



## Developing an Africa-wide Digital Education Programme to engage African students in tackling Climate Change and the SDGs



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***'Can we have climate change as part of our curriculum, so that future generations can find a way to undo our mistakes?'***

CLIMATE  
CHANGE,  
the SDGs  
& AFRICA

*This eloquent plea by 11-year old Atreyi was posted on a wall at COP26 in November 2021. A Joint Ministerial Declaration made by Ministers of Education and Environment at COP 26 on 5th November 2021 committed to:*

***'The integration of sustainability and climate change in formal education systems, including as core curriculum components, in guidelines, teacher training, examination standards and at multiple levels through institutions.'***

In response, the Association of African Universities, the All African Students' Union, the SDG Center for Africa, and Gaia Education, are planning a programme of short digital courses to raise African University students' awareness of the SDGs and Climate Change from an African perspective. The courses will provide them with the tools, inspiration, courses and connections to become ambassadors, leading Africa's transition to regenerative development in their own spheres of influence.

The ultimate goal is to ensure that all 20 million higher education students in Africa benefit from the programme by the end of the decade.

***Every single African University student can and should make a difference.***

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