

*Is Green Economy a National or Regional
Policy Issue?: Lessons from Capacity
Building in promoting Innovative Policies
on Green Technologies and Public-Private
Partnerships*

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Outline of the presentation:

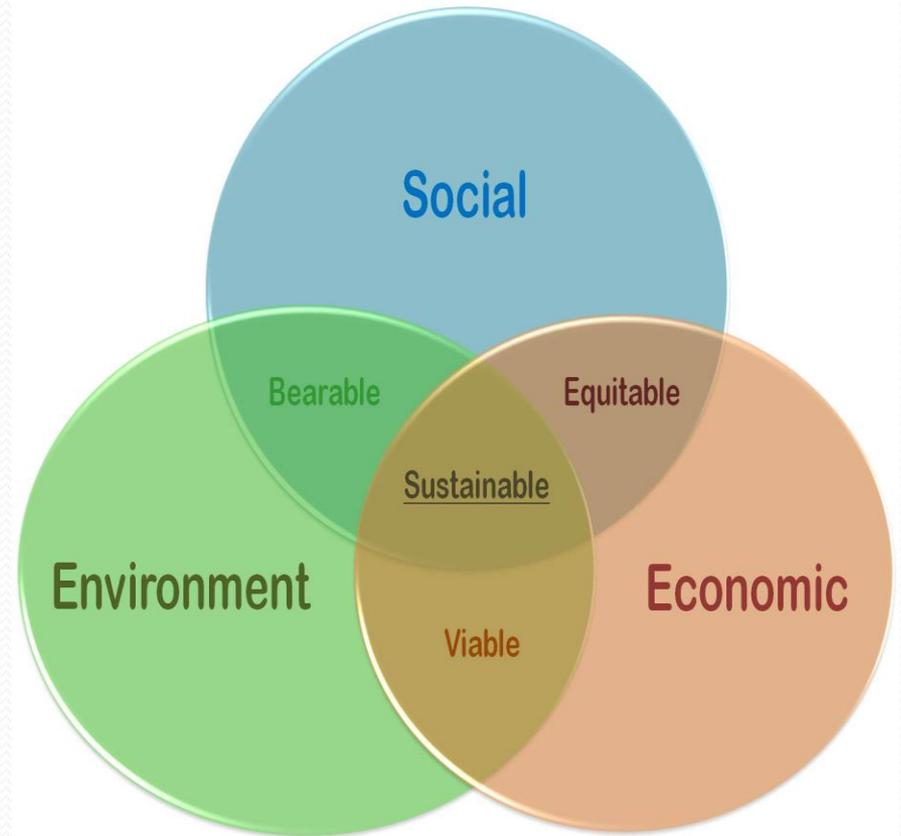


- What are the approaches in capacity building on sustainable development?
- Is Green Economy a National or Regional Policy Issue?
- What is the role of capacity building development in promoting Green Economy at national and regional levels?
- What should be the design of future capacity building development? Should the future capacity building seminars be regional or country level events?

Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) have three major pillars and we have to address capacity building for “The Future We Want”

Three pillars of SDG:

- Social;
- Economic, and
- Environmental



Capacity Building



Community Capacity building, also referred to as [capacity development](#), is a conceptual approach to development that focuses on

- Understanding the obstacles that inhibit people, governments, international organizations and non-governmental organizations;
- Realizing their developmental goals, while
- Enhancing the abilities that will allow them
- Achieving measurable and sustainable results.

Capacity building is an important part of SDG at national, regional and international levels helps to:



- Disseminate knowledge;
- Work directly with main stakeholders;
- Localize knowledge;
- Improve knowledge and technology absorbing



New approach to capacity building
(CB) requires the following 3-*i*:

- Interdisciplinary approach to CB;
- Interactive approach
- Inclusive approach

Capacity building in the regional and sub-regional levels faces several challenges:



- Identifying appropriate thematic approach;
- Identifying an appropriate target audience;
- Identifying appropriate training/capacity building tools in delivering knowledge

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Appropriate approach



- Level of knowledge delivery;
- Technical details and nuances appropriate to the audience
- Engaging the target audience;
- Educating decision makers;
- Building a dialogue between stakeholders.

Identifying appropriate target audience/stakeholders



- Identifying stakeholders;
- Selecting target groups and individuals;
- Bringing them together at the national level;
- Bringing them together at the regional level;
- Bringing them together at the international level;

Appropriate training tools and technique:



- The style of trainings;
- The depth of trainings;
- The intensity of trainings;
- The ways of engaging audience;
- The ways of promoting networking and further activities

Choosing level of training

- National level;
- Regional level;
- International level.



Is Green Economy a National or Regional Policy Issue?

Challenges

- Policies are introduced at national level;
- Not enough of collaboration between countries on bilateral bases;
- Not adequate collaboration at the regional level



What is the role of capacity building development in promoting Green Economy at national and regional levels?



- Bringing together stakeholders within the countries;
- Organizing meetings of stakeholders from different countries;
- Organizing events with international organizations;



Should the future capacity building seminars be regional or country level events?

Regional ,
or
National



What should be the design of future capacity building development?

- Traditional;
- Interactive ,
- Teleconference

Case studies

- UNECE Workshop in Bishkek;
- UNECE Workshop in Ashgabat;
- UNECE Workshop in Astana



Thank You!

