

# INTEGRATING GENDER AND CLIMATE CHANGE ACTIONS IN ADB OPERATIONS IN CENTRAL AND WEST ASIA





9-11 October 2023 • Tashkent, Uzbekistan



## DAY 1 (9 October 2023)

### Opening Activities

Moderator: **Mary Alice Rosero**

8:30–9:20 a.m	Opening Remarks		<b>Kanokpan Lao-Araya</b> Country Director Uzbekistan Resident Mission Asian Development Bank
	Welcome Remarks		<b>Ozoda Parpiboyeva</b> Chairperson Committee for Family and Women Republic of Uzbekistan
	Keynote: Promoting Gender Equality and Enhancing Climate Change Response in ADB Operations		<b>Jesper Petersen</b> Regional Head Operations Coordination Central and West Asia Department Asian Development Bank
	Message of Support		<b>Ceren Güven Güres</b> Country Programme Manager for Uzbekistan UN Women
	Group photo		
9:20–9:45 a.m	Group Exercise 1		



## Session 1: Climate Change is Not Gender Neutral: Understanding the Climate Change and Gender Nexus

Moderator: **Farida Djumabaeva**

9:45–9:50 a.m	Video Presentation		
9:50–10:20 a.m	Understanding Climate Change		<b>Malte Maass</b> Asian Development Bank
10:20–10:45 a.m	Plenary discussion		
10:45–11 a.m	COFFEE BREAK		
11–11:20 a.m	Group Exercise 2		
11:20 a.m–12 p.m.	Addressing Intersecting Issues on Gender and Climate Change		<b>Zonibel Woods</b> Asian Development Bank
12–12:30 p.m	Plenary discussion		
12:30–1:30 p.m.	LUNCH BREAK		
1:30–1:50 p.m	Group Exercise 3		
1:50–2:50 p.m.	Roundtable 1: Gender-Responsive Instruments and Tools for Climate Actions Facilitator: <b>Gulfia Abdullaeva</b>		
	Gender in the Nationally Determined Contributions in the South Caucasus		<b>Anna Samwel</b> Women Engage for a Common Future
	Pakistan's National Climate Change Gender Action Plan of Pakistan		<b>Saima Saleh</b> Ministry of Climate Change
	Vulnerability Assessment Online Tool for Climate Change Adaptation in Kyrgyz Republic		<b>Anna Kirilenko</b> BIOM Public Association
2:50–3:15 p.m	Plenary discussion		
3:15–3:30 p.m.	COFFEE BREAK		



## Session 2: Gender Responsive Regional Initiatives on Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation



Moderator: **Tamar Bortsvadze**

<b>3:30–4:40 p.m.</b>	<b>Regional Approaches to Gender and Climate Change</b>	
	<p><b>Climate Change Vision for the Central Asia Regional Economic Cooperation Program (CAREC)</b></p>	 <b>Kenzhekhan Abuov</b> Asian Development Bank
	<p><b>Promoting Gender in Regional Cooperation on Climate Change Mitigation and Adaptation</b></p>	 <b>Firuz Ibrohimov</b> Regional Environmental Center for Central Asia
	<p><b>Regional Collaboration for Achieving Climate Change and Gender Goals</b></p>	 <b>Nino Bregadze</b> Caucasus Environmental NGO Network
<b>4:40–5 p.m</b>	Plenary discussion	
<b>5–5:15 p.m.</b>	Wrap up of Day 1	Facilitator: <b>Fazilat Allayarova</b>

## DAY 2 (10 October 2023)

## Session 3: Country-level Approaches to Gender and Climate Change

Moderator: **Jin Ha Kim**


<b>8:30–8:40 a.m.</b>	Recap of Day 1	<b>Fazilat Allayarova</b>
<b>8:40–9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Roundtable 2: Greening the Energy Sector and Infrastructures</b>	
	Facilitator: <b>Altynai Abdylidaeva</b>	
	<p><b>Gender Equality in Promoting Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy</b></p>	 <b>Dilfuza Zakirova</b> Agency for Technical Cooperation and Development
	<p><b>Increasing Women's Participation in the Power Sector</b></p>	 <b>Surayyo Pulatova</b> Uzbekhydroenergo JSC
<b>9:30–10:15 a.m</b>	Plenary discussion	
<b>10:15–10:30 a.m.</b>	COFFEE BREAK	



<p><b>10:30–11:30 p.m.</b></p>	<p><b>Roundtable 3: Addressing Climate Change Impacts on Natural Resources and Food Security</b> Facilitator: <b>Zonibel Woods</b></p> <hr/> <p><b>Women’s Economic Empowerment in a Green Economy</b></p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p><b>Armine Shiroyan</b> Women for Development Armenia</p> </div> </div> <hr/> <p><b>Empowering Women and Girls in Mitigating the Impacts of Climate Disasters: The Case of Jacobabad, Pakistan</b></p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p><b>Shabana Kharal</b> Rural Support Programme Network Pakistan</p> </div> </div> <hr/> <p><b>Gender Responsive and Climate Resilient Water Resources Management</b></p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p><b>Kalyibek Zhunusbaev</b> Ministry of Agriculture, Kyrgyz Republic</p> </div> </div> <hr/> <p><b>Strengthening Climate Change Response in Agriculture for Household Food Security</b></p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p><b>Farhod Abdulloev</b> Agency for Land Reclamation and Irrigation Tajikistan</p> </div> </div>
<p><b>11:30–12 p.m</b></p>	<p>Plenary discussion</p>
<p><b>12–1 p.m.</b></p>	<p>LUNCH BREAK</p>

**Session 4:  
Financing Gender Equality and Climate Actions in CWA Operations**

Moderator: **Begzod Djalilov**

<p><b>1–1:20 p.m.</b></p>	<p>Group exercise 4</p>
<p><b>1:20–2 p.m.</b></p>	<p><b>Financing Climate Actions</b></p> <hr/> <p><b>Gender Responsive Climate Financing in ADB</b></p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p><b>Malte Maass</b> Asian Development Bank</p> </div> </div> <hr/> <p><b>Global Environment Facility</b></p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p><b>Bakhadur Paluaniyazov</b> United Nations Development Programme</p> </div> </div>
<p><b>2–2:30 p.m</b></p>	<p>Plenary discussion</p>



## Session 5: Identifying Entry Points for Gender and Climate Change Related Actions in Selected Sectors

Moderator: **Gladys Franco**

<b>2:30–3:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Breakout groups to discuss the following:</b> (Breakout Group Facilitators: Gender Officers and Gender Consultants)  Proposed key actions on gender and climate change in the context of ADB operations (in selected sectors)
<b>3:30–3:45 p.m.</b>	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>3:45–4:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Continuation of Breakout group discussion</b>
<b>4:30–4:45 p.m.</b>	<b>Wrap up of Day 2</b> Facilitator: <b>Fazilat Allayarova</b>
<b>5:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Departure for Reception Dinner</b>



## DAY 3 (11 October 2023)

## Session 5: Identifying Entry Points for Gender and Climate Change Related Actions in Selected Sectors *(continued)*

Moderator: **Gladys Franco**

<b>9–9:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Recap of Day 2</b> <b>Fazilat Allayarova</b>
<b>9:15–10:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Reporting of workshop results and plenary discussion</b> Facilitator: <b>Gulnora Kholova</b>
<b>10:30–10:45 a.m.</b>	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
<b>10:45–11:20 a.m.</b>	<b>Reporting of workshop results and plenary discussion <i>(Continued)</i></b> Facilitator: <b>Samina Sabir</b>

### CLOSING ACTIVITIES

<b>11:20–11:50 a.m.</b>	<b>Synthesis</b>		<b>Mary Alice Rosero</b> Asian Development Bank
<b>11:50 a.m.–12 p.m.</b>	<b>Closing Remarks</b>		<b>Hiroki Katayama</b> Senior Portfolio Management Specialist/ Project Administration Unit Head, Uzbekistan Resident Mission Asian Development Bank
<b>12 p.m.</b>	<b>Lunch break and departure</b>		