

Collaborative Program on Climate Change and Sustainable Development (3CSD)

3CSD envisions a world in which evidence-based climate policies have accelerated collective climate action and brought about inclusive sustainable development.

3CSD's mission is developing individual, institutional and organisational capacity to tackle climate and inclusive sustainable development challenges in the Global South.



What is 3CSD?

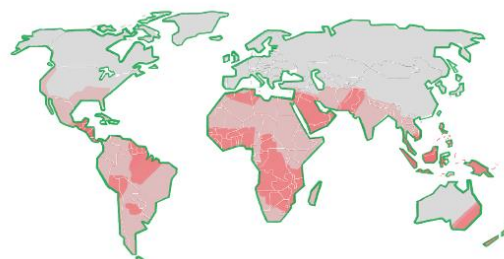
3CSD is an ambitious collaborative capacity development program for agents-of-change and future leaders that will innovatively equip them with tools to address climate and inclusive sustainable development challenges.



Why 3CSD?

The areas of extreme climate vulnerability and low climate knowledge are aligned as shown in the maps below.

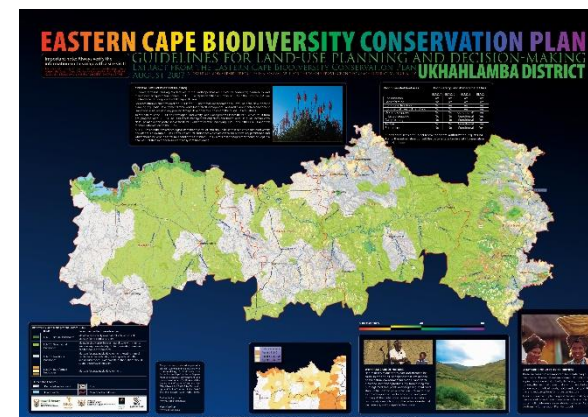
Extreme Climate Vulnerability (Red)



Low Climate Knowledge (Grey)



“Tackling climate change is the only way to grow the economy in the 21st century.”
— Unilever CEO Paul Polman, April 8, 2014



The 3CSD Components

1) **On-the-job** training involves *executive* education on tools to formulate, implement, and reform policies

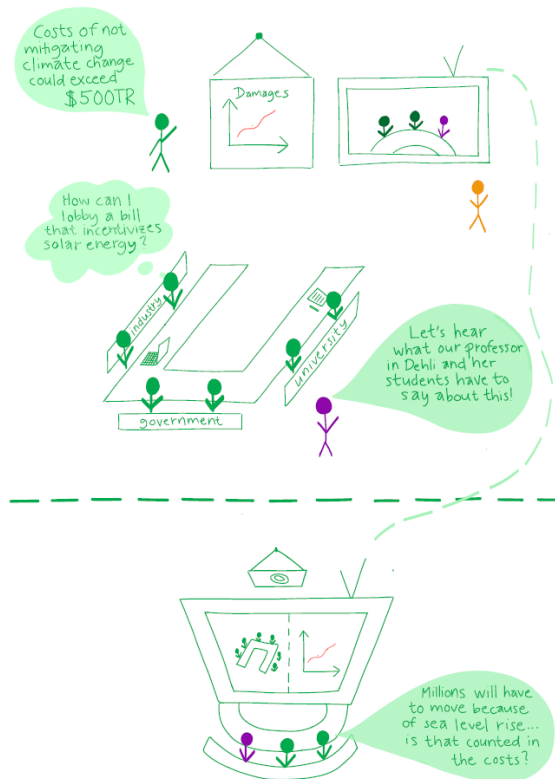
2) **Masters** training involves *hands-on* education on tools to analyse challenges and address them through policymaking and implementation

3) **Ph.D** training involves *transformative* education on tools to analyse and conduct research on challenges, and address them through capacity development and policy engagement

“There’s one issue that will define the contours of this century more dramatically than any other, and that is the urgent and growing threat of a changing climate.”

— U.S. President Barack Obama, UN Climate Change Summit, September 23, 2014

The Learning Environment



- Blended “residential and e-learning” design permits cost-effective internationalization
- Training emphasizes both global and local perspectives on challenges

Environment for Development (Efd)

A global network of environmental economics think tanks contributing to inclusive sustainable development.

EfD centers of excellence in Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ethiopia, Ghana, India, Kenya, Nigeria, Sweden, South Africa, Tanzania, Uganda, Vietnam and the United States contribute to the effective management of the environment in the Global South through integrated capacity development, research and policy engagement. Since 2007, EfD’s contribution to evidence-based domestic and international policies has improved the management of our global environment and reduced poverty for millions of people in the Global South.

The EfD Global Hub is located at the University of Gothenburg, Sweden.

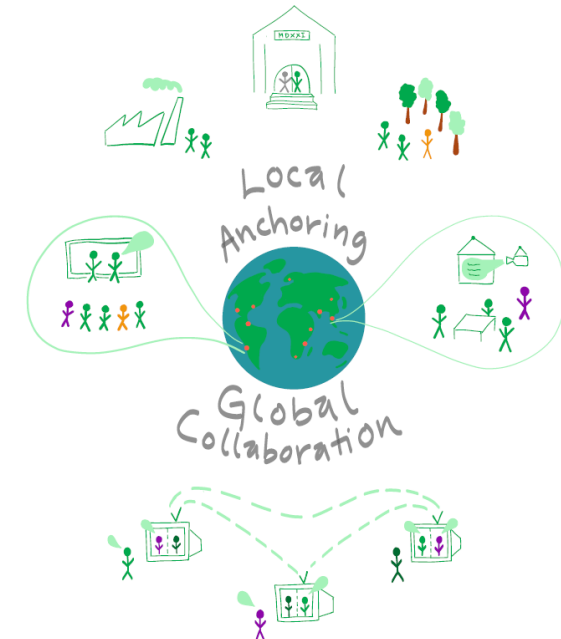
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Global Leadership For Climate Action



- Strong focus on leadership skills
- Integration across on-the-job, Masters and PhD training
- Massive knowledge sharing, peer-learning effects, and experiential learning across countries

“We are the first generation to be able to end poverty, and the last generation that can take steps to avoid the worst impacts of climate change.”

— UN Secretary General Ban Ki-Moon, World Economic Forum, January 23, 2015