Strengthening the capacity of Direct Access Entities through the Community of Practice for Direct Access Entities (CPDAE) to access climate finance and implement adaptation and mitigation programs and projects
Agenda

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Overview: CPDAE

A global network integrated by National Implementing Entities (NIEs) of the Adaptation Fund (AF) and Direct Access Entities (DAEs) of the Green Climate Fund (GCF), involved in the programming of climate change adaptation and mitigation finance through the Direct Access Modality.

Best practice approach to enhance country ownership of climate projects

The purpose of the CPDAE:

- Increase the effectiveness of entities in accessing resources
- Programming those resources
- Implementing adaptation and mitigation projects and programs
- Through the Direct Access Modality
Objective of the Readiness

Strengthen the CPDAE at an institutional level, and the capacity of its members to perform better and access climate finance and develop and implement adaptation and mitigation projects and programs efficiently.
Key Facts of the Readiness

Type of Support

- ✓ Capacity building
- ✓ Pipeline Development
- ✓ Knowledge sharing and learning

GCF Funds allocated by NDAs: € 991,810.00 (USD 1,170,435)

Lead NDA: Ministry of Economy and Finance (Peru)

Delivery Partner: GIZ

GCF Approval: 30th of December 2021

Implementation period: 24 months
Overview: Participants of the Readiness

- **CPDAE members: 30**
  - 19 CPDAE members with Letter of Support from their NDA
  - 11 CPDAE members without Letter of Support from their NDA

**✓** All CPDAE members will participate in the activities designed for this Readiness, *except for one activity*, which contemplates a tailored consultancy for CPDAE members with Letters of Support from their NDAs.

**✓** National Designated Authorities (NDAs) / Designated Authorities (DAs) will be invited to participate in open online trainings amongst other relevant activities.
Coordination Structure

Green Climate Fund
- Grant Agreement
- Reporting
- Partnership to support CPDAE

Adaptation Fund
- The GCF through its Country Programming Division (Programming Team) and the Office of Governance Affairs along with the AF will support the oversight of the implementation of CPDAE Action Plan (and later the Strategic Framework)

Delivery Partner (GIZ)
- 1 long-term consultant
  - (Provide technical support for CPDAE Committee in readiness grant implementation)

Project Management Unit (GIZ)
- Contract, supervise and coordinate
- Report

Consultants
- Provide Services
- Provide feedback

CPDAE Committee
- Review and validate all deliverables and reporting
- Technical support

Lead NDA – Peru
- (strategic oversight, validation of reporting, engagement with the country’s DAE/NIE in support activities)

(National) Designated Authorities
- (engagement with the countries’ DAEs/NIEs in support activities)

CPDAE members
- (active engagement in support activities)
Outcomes & Targets

**Outcome 1.2:** Accreditation (re-accreditation/accreditation upgrade) and capacity building support for DAE and NIE

**Target:** The Community of Practice of DAEs/NIEs has an operational and efficient governance framework (Charter of Governance and guidelines) and strategic framework. The capacity of its members is improved on project design and oversight as well as re-accreditation / accreditation upgrade.

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**Outcome 4.2:** Pipeline development for DAEs and NIEs

**Target:** CPDAE members have updated/improved their pipeline of projects in alignment with countries’ priorities and entities capabilities and have a roster of experts available to support the development of good quality CNs and FPs.

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**Outcome 5.1:** Best practices and experience sharing

**Target:** The CPDAE community has knowledge sharing materials available to share lessons learned, best practices, and to facilitate their engagement with the GCF & AF and the mobilization of funds from the GCF & AF.
Output 1.2.1:
Governance framework updated - Charter of Governance and Committee Guidelines
Possible virtual interviews with NDAs/DAs, GCF and AF

Output 1.2.2:
CPDAE Strategic framework, Roadmaps and M&E Framework developed
Possible virtual interviews with NDAs/DAs, GCF and AF

Output 1.2.3:
CPDAE Communication and outreach mechanisms strengthened
COP 27/28 CPDAE side events will be open to general public

Output 1.2.4:
Capacity of CPDAE members on climate projects design and implementation strengthened
NDAs/Das will be invited to participate in online training sessions

Output 1.2.5:
Re-accreditation / accreditation upgrade self-assessment tool developed
NDAs/DAs will be invited to participate in online training sessions
Outcomes

**Outcome 4.2**
Pipeline development for DAEs and NIEs

**Outcome 5.1**
Best practices and experience sharing.

**Output 4.2.1:**
CPDAE members’ project pipelines updated / improved

- Working sessions between CPDAE members and their respective NDA/DAs to define and prioritize transformational projects - *(only for CPDAE members with Letters of Support from their NDAs)*
- NDA/DAs will have access to the roster of experts in Concept Notes and Funding Proposal high-quality design

**Output 5.1.1:**
Knowledge sharing materials on project design and implementation available

- NDA/DAs will have access to materials focusing on lessons learned and experience sharing
Monitoring & Evaluation

- Bi-annual progress report according to the GCF’s templates.
  - To be proofread and signed by the Lead NDA
- Periodic progress update meetings between GIZ and the CPDAE committee and NDAs / DAs
Timeline (contracts, events & reports)

- **2021**
  - **Dec**: Start of the hiring process of the consultancies & services
  - **Feb**: GIZ - GCF sign letters

- **2022**
  - **Mar**: GIZ - GCF sign letters
  - **Apr**: Report to GCF

- **2023**
  - **Jan**: Readiness Approval
  - **Feb**: Report to GCF
  - **Mar**: COP 27 Side Event
  - **Apr**: Report to GCF
  - **May**: COP 28 Side Event

- **2024**
  - **Jan**: COP 28 Side Event
  - **Feb**: Report to GCF
  - **Mar**: CPDAE Annual Meeting

*tentative
Next Steps

• GCF and GIZ to sign letters & GCF first disbursement.

• In coordination with the CPDAE Committee:
  
  ✓ Develop ToRs for initial consultants.
  
  ✓ Design an Operational Manual and Plan; design a M&E Plan.
  
  ✓ **GIZ to inform/coordinate** with CPDAE Members and NDAs / DAs **upcoming activities.**
Q & A
Thank you.