



Coalition on Paris Agreement Capacity Building

GEF Consultative Dialogue on Capacity-building Initiative for Transparency

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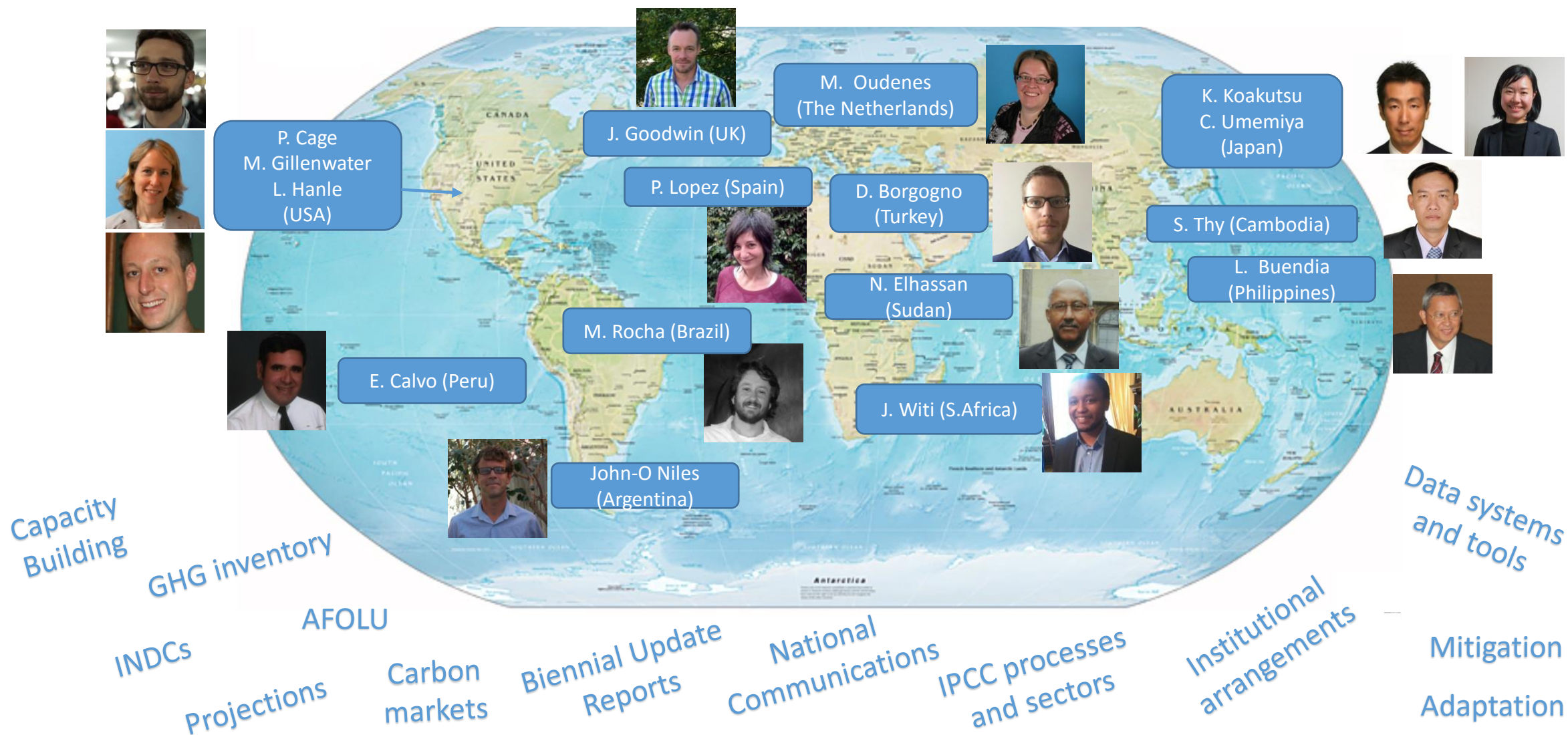
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*“Leadership for Empowering
People and Institutions in the
New Era of Climate Action”*

Mission

- 1) Constructive and timely recommendations for a global capacity building strategy
- 2) Expert forum for the coordination and acceleration of improved capacity building activities
- 3) Expert input to the PCCB and CBIT

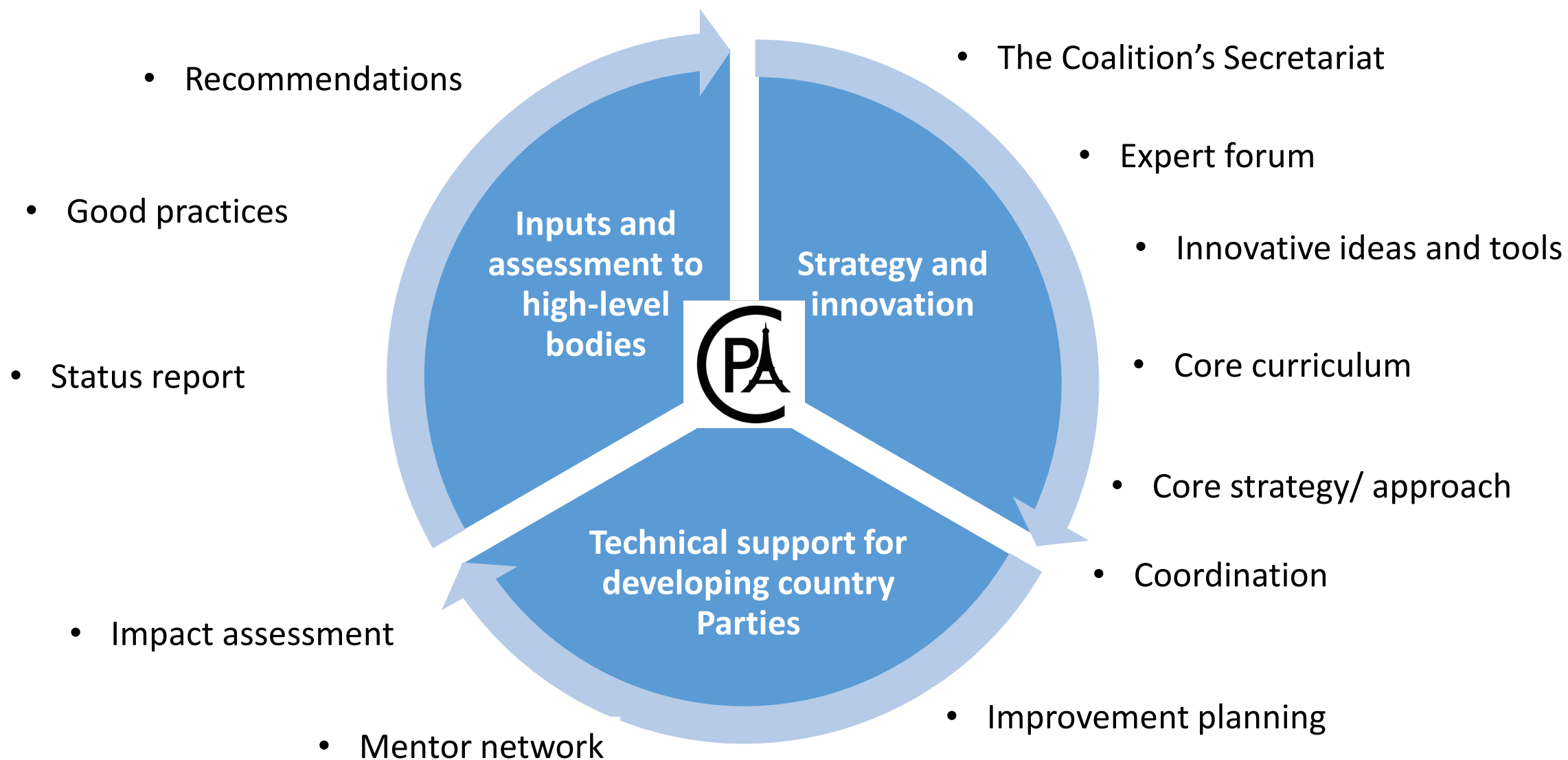
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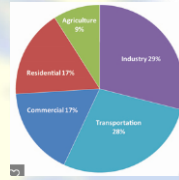
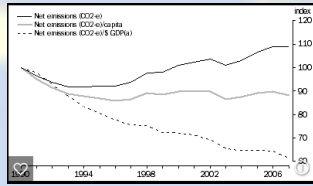
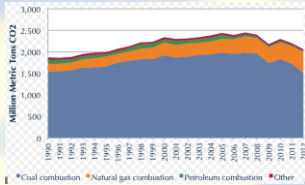


A Vision to Transform Capacity Building

- Close the gap between the ambition and contributions expressed in the Paris Agreement and the ability of countries to meet their goals, by engaging with countries to develop, support and strengthen national and institutional capacities
- Shift global thinking and engagement on capacity building from a patchwork of activities to more intense and coordinated efforts for the transfer of knowledge and resources

Coalition's Roles on Transparency





National MRV systems products:

- “Mitigation Actions” planned & successfully delivered
- Transparent official reports (NDC, BUR/BR, NC, NIR)
- Effective education, awareness and stakeholder engagement



- Knowledge & Solutions
- Country Experts
- Good Practice/Lessons Learned

- Mentoring/Training/Trust & Confidence building
- Experts community



Accelerating “Mitigation Action” by building trust and understanding.

- Bring together respected knowledgeable people (Annex I and non Annex I).
- Strong peer to peer practitioner network
- Efficient knowledge sharing and training.
- Tried, tested, peer-reviewed MRV solutions (templates and tools).

- Advice & Thought Leadership
- Solutions/Knowledge sharing
- Engagement & project linking

Capacity Building Leaders

UNFCCC

International Partnership on Mitigation and MRV

PCCB

GEF

CGE

ICAT

UNDP

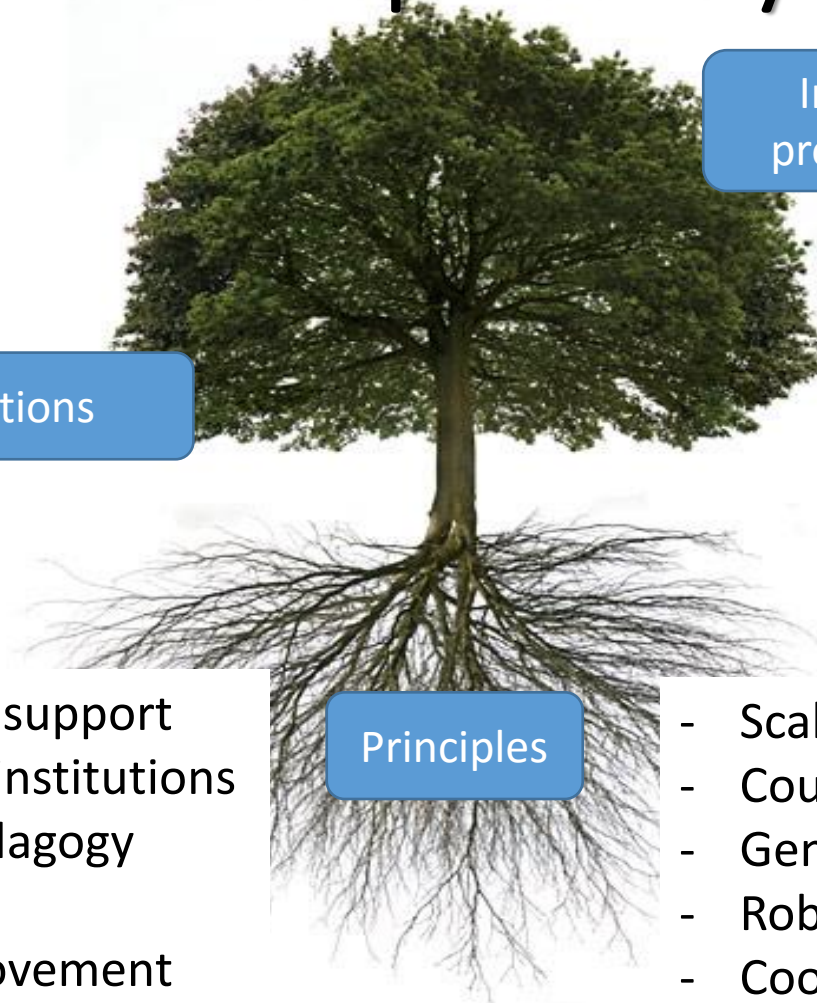
Country lead initiatives

UNEP

e.g. Germany, USA, Norway, Japan, EU, Chile, South Africa,

CBIT

Working more intelligently, strategically and cooperatively



Recommendations

Implement specific projects and activities

Principles

- Ambitious and meaningful support
- Focus on both people and institutions
- Constructed with good pedagogy
- Learn from experience
- Continuous/ iterative improvement

- Scalable and cost-effective
- Country driven-country owned
- Gender responsive
- Robust technical expert reviews
- Coordination with PCCB and CBIT

Coalition's Recommendations

1. Initiate “Fast start” activities
2. Support country-lead facilitative peer assessment
3. Nurture and build embedded in-country professional communities
4. Broaden the scope of stakeholders for country MRV activities
5. Establish a common core of learning and professional development activities

Coalition's Recommendations

6. Use smart IT tools and innovative mentoring processes
7. Invest in pilot projects
8. Integrate capacity building with national priorities (e.g. energy security, health and poverty).
9. Develop new and embed climate knowledge in existing academic programmes (e.g. engineering, accountancy, biotechnology)
10. Provide experts with a forum for discussion

Taking Innovative Actions

Institutional Arrangements and Training

- Activity 1: Facilitative peer assessments and improvements
- Activity 2: MRV training and tailored scholarships
- Activity 3: Translation of IPCC course material into Spanish and French
- Activity 4: Institutional Arrangements Tool
- Activity 5: Embedding transparency training and education into existing academic and research institutions
- Activity 6: New transparency (MRV) training curriculum
- Activity 7: Informal benchmarking and tracking country levels of transparency and institutional capacity

Expert and Knowledge Networks

- Activity 8: Mentor network on transparency
- Activity 9: Knowledge sharing platform on transparency (MRV)

Other Innovative Activity Concepts

- Activity 10: Integrated approaches for GHG and air pollution data
- Activity 11: NGO engagement in national verification/review activities
- Activity 12: Transparent GHG data presentation and viewers
- Activity 13. Secretariat for Coalition on Paris Agreement Capacity Building

Coalition Strategy in Action



Fast start

**Expanding access to
2006 IPCC Guidelines
courses**

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Actions

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Coalition Strategy in Action



Fast start

Enabling countries
to access GEF
funding

Principles

- Country-driven, country-owned

Recommendations

- Country lead facilitative peer assessment

Actions

- Facilitative peer assessments leading to development of country-specific work-plan

Moving forward

- Publish our strategy to massively scale up smarter, country-owned capacity building efforts in developing countries
- Engage and collaborate with practitioners and programs (including GEF, UNDP, UNFCCC) to begin transforming the concept of capacity building for MRV
- Take action; collaborate with others in “fast start” activities
- Host a side-event during the May 2016 subsidiary body meetings

The Coalition looks forward to continuing
the discussion!

Thank you

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