



## Webinar #2 on Mainstreaming Approaches and Tools

### *Virtual Training Workshops on Mainstreaming Environment and Climate Change in United Nations Sustainable Development Cooperation Frameworks*

*UN Inter-agency Issue-Based Coalition on Environment and Climate Change  
for Europe and Central Asia*

The United Nations Issue-based Coalition on Environment and Climate Change for Europe and Central Asia (IBC) is pleased to offer a two-part virtual training workshop on guidance for UN Resident Coordinator Offices and Country Teams for mainstreaming environment and climate change issues into UN Sustainable Development Cooperation Frameworks (UNSDCFs). Part I of the workshop was an overview and experience-sharing webinar held on December 9<sup>th</sup> for representatives of RCOs and UNCTs from Central Asia, Southeast Europe and Turkey, and Eastern Europe and the Caucasus. The recording of this webinar can be viewed at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8xbQKZqx6Xw>

**Part II of the workshop will provide training on specific approaches and tools for mainstreaming environment and climate change in UNSDFs. It will be held in January 2022 in three separate webinars for the subregions of Central Asia, South-Eastern Europe & Turkey, and Eastern Europe & the Caucasus.**

- **Central Asia:** January 13<sup>th</sup> (5am CET)
- **Southeast Europe & Turkey:** January 20<sup>th</sup> (3pm CET)
- **Eastern Europe & Caucasus:** January 27<sup>th</sup> (11am CET)

Mainstreaming environment and climate change issues into UNSDCFs is more urgent than ever to help ensure that risks posed by current and future climate change and various forms of environmental degradation do not derail achievement of national development priorities and the global sustainable development goals. The importance of a healthy environment and a stable climate has been placed in stark relief of late, owing to a range of climate-related disasters experienced across the region and with biodiversity and forest conservation playing a key role in preventing future pandemics of zoonotic origin, among many other critical environment and human well-being interlinkages.

Elaboration of mainstreaming guidance responds to the request by Resident Coordinators in the Europe and Central Asia region to provide support in identifying key regional environmental and climate change risks, challenges and opportunities. The [Guidance on Mainstreaming Environment and Climate Change in UNSDCFs](#) was released by the Issue-based Coalition in June 2021 and this two-part training webinar series is to help increase awareness and build capacity on this critically important aspect of UN support to Member States.

**Training objective:** Enhanced understanding of entry points and practical approaches and tools for mainstreaming environment and climate change into UNSDCFs.



**Target learners:** UN Resident Coordinator Offices and Country Teams (including environment and non-environment mandated/focused staff) in three regions - Central Asia, South-Eastern Europe & Turkey, Eastern Europe & the Caucasus.

**Total time required for participants to complete the training:** 4 hours (two, 2-hour sessions)

**Delivery mode and agenda:** Live, using Zoom Meetings.

<b>Webinar #2: Approaches and Tools for Mainstreaming Environment and Climate Change in UNSDFs</b>	
<b>Timing</b>	<b>Agenda Item</b>
0-15min	<p><b>Welcome and Introductions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Welcome Remarks:</u> IBC representatives</li> <li>● <u>Webinar Overview:</u> Training co-facilitators from the International Institute for Sustainable Development</li> <li>● <u>Recap of the First Training Webinar:</u> Overview and Slido Knowledge Quiz</li> </ul>
15-60min	<p><b>Approaches and Tools for Mainstreaming Environment and Climate Change into Cooperation Frameworks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Presentation:</u> Approaches and Tools for Mainstreaming Environment and Climate Change into UNSDFs, Ms. Henrieta Martonakova – lead author, Mainstreaming Guidance Document</li> <li>● <u>Q&amp;A:</u> Moderated by co-facilitators</li> <li>● <u>Slido Knowledge Quiz</u></li> </ul>
60-110min	<p><b>Details and Discussion on Mainstreaming Approaches and Tools</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Plenary Instructions:</u> Co-facilitators to present context and instructions</li> <li>● <u>Breakout Rooms:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Room #1 - Mainstreaming Tools for the Common Country Analysis:</u> Presentation, case examples and discussion of tools for identifying linkages among environment/climate change issues and development priorities.</li> <li>● <u>Room #2 - Mainstreaming Tools for Cooperation Framework Design and Monitoring &amp; Evaluation:</u> Presentation, case examples and discussion of tools for mainstreaming in the Results Framework and identifying indicators/targets.</li> </ul> </li> <li>● <u>Plenary Discussion:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Synthesis:</u> Sharing of breakout room insights and experiences</li> <li>● <u>Q&amp;A:</u> Opportunity for UNCTs to seek advice from colleagues related to specific issues currently being dealt with in mainstreaming environment and climate change into UNSDFs.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
110-120min	<p><b>Conclusions and Closing Remarks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Certificates of Participation:</u> IBC representative</li> <li>● <u>Closing Remarks:</u> IBC representatives</li> </ul>

## Contact

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