


A photograph of a woman with dark hair in braids, wearing a bright red jacket, sitting in a small, light-colored boat on a body of water. The boat has two red stripes. There are blue plastic bags in the boat. The water is dark blue and slightly choppy. The image is on the left side of the slide, separated from the text by a vertical red line.

Gender-responsive Climate Change Frameworks (ccGAPs)

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Climate Change Gender Action Plans

LIBERIA

Climate Change and Gender Action Plan





“Climate change is the most urgent and critical issue of our time. Ensuring equitable participation of women and men in developing solutions to this challenge is paramount to moving towards a sustainable future. Women’s participation at all levels is integral to achieving the goals of sustainable development and poverty alleviation, as women and children are the ones greatly affected by the impact of climate change. (The) development of a gender sensitive climate change strategy...will lead to the women of Liberia taking ownership and deciding what they want as it relates to climate change.”

Julia Duncan Cassell, Minister of Gender and Development, Government

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JORDAN

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How We Develop a ccGAP



Take Stock

Level Playing Field

Capture Diverse Voices

Prioritize Actions

1.

- Analysis of country's legislative and policy framework and institutional initiatives on gender and climate change
- Mapping of stakeholders
- Interviews with key stakeholders and potential champions
- Assessment of technical capacities

2.

- Training for women and women's organizations
- Establishment of women's priorities in relation to gender and climate change

3.

- Multi-stakeholder workshop(s) with government, civil society, international institutions, academia, etc.
- Assessment of gender and climate change in-country, and development of action steps across priority sectors


4.

- Validation process
- Formalize and publish
- Development of projects
- Inclusion in national strategies

Inclusive

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Impulse/propel transformational change

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Impact reduction of emissions

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Increase sustainability

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Improve quality of life

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Innovation



Gender-Responsive

Gender-responsive: Entails identifying, reflecting, and implementing needed interventions to address gender gaps and overcome historical gender biases in policies and interventions—contributes to the advancement of gender equality with an idea to ‘do better’

More than just women’s participation



Examples

- Women environmental whistleblowers
- Climate change health kits
- Backpacks for life
- Beast of the leaks
- Water taxi network



Sonora ccGAP

- First ccGAP in a protected area
- Governed by an indigenous community
- <https://youtu.be/ylxE6xXYzhQ>



Themes

1. Food safety
2. Health
3. Water and sanitation
4. Integral management of solid waste
5. Energy and transport
6. Comprehensive disaster risk management
7. Fishing
8. Sustainable economic activities and productive diversification





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