

# Opportunities for Integrating Climate and Gender Finance



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## Speakers



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## Introduction

The **ASEAN Low Carbon Energy Programme (LCEP)** is a development programme of the UK Government's Prosperity Fund, aimed at helping ASEAN harness the benefits from the deployment of **low carbon energy**.

In order to facilitate a **Just Transition**, the ASEAN LCEP is looking at ways to not only facilitate the agenda of sustainable finance but also promote the integration of gender lens into climate investment decisions.

Integrating Climate and Gender Investing is about applying a **gender lens to investments that curb climate change** and applying a **climate lens to gender-smart investments**. Integrating these two investment agendas is a critical lever to amplify both **impacts and returns**, building the case for wider adoption in the financial industry, driving positive outcomes for women and the world.

ASEAN LCEP has collaborated with Suzanne Biegel and Sagana to develop a series of webinars on the topic of "Integrating Climate and Gender Investing".

By targeting a diverse range of stakeholders and leaders, including government regulators and the private sector, the series aim to **advance the case** for merging the gender and climate agendas, identifying and disseminating helpful **best practices** and **driving commitments**.

## Delivery Partners



**Suzanne Biegel** is founder of Catalyst at Large. She is a globally recognised expert on gender-smart investing. Her work has influenced hundreds of funds and institutional investors, and billions of dollars of capital to move with a gender lens.



**Sagana** is an impact investing and advisory firm that uses its investment experience to provide advisory services to investment-related programs. Sagana's areas of sector expertise include Climate, Health and Education with cross cutting theme of Gender and Diversity.

## Webinar: “Opportunities for integrating Climate and Gender Finance”

### Details

#### Agenda

- Concept of gender-smart investing
- Intersection of Gender and Climate Finance
- Case studies and best practices

#### Format

Presentation with live Q&A

#### Target audience

- **Regulators:** Integrate gender and climate in risk analysis and impact assessment measurements, set targets where appropriate, learn what others are doing.
- **Public and private sector companies:** Provide narrative, data and case studies to illustrate the case for merging climate and gender agendas and measuring impact. Extend current ESG reporting to explicitly include gender reporting and potentially access new sources of investment/financing. Look at supply chain/procurement for entrepreneurs merging the gender and climate agenda. Explore corporate venture capital flows for opportunities to back entrepreneurs that merge gender and climate.
- **Banks:** Provide evidence and impetus to consider initiating or backing green bonds or loan portfolios with a gender lens and ensure that investment vehicles with a climate and gender lens are on your investment platforms.
- **Investors:** Provide evidence and impetus to help make the case for climate/gender investments and programmes or bringing a climate/gender lens to your due diligence and engagement models with investees.
- **Multilaterals/DFIs:** Illustrate how merging gender and climate agendas can improve outcomes of current climate investments and identify new opportunities. Share tools and frameworks and case examples. Inform strategy.