

Pan-Africa policy and enabling environment component (PEEC)

Sub-output 1.2: Existing platforms leveraged for enhancing the enabling environment for accelerated investments in CIS

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Sub-output Objective

 Make submissions into the agenda of major events, convene events at major dialogue forums, and submit inputs into outcome statements.











Climate Change and Development in Africa (CCDA)

Prof. Godwin Olu Patrick Obasi memorial Lecture

- Part of Climate Information Services (CIS) Day
- The keynote lectures seek to spotlight contemporary issues in CIS
- Inaugural lecture by the late Prof. Laban Ogallo at CCDA-VI in 2016
- Other lectures at CCDA-VII in Nairobi, CCDA-VIII in Addis Ababa and CCDA-IX in Santa Maria, Cape Verde







Climate Change and Development in Africa (CCDA)

Climate Information Services (CIS) Day panel discussions

- Have been held at every CCDA
- Panelists are regional and international CIS and development experts
- Panels take Davos style format with moderator, followed by QnA







Africa Regional Forum on Sustainable Development (ARFSD)

- ACPC technical papers written for ARFSD
- Throughout the WISER project, key messages on CIS submitted at the Forum each year, and ultimately end at HLPF





 Key messages are implemented by Member States







Africa Ministerial Conference on the Environment (**AMCOMET**)

ACPC draft Decision 3 – 2017/9 under Emerging Issues was adopted as stated below:

Recognizing the potential opportunities and challenges of private sector participation in the production and delivery of public goods, including climate information and services, notes with appreciation the proposal from UNECA, through the African Climate Policy Center (ACPC) to carry out a study on the implications of the privatization of climate services and invites ACPC to present its findings during the Fourth Session of AMCOMET"







AU Specialized Technical Committee (STC)

Second Ordinary Session of the Specialized Technical Committee (STC) On Agriculture, Rural Development, Water and Environment (Ministers' Session) of 02-06 October 2017

"the importance of mainstreaming climate information and service into policy, planning and processes was discussed and acknowledged. The STC "Called upon Member States to **increase their investments in generation** and mainstreaming of weather and climate information and services into their **national transformation agenda**"







Examples of events convened

CCDA VII:

- CIS in support of Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs);
- Socio-economic benefits (SEB) of CIS in key development sectors;
- Climate Research for Development (CR4D) grant management mechanism.
- 6th ARFSD, Victoria Falls:
- CR4D Research and Its Application for Development COP26:
- SEB of CIS In Different Sectors For Enhanced Investment;
- Highlighting research outputs from the CR4D postdoc fellowships









Further information



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