



# **IDDRI side-event**

***May 18, 2012 – Bonn Conference***

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*Learning Platform on Climate Policies*  
*Restitution of activities in China*

## Introduction to the *Learning Platform*

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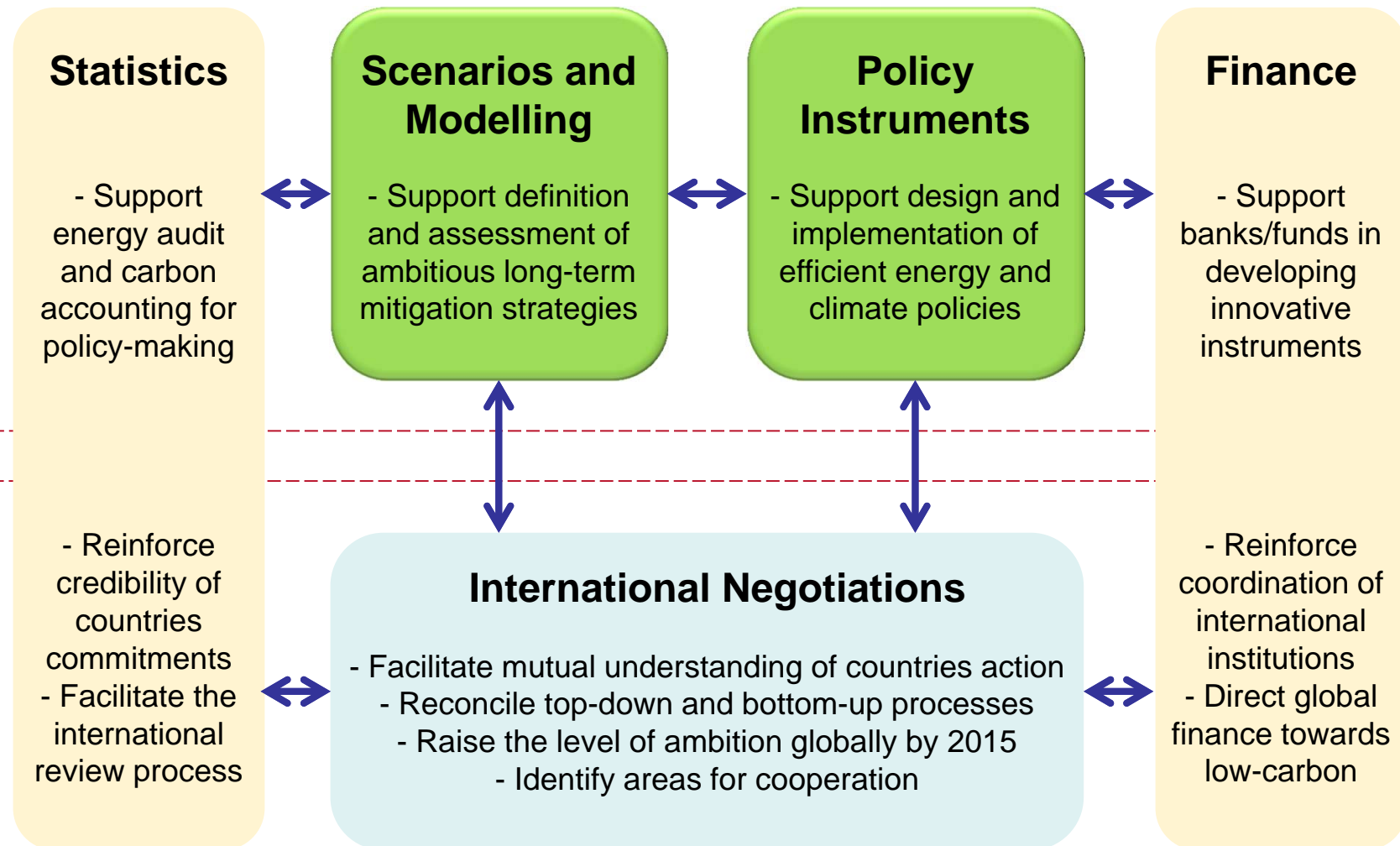
The *Learning Platform* aims at creating an **international network of experts on public climate and energy policies**, fostering exchanges on the many related issues **between the EU and the big emerging countries**

Its main objectives are to:

1. **Facilitate mutual understanding** through policy dialogues of what countries are doing, how and why they are doing it
2. **Encourage cross country experience sharing on climate policy design, implementation and performance assessment**
3. **Support countries in elaborating long-term mitigation strategies** in order to raise globally the level of ambition in climate mitigation

The *Learning Platform* involves the **top-level policy-makers, analysts, researchers and businesses** from the country partners, and it is clearly inscribed within the new **Durban Platform** agenda, focused at 2015

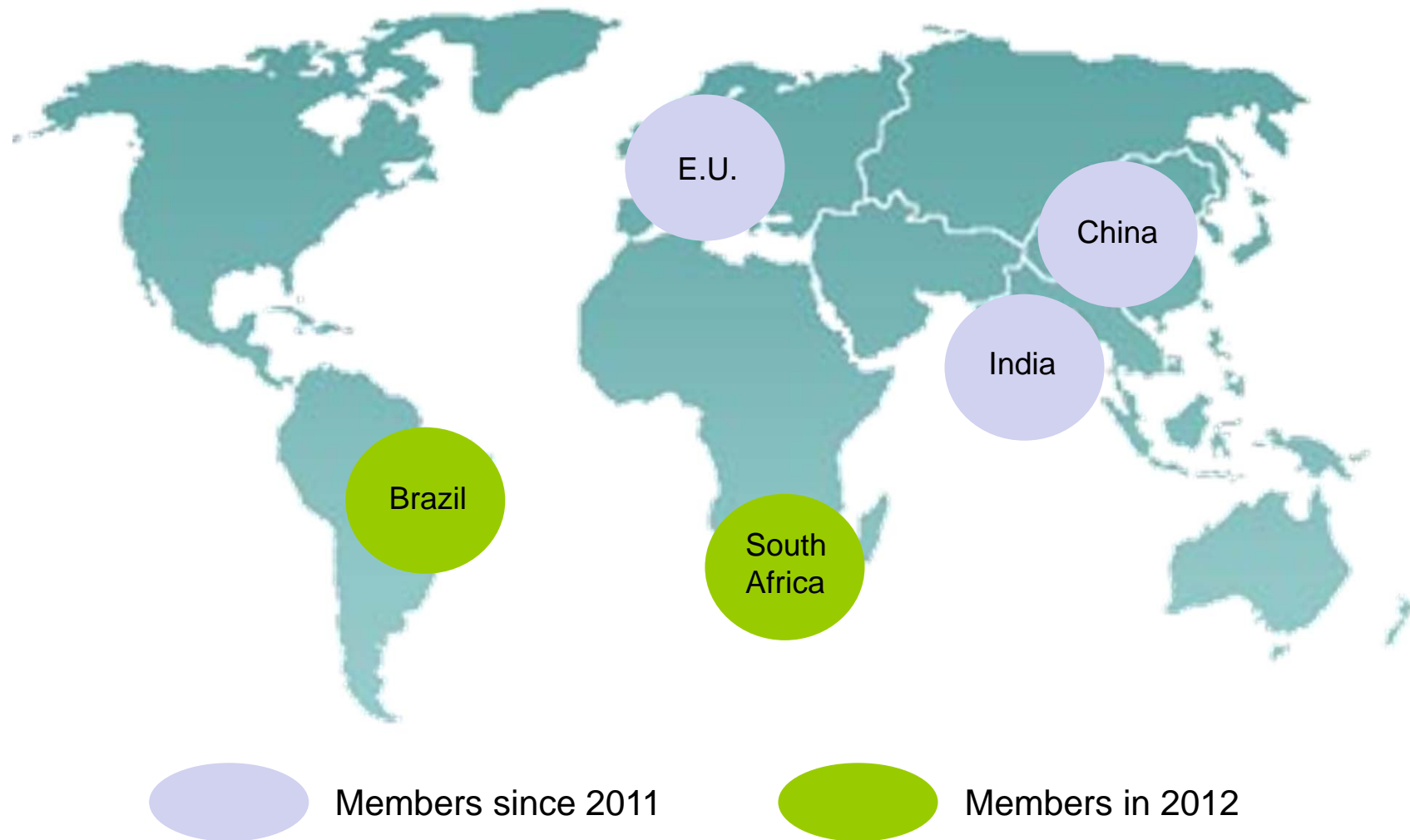
## ***Domestic level of the Learning Platform***



## ***International level of the Learning Platform***

## Countries involved in the *Learning Platform*

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# The *Learning Platform* in China – Key partners



**State Information Centre (SIC)** – National Development and Reform Commission (NDRC)

ETS establishment in Pilot Chinese Provinces

Macro-economic implications of Climate Policies in China



**Energy Research Institute (ERI)** – NDRC

Energy efficiency in industry and buildings

Long-term modelling and low-carbon scenarios



**Climate Policy Initiative (CPI Beijing)**

11th FYP Ex-post assessment

12th FYP Ex-ante assessment and mitigation actions at 2020



**Tsinghua University – Institute for Energy, Environment and Economy**

Climate governance and assessment of policy mix interactions

Green growth prospects for China



**Research Institute for Fiscal Science – Ministry of Finance**

Assessment of energy and carbon fiscal instruments

Complementarity of climate economic instruments

**... and many others (CASS, CCICED, NSCS etc.)**

# The *Learning Platform* in China – Recent events

- International conference on ETS establishment in China, 26 July 2011, Beijing, China

*"China ETS Establishment: lessons from Global experiences"*

- Chinese delegation of the Chinese State Information Center (SIC) visiting EU ETS stakeholders, 18-24 December 2011, Paris, Brussels, Europe

*"ETS establishment and low-carbon economy in China"*

- Side-event at the COP17 presenting the *Learning Platform* initiative, 6 December 2011, Durban, South Africa

*"Building capacities within countries - Building trust between countries"*





## ***The Learning Platform in China – Recent publications***

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Bellevrat, E. 2012. Understanding long-term decarbonisation processes for China: insights from recently published energy-emissions scenarios. Working Papers N°XXX/2012, IDDRI. (to be published)

Teng, F. 2012. [Challenges for climate policy and governance in key emerging countries. China: Enhancing the local-central governance nexus](#). Working Papers N°8/2012, IDDRI.

Li J., Zhang Y., Cai S. 2012. [Establishing an Emissions Trading System in China under the Twelfth Five-Year Plan Policy Considerations](#). Policy Briefs N°02/2012, IDDRI.

Guérin, E., Wang, X. 2012. [Mitigation targets and actions in China up to 2020. Progress towards the 2020 carbon intensity target, allocation of provincial targets, design of carbon market pilots, and links with broader socio economic objectives](#). Working Papers N°01/2012, IDDRI.

Bellevrat, E. 2011. [Climate-related policies in China and India: planning, implementation and linkages with international negotiations](#).. Working Papers N°20/2011, IDDRI.

Bellevrat, E. 2011. [What are the key issues to be addressed by China in its move to establish Emissions Trading Systems?](#) Working Papers N°17/2011, IDDRI.

Wang, X. 2011. [Building MRV for a successful Emissions Trading System in China](#). Working Papers N°16/2011, IDDRI.

## Outline of this Side-event

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### “From climate policies to long-term strategies in China”

#### **1. Challenges for Chinese low-carbon development: governance issues and long-term scenarios**

**Fei Teng** – Tsinghua University (10')

*Low-carbon governance and the Chinese central-provincial nexus*

**Elie Bellevrat** – IDDRI (10')

*Understanding long-term decarbonisation processes for China*

#### **2. Developing Chinese climate policy framework: prospects for carbon markets establishment**

**Elie Bellevrat** – IDDRI (10')

*Mitigation targets and actions in China up to 2020*

**Jean-Yves Caneill** – EDF (10')

*Design and implementation issues for ETS in China: : the power sector case*



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