Update on the work of the Paris Committee on Capacity-building in 2018

COP 24 Side Event

Monday, 3 December 2018

Room Bieszczady
Aim of the Paris Committee on Capacity-building

“... to address gaps and needs, both current and emerging, in implementing capacity-building in developing country Parties and further enhance capacity-building efforts, including with regard to coherence and coordination in capacity-building activities under the Convention.” (1/CP.21, paragraph 71)
## Key milestones

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| 2015 | • PCCB established by the COP  
      • Manages and oversees 2016-2020 capacity-building workplan |
| 2016 | • Adoption of the PCCB terms of reference  
      • Nomination of members |
| 2017 | • First meeting of the PCCB  
      • Technical exchange on 2017 focus area  
      • 2017 annual technical progress report  
      • Side event at COP 23 |
| 2018 | • Second meeting of the PCCB  
      • 2018 annual technical progress report  
      • Further enhancement of the Capacity-building portal  
      • COP 24 side events and Capacity-building Hub  
      • Launch of digital Capacity-building Network |
| 2019 | • Third meeting of the PCCB  
      • 2019 annual technical progress report  
      • COP to review the progress, need for extension, the effectiveness and enhancement of the PCCB |
Work plan

The PCCB has been tasked with overseeing and managing the 2016-2020 capacity-building workplan launched by COP 21, which encompasses nine areas.

1/CP.21, para. 72-73
Work plan (contd.)

COP 22 requested the PCCB to address a number of additional areas

16/CP.22, para. 4
Based on its aim and mandates, the PCCB adopted a rolling work plan for the period 2017-2019;

Implemented through the lens of the PCCB’s annual focus area or theme (2017-2019 focus area: Capacity-building activities for the implementation of NDCs);

Supported through four thematic PCCB working groups focused on:

- **Strengthening linkages** with the constituted bodies and relevant processes and initiatives under and outside the Convention
- **Cross-cutting issues** such as gender responsiveness, human rights, and indigenous peoples’ knowledge
- Enhancing the **Capacity-building Portal**
- Identifying **capacity gaps and needs**
# Outcomes of the 2^{nd} meeting of the PCCB (May 2018)

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- Assessing NDC related capacity gaps and needs at national level
- Integrating cross-cutting issues
- Strengthening the Durban Forum
Finalization of the Annual Technical Progress Report including recommendations to the COP

Ongoing:

- **National-level pilot exercise** on assessing capacity gaps and needs related to NDC implementation
- Work on enhancing the **Capacity-building Portal**
- Consultations on linkages and collaboration opportunities with actors under and outside the Convention concerning all areas of the PCCB’s rolling workplan
PCCB National-level pilot exercise
Assessing capacity gaps and needs related to NDC implementation

**Jul**
Selection of countries: Burundi, China, Dominican Republic, Georgia, Guatemala, Indonesia

**Aug**
Stakeholder mapping and outreach

**Sep-Dec**
- Gathering of information on NDC-related capacity-building needs and gaps
- Identification of success factors, good practices or lessons learned to close existing capacity gaps

**Jan ‘19**
- Compilation of country reports

**Feb-Apr ‘19**
- Preparation of compilation and synthesis report, including policy recommendations to the COP

**May-Jun ‘19**
- Report publication and presentation at PCCB 3
PCCB Capacity-building Hub - Series of Events, 5-12 Dec at COP 24

Capacity-building Hub: Enhancing Capacity-building Action

Series of Events / 5-12 December 2018
RYSY Meeting Room 24 - Area E

Webpage: https://unfccc.int/node/182226
Capacity-building Network on Facebook

https://www.facebook.com/pccb.unfccc/
Recommendations for consideration by the COP

- The PCCB develops sensible policy recommendations to support countries in enhancing climate action

- Latest recommendations for consideration by COP 24 contained in our 2018 annual technical progress report (FCCC/SBI/2018/15)

- Derived from our analysis of climate capacity-building issues, our regular dialogues with constituted bodies and other stakeholders, and the outcomes of the 7th Durban Forum (May 2018)

- Include recommendations on how Parties and other stakeholders can further enhance capacity-building activities and recommendations related to the further implementation of the PCCB’s rolling workplan
Get more information through...

... our reports:

➢ Report of the 2\textsuperscript{nd} meeting of the PCCB

... our webpage & Facebook network:

➢ www.unfccc.int/process-and-meetings/bodies/constituted-bodies/paris-committee-on-capacity-building
➢ www.facebook.com/pccb.unfccc/

... or through contacting us via email at:

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... and meet us at our other events at COP 24

- ‘Building Capacity for Integrating Human Rights into Climate Action’
  Joint Side Event with the Office of the High Commissioner on Human Rights (OHCHR) and Mary Robinson Foundation - Climate Justice
  7 December, 13:15-14:45, Room Pieniny

- PCCB Capacity-building Hub - Series of Events
  5-12 December, RYSY Meeting Room 24 - Area E