



**DEVELOP AND PROMOTE CONCRETE  
TERRITORIAL ACTIONS**

**SUPPORT COMMON POSITIONS  
OF NON-STATE ACTORS**



**CLIMATE  
CHANCE**

**GOALS • ACTIVITIES • GOVERNANCE**

# THE CLIMATE CHANCE ASSOCIATION

## SINCE 2015, THE CLIMATE CHANCE ASSOCIATION PARTICIPATES IN THE MOBILISATION AGAINST CLIMATE CHANGE.

Founded after the World Summit Climate and Territories which brought together climate actors just before COP21, Climate Chance is the only international organisation that aims to bring together all the non-state actors recognized by the UN (the 9 groups of actors: Local authorities, Business and Industry, Non-governmental Organisations, Workers and Trade Unions, the Scientific and Technological Community, Women, Children and Youth, Indigenous peoples and Communities, Farmers, to develop common priorities and proposals and to strengthen stakeholders dynamics through networking (thematic coalitions, summits, portal of climate action).

## THE CLIMATE CHANCE ASSOCIATION SUPPORTS THE CENTRAL ROLE OF TERRITORIES IN CLIMATE ACTION AND THE INSEPARABLE LINK BETWEEN THE CLIMATE AGENDA AND THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS.

The messages carried by the Climate Chance Association in its advocacy documents and the main themes addressed in the summits, are collectively discussed with the constant concern for the search for consensus, in a steering committee where the most representative structures of non-state actors are invited, in particular the focal points of the 9 major groups recognized by the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC).

## ACTIVITIES



### THE ORGANISATION OF UNIFYING EVENTS

*in order to facilitate networking and expand non-state actors' capacities as well as making common projects emerge*



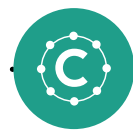
### A GLOBAL NON-STATE CLIMATE ACTION OBSERVATORY

*that analyses the reality of non-state actions' impact in the fight against climate change*



### A WEBSITE PORTAL FOR CLIMATE ACTION

*to enable the exchange of good practice and access to information about climate change in order to facilitate access to climate-related information and to disseminate non-state actors' good initiatives on a global level*



### STRUCTURING AND SUPPORTING THE WORK OF INTERNATIONAL THEMATIC COALITIONS

*in order to come up with new proposals and strategies that increase actions and boost their impact*



### ADVOCACY WITHIN INTERNATIONAL BODIES AND DURING IMPORTANT MEETINGS ON CLIMATE AND DEVELOPMENT AGENDAS

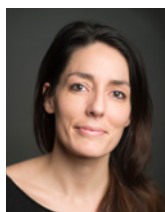
*enabling non-state actors to share their common proposals and to guarantee they are well incorporated*



In 1992, the Rio Earth Summit recognized the place of civil society by allowing access to negotiations to 9 types of non-state actors able to enrich the debates and to attend negotiations with the «observer» status

- Business and industry (BINGO)
- Environmental NGOs (ENGO)
- Local governments and municipal authorities (LGMA)
- Indigenous peoples organizations (IPO)
- Research and independent NGOs (RINGO)
- Trade union NGOs (TUNGO)
- Women and Gender NGOs
- Youth NGOs (YOUNGO)
- Farmers

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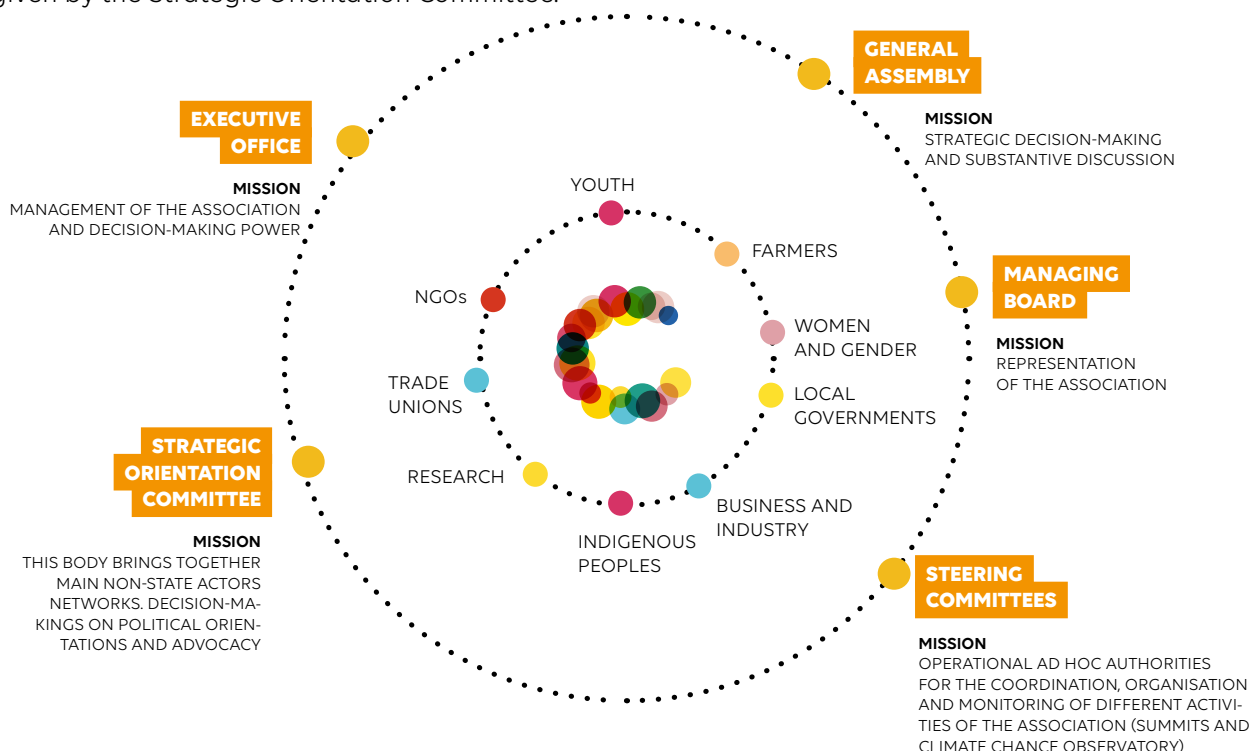
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## GOVERNANCE

Climate Chance's dynamics rely upon a Strategic Orientation Committee where all major non-state actors are invited, especially those who are at the heart of thematic coalitions, which outlines by consensus, the main defended proposals and the direction of the association's activities.

The Climate Chance Association brings together a range of individuals with different backgrounds representing various groups recognized by the UNFCCC who are strongly convinced of the importance of strengthening dialogue and who seek to reach encouraging common positions among these different groups.

The association operates as a "guarantor" of the Observatory's independence and it defends the priorities given by the Strategic Orientation Committee.





# THE SUMMITS AND OUR INTERNATIONAL ADVOCACY ACTION



## CLIMATE CHANCE WORLD SUMMIT 2016

### WORLD SUMMIT ON CLIMATE & TERRITORIES

The Summit on Climate & Territories is the event that gave birth to Climate Chance. All the important personalities on the climate scene attended this event which took place before COP21.

**JULY  
2015**



The first Climate Chance Summit relied on the participation of Laurence Tubiana (former high-level champion for the climate), Jean Jouzel (Climate scientist and Honorary President of the Association) and Hoesung Lee (President of the IPCC) among others.

**SEPTEMBER  
2016**

- 4 553 VISITORS
- 62 NATIONALITIES
- 6 PLENARY SESSIONS
- 16 FORUMS
- 3 HIGH LEVEL DIALOGUES
- 75 WORKSHOPS
- 10 FOCUS
- 7 SIDE-EVENTS

DOCUMENT FROM THE SUMMIT:

- NANTES DECLARATION



## DESERTIF' ACTIONS WORLD SUMMIT

Climate Chance and CARI in partnership with the city of Strasbourg and the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification organized the event Desertif'actions devoted to the problem of land degradation.



## ECOCITY WORLD SUMMIT

The President of the Association, Ronan Dantec, met Al Gore during the Ecocity event

**JUNE  
2017**

- THE STRASBOURG DECLARATION ABOUT LAND DEGRADATION

**JULY  
2017**



## CLIMATE CHANCE WORLD SUMMIT 2017

The Agadir Summit was the most important event on the African continent bringing together the diversity of global non-state actors. It was attended among others, by Patricia Espinosa (Executive Secretary of the UNFCCC), Salaheddine Mezouar (President of COP22) and Hakima El Haité (High-level champion for the climate).

**SEPTEMBER  
2017**

- 5000 VISITORS
- 80 NATIONALITIES
- 5 PLENARY SESSIONS
- 5 HIGH LEVEL DIALOGUES
- 15 FOCUS
- 77 WORKSHOPS
- 10 SIDE-EVENTS
- 400 SPEAKERS

DOCUMENTS FROM THE SUMMIT

- AGADIR DECLARATION
- DECLARATION OF LOCAL AND SUBNATIONAL LEADERS OF AFRICA

# CLIMATE CHANCE AT THE HEART OF T





## ONE PLANET SUMMIT

The Mayor of Bangangté, Célestine Ketcha Courtes, presented the document from our event labeled One Planet Summit (13 priorities for access to funding of non-state actors) during a plenary of the official event.



## CLIMATE CHANCE SUMMIT AFRICA 2018



## AFRICITIES

Active participation in the flagship event of African local governments: Organization of the session on Ecological Transition in Africa and preparation of the next Climate Chance Summit - Africa, that will take place in Accra, Ghana, October 2019.



## EUROPEAN DIALOGUE ON NON-STATE CLIMATE ACTION

The European dialogue on non-state climate action resulted in recommendations that were submitted to the Talanoa Dialogue platform.



## GLOBAL CLIMATE ACTION SUMMIT GCAS

Climate Chance presented the conclusions of the Abidjan Summit in the GCAS and added the signature of Quelimane Mayor Manuel de Araujo to the Declaration of Local Leaders of Africa.

**COP 23**

**NOVEMBER 2017**

**DECEMBER 2017**

**APRIL 2018**

**JUNE 2018**

**SEPTEMBER 2018**

**NOVEMBER 2018**

**COP 24**

**DECEMBER 2018**

COPs represent the perfect occasion to engage in advocacy on the international state and non-state community by spreading the word on works, proposals and messages coming from the association's activities such as the Summits, the coalitions' works, conclusions made in the Climate Chance Observatory on non-State climate action, Stock-take of the negotiation from the non-State actors point of view etc.



**CLIMATE CHANCE PARTICIPATES IN COPS, ANNUAL CONFERENCES OF THE PARTIES TO THE UN FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE**

**600 VISITORS**

**41 NATIONALITIES**

**27 NATIONALITIES**

**FROM THE AFRICAN CONTINENT**

**2 PLENARY SESSIONS**

**10 WORKSHOPS**

**3 FOCUS**

**8 SIDE-EVENTS**

**DOCUMENT FROM THE SUMMIT:**

● **ABIDJAN DECLARATION**

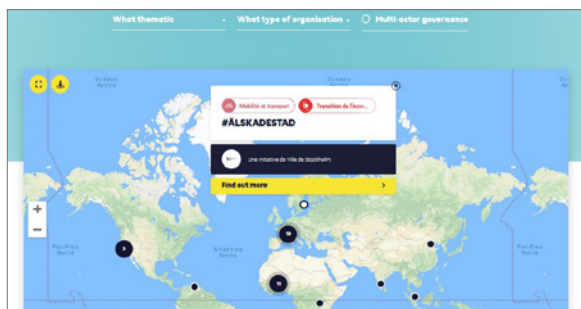
THE INTERNATIONAL CLIMATE AGENDA



# PORTAL OF CLIMATE ACTION. A SPACE FOR ACTIONS TO BE DISSEMINATED AND REINFORCED

**DURING 2017, CLIMATE CHANCE DECIDED TO DEVELOP A  
"PORTAL OF CLIMATE ACTION" IN ORDER TO PROMOTE THE ACTIVITIES  
OF ITS MEMBERS AND THE INITIATIVES THEY UNDERTAKE.**

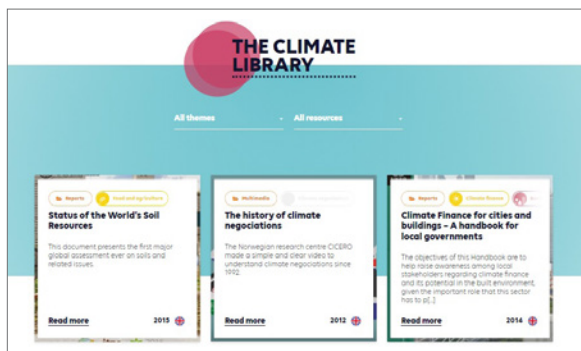
In the short term, the portal aims to create a directory of initiatives and good practices as well as a place to exchange and spread action.



## THE CARTOGRAPHY FOR CLIMATE ACTION

It is a tool made to showcase projects carried out worldwide by non-state actors engaged in the fight against climate change.

The purpose of this mapping is to promote multi-stakeholder exchanges and encourage the creation of new initiatives by disseminating these good practices.



## THE CLIMATE LIBRARY

The Climate Library is a tool available to anyone interested in the fight against climate change. It aims to become a learning and information resource, containing analytical reports, official UN texts but also information websites and multimedia content. It wants to stimulate the understanding of issues related to climate change and its consequences.



## THE CLIMATE EVENTS CALENDAR

Climate Chance Association believes that it is important for all stakeholders to be aware of major events related to climate and sustainable development. This is why, an online agenda was created with details of events not to be missed.



# CLIMATE CHANCE GLOBAL OBSERVATORY ON NON-STATE CLIMATE ACTION

## WHAT IS IT ABOUT ?

In order to strengthen the action of non-state actors and give credibility to climate stabilisation scenarios, the Climate Chance Association launched in 2018 a Global Observatory on Non-State Climate Action, which aims to explain the evolution of greenhouse gas emissions, by crossing national public policies, sectoral dynamics, the implementation of the commitments and the non-state actors' best practices at the local level. First-of-its-kind, published in French and English, this report will provide decision-makers, journalists, researchers, students and newcomers with a detailed framework for understanding major program areas and a starting-point for information and analysis on the actions undertaken to achieve the ambitions of the Paris Climate Agreement and the Sustainable Development Goals.

## AN ANNUAL REPORT PROVIDING AN OVERVIEW OF THE CONCRETE ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN AND HIGHLIGHTING THE EXISTING REPLICABLE MEASURES

The first report of the Climate Chance Observatory was published in November 2018. For this first issue the Observatory published 3 specialised books :

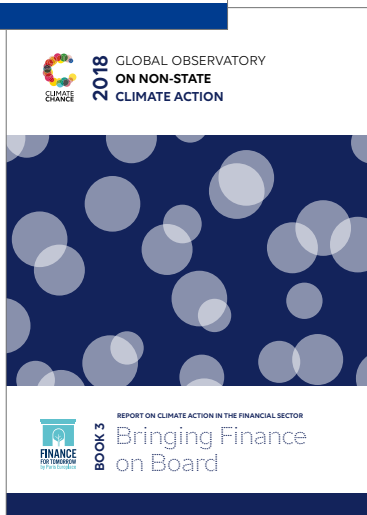
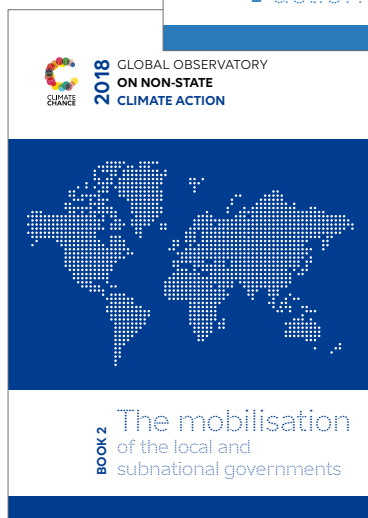
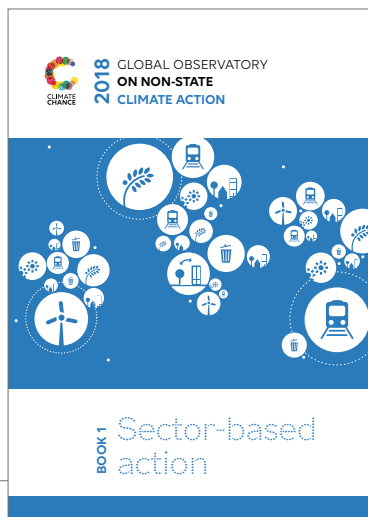
### BOOK 1 ABOUT "THE SECTOR-BASED ACTION"

### BOOK 2 ABOUT "MOBILISATION OF THE LOCAL AND SUBNATIONAL GOVERNMENTS"

### BOOK 3 ABOUT "THE IMPLICATION OF THE FINANCE SECTOR"

*In partnership with Finance for Tomorrow*

The Observatory's ambition is to release, each year, a summary review of the most recent initiatives at the global level to provide an overview of the state of climate action by non-state actors.





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