas:*
 - **Adaptation**
 - **Administrative Services**
 - **Executive Direction and Management**
 - **Legal Affairs**
 - **Means of Implementation**
 - **Mitigation**
 - **Transparency**



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The second round of Fellows came in 2023

- Eleven Fellows, six men, five women from:
 - Antigua & Barbuda
 - Bangladesh
 - Belize
 - Dominican Republic
 - Ethiopia
 - Maldives
 - Mauritius
 - Nepal
 - St Lucia
- *They are working in the following areas:*
 - **Action on Climate Empowerment**
 - **External Relations**
 - **Means of Implementation**
 - **Legal Affairs**
 - **Mitigation**
 - **Transparency**
 - **Programmes Coordination**



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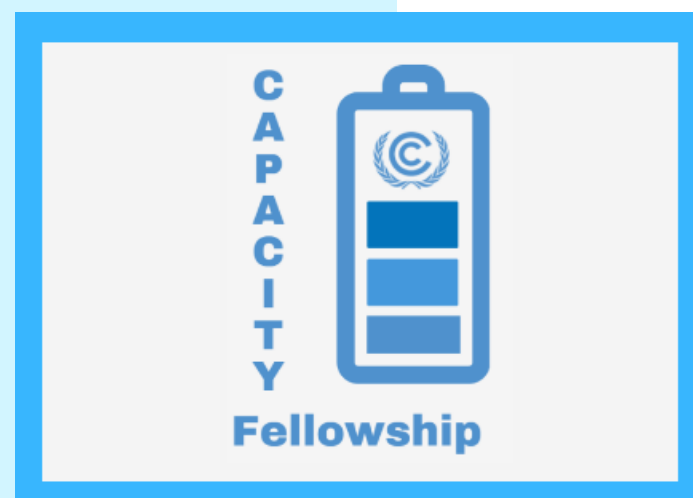
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Experience,
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Fellows' Dialogue – Experience

*Can you tell us more
about your experience
here and why is the
program valuable?*



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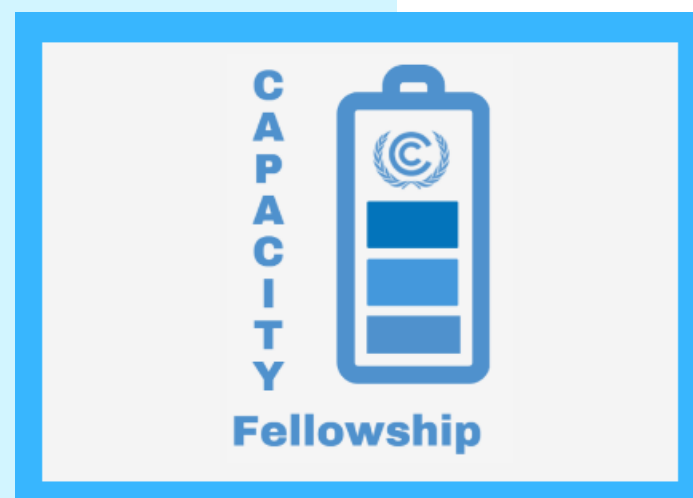
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Fellows' Dialogue –

Motivations:

*Why did you apply for
the **CAPACITY**
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Programme?*



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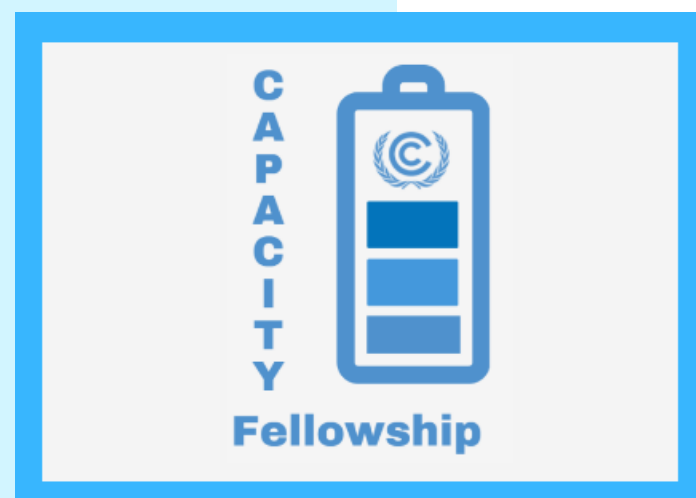
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Fellows' Dialogue –

Ambitions:

*What do you want to
achieve after
completing the
fellowship?*



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CAPACITY fellowship, LDCs and SIDS

*A conversation with
key stakeholders*



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Open discussion

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The chat is now open for questions or requests to take the floor.

1. Questions about the CAPACITY Fellowship
2. Perspectives, experiences and comments



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Thank you for participating in today's Side Event

“Capacity Award Program to Advance Capabilities and Institutional Training in one Year” Fellowship Programme



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