



LED BY LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, BUSINESSES, CIVIL SOCIETY, AND HELPING TO ACHIEVE THE OBJECTIVES OF THE PARIS CLIMATE AGREEMENT



# CLIMATE CHANCE In Brief

The fight against climate change needs the contribution and commitment of all actors.

Since 2015, Climate Chance is the only international organisation seeking to bring together all non-state actors recognised by the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC): local authorities, businesses and civil society.

LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

**BUSINESSES - INDUSTRY** 

**NGO - ASSOCIATIONS** 

ACTORS IN RESEARCH AND SCIENCE

TRADE UNIONS

WOMEN'S ORGANISATIONS - GENDER

**REPRESENTATIVES OF THE AGRICULTURAL WORLD** 

**REPRESENTATIVES OF INDIGENOUS PEOPLES** 

YOUTH ORGANISATIONS

« Climate Chance's raison d'être is to participate in the creation of an environment conducive to strengthening and scaling up climate action, through networking of actors, analysis and information sharing, thus contributing to the achievement of the objectives of the Paris Agreement. »

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RONAN DANTEC PRESIDENT OF THE CLIMATE CHANCE ASSOCIATION

# OUR MISSIONS



# **BRING TOGETHER NON-STATE ACTORS**

Since 2015, the organisation of events and annual Summits has been the DNA of the organisation. The Climate Chance Summits are the moment of convergence of our community and are the opportunity to bring out common priorities and proposals during the major events of the climate agenda, in particular the COPs. Through a bottom-up and collaborative approach, the African Coalitions continue the mobilisation of our network and the multi-actor work throughout the year.

Climate Chance seeks to link the three dynamics of the United Nations Conventions on the Environment (Biodiversity, Climate, Desertification) and is launching a new initiative on biodiversity, with the establishment of a major international coalition on biodiversity corridors in Africa.



## **ANALYSE CLIMATE ACTION**

The Climate Chance Observatory's annual Report is a unique reference publication for decision-makers at the global scale. Each year, it analyses and synthesises the climate actions actually carried out by local authorities, businesses, civil society and financial actors.



# SHARE AND SPREAD INFORMATION

Dedicated to climate action led by local governments, businesses and civil society, our Portal for climate action gathers a large number of resources and good practices for and by climate actors, at the global level, including 3 specific tools: Cartography for action, climate Library and climate Agenda.



# CLIMATE CHANCE FIVE YEARS OF STRENGTHENING THE ACTION AND VISIBILITY OF THE NON-STATE ACTOR COMMUNITY



# **EVENTS AND COALITIONS**

6 annual international Climate Chance Summits, major events on the international climate agenda, since the 2015 Climate and Territories Summit in Lyon, part of the official agenda of the French Presidency of COP21. The largest and most representative gatherings of nonstate climate actors on the African continent, with up to 5,000 participants of 80 nationalities.

Participation in a large number of side-events at major events: Africa Climate Week, United Nations Summit, COP, Paris for Tomorrow, UNEP World Assembly...

9 African multi-actor sectoral Coalitions: access to climate finance, mobility & transport, renewable energies, building & construction, urban development, adaptation & water, agriculture, food & reforestation, education & training, circular economy, created and animated in the long term.

Animation through the year with the eMag of climate action in Africa, a monthly meeting to spread and share information dedicated to the Climate Chance's multi-actor Coalitions.



Bringing the collective voice of non-state actors in all their diversity to international bodies and to the major meetings of the climate and development agendas.

Development of concrete common proposals for a better implementation in international texts. 4 declarations carried out at the end of our Summits: Nantes, Strasbourg, Agadir (the most widely signed worldwide, at a high level, by the climate actors), Abidjan, and during the COPs.

Address to 5,000 European leaders during the debates on the "Green New Deal".



Launch of an international biodiversity Coalition dedicated to the preservation of Africa's large fauna, in connection with climate issues and new funding opportunities arising from international negotiations.

Deployment of an initiative around the key issue of biodiversity corridors in Africa and implementation of a demonstration project in the Republic of Guinea.



Annual qualitative and quantitative analysis of the evolution of GHG emissions based on the actions actually undertaken by non-state actors in the main emission sectors (energy, transport, building, industry, waste, land use) and at different levels of governance (national, regional, local).

Synthesis of nearly 1,000 scientific studies and reports, grey literature, corporate and press. A 'toolbox' disseminating good practices of project leaders, private and public decision-makers, enhancing their contributions to the achievement of the Paris Agreement and the SDGs.

4 annual publications: Global Synthesis Report on climate action by Sectors - Territories - Adaptation (in partnership with Comité 21) - Finance (in partnership with Finance for Tomorrow). More than 80 country, city or regional case studies published throughout the year.



### PORTAL FOR CLIMATE ACTION

A continuously updated inventory of replicable climate actions around the world. Selection of initiatives, resources and events, organised by theme and geolocated, accessible and quickly consultable.

3 exclusive tools to facilitate access to and dissemination of information: Cartography for action, climate Library and climate Agenda.

Call for contributions for new innovative projects, open continuously on the site.

# STRENGTH IN NUMBERS

The Climate Chance ecosystem currently represents a network of more than 30,000 people worldwide. Most of them are personalities, professional networks, organisations, partners... met during the Climate Chance Summits and our participation to major climate events since 2015, involved and participating to our sectorial Coalitions, webinars. Our community closely follows our projects and news, and has over 13,000 people following us on social networks.

# THE ASSOCIATION'S GOVERNANCE

The core of the organisation, it is made up of some sixty personalities, present on an individual basis, all of whom are recognised as influential players in the field of climate issues, guiding and supporting our work.

# THE STRATEGIC ORIENTATION COMMITTEE

The Climate Chance network also relies on a Strategic Steering Committee (SSC), which includes almost 500 organisations. Many of them are major non-state organisations at the global level. The Committee is involved in the definition of priorities, programmes and advocacy campaigns carried out by Climate Chance.

## AMONG OUR MEMBERS



Ronan DANTEC

# President of the association

Senator for Loire Atlantique, spokesperson on climate at CEMR



Bernard SOULAGE

# Secretary general

President of the scientific council of the GART, former European member of the Parliament and Vice-président of Regional Council



Anne BARRE

Treasurer

Coordinator of gender and climate policy for the WECF



Jean JOUZEL Honorary president

Climatologist, former vicepresident of the scientific group of the IPCC



Jean-Pierre ELONG MBASSI

Secretary general of UCLG Africa



Luc GNACADJA

President of GPS-Dev, former executive secretary of UNCCD and former minister of environment and urban development of Benin



Hindou OUMAROU IBRAHIM

Coordinator of AFPAT



Vaia TUUHIA

General delegate of the 4D Association



Frédéric VALLIER

Former Secretary general of CEMR



Gilles VERMOT-DESROCHES

#### Vice-president

Senior vicepresident citizenship and institutional relations of Schneider Electric

**BUT ALSO:** Armand BÉOUINDÉ, mayor of Ouagadougou - Pierre DUCRET, chairman of the supervisory board of Qivalio, director of the Palladio Institute - Tosi MPANU MPANU, expert and senior negotiator of the Democratic Republic of Congo on climate issues - Hélène VALADE, director of environmental development of the LVMH Group...

# THE TEAM

Climate Chance is also a team of 9 employees, committed on a daily basis. Among them :



Florence LÉCHAT TARERY

Executive secretary general



Romain CROUZET

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# **OUR FINANCIAL PARTNERS**

Ministère de la Transition Écologique • Ministère de l'Europe et des Affaires Étrangères • ADEME • AFD • Caisse Des Dépôts • Fondation d'Entreprise Michelin • Fondation Schneider Electric • BNP Paribas • Valorem • EcoAct • RTE

# **OUR NETWORK PARTNERS**

ACCESS • ACEN Africa • AIMF • Aje - Association des journalistes pour l'environnement • CAN-I • Conseil des Communes et Régions d'Europe CCRE • Climates • Climate Tracker • Club Abidjan Ville Durable • Coalition Eau • CODATU • Convention des maires pour l'Afrique subsaharienne CoMSSA • COPinAfria • Eating Cities • Eau-Vive • Ecole des Métiers de l'Environnement - UniLasalle • EMI - Ecole des métiers de l'information • ENDA - ENDA Graf Sahel • Energies 2050 • Entreprises pour l'Environnement EpE • Expertise France • FAO • Finance 4 Tomorrow • FMDV • FNAU • Fondation Heinrich Boell • France Volontaires • GlobalABC Global alliance for Buildings and construction • GERES • Agence de Protection Environnementale du Ghana • Global Power Shift West Africa • I4CE - Institute for Climate Economics • ICC • ICLEI Africa • IFDD • Météo et Climat • Météo France • Ministère des Gouvernements Locaux du Ghana MLGRD • MobiliseYourCity • Mondo Agit • MTPA - Metropolitan and Territorial Planning Agencies • NALAG • OFQJ • OIF • OJEDD Togo • Observatoire des Mobilités Africaines OMA • Partenariat Français pour l'eau • Platforma • Permondo • Place to B • PPMC • RAEDD • REFELA • Régions de France • Réseau Climat et Développement RC&D • Réseau Eau et Climat des Organisations de jeunes en Afrique Centrale RECOJAC • RICE • RIOB • ROPPA • SE4All • SLOCAT Partnership • TF1 • UNCDF • UNESCO • UN-Habitat • Voûte Nubienne • WECF • Women Environmental Programme Burkina...



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