

Strategic Collaborative Fund



About SCF

SEI Asia, with support from the Swedish government (Sida), launched the Strategic Collaborative Fund (SCF) programme in 2018 to enhance the achievement of the 2030 Agenda efforts in Asia and the Pacific.

SCF aims to foster regional cooperation and policy dialogue for sustainable development and environmental sustainability, through capacity building, knowledge sharing and increased collaboration.

A rights-based approach as well as gender and social equality are central to the programme, as it champions regional and inter-regional collaboration for transboundary environmental policy development.

Our goal

- Create long-term partnerships to enhance policy impact and institutional capacity building in Asia, under the framework of regional integration and the SDGs.
- Conduct research-policy dialogue to build more effective regional policies that contribute to SDG achievement.



1. Inter-regional cooperation with China and Europe

- China-ASEAN Environment Cooperation Forum (CAECF)
- Asia-Europe Environment Forum (ASEF-ENVForum)



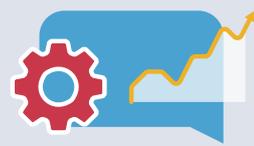
2. Regional Cooperation within Asia

- Engagement with private sector
- Regional Environmental Policy events



3. Learning and Capacity Development

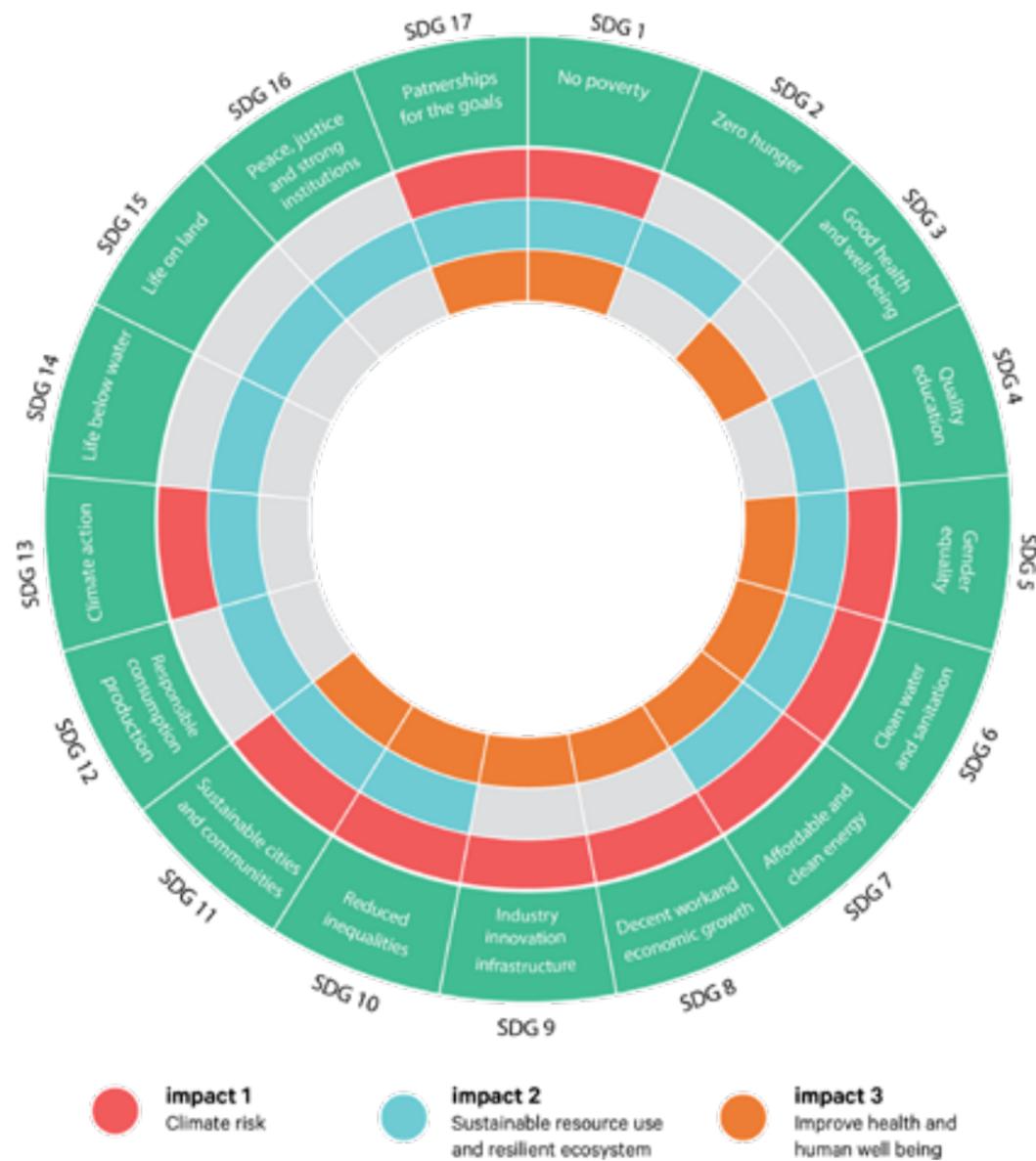
- Online courses on gender and human rights



4. Programme Management

- M&E
- Communications

SCF impact areas and SDG alignment



SDGs integration in SCF

The Strategic Collaborative Fund contributes to SDGs achievement through fostering collaboration in the region on the most pressing issues on sustainable and development. SCF provides grants that significantly contribute in achieving Agenda 2030. The successful events and initiatives serve as a powerful platform for discussion, innovation and improvement in relevant topics and practices.

Featured events



ASEAN-China Environmental Cooperation Forum

Theme: Promoting Regional Green Growth: Best Practices of Eco-city Construction and Sustainable Management of Marine Ecosystem
Location: Nanning, China

Asia Europe Environment Forum for Sustainable Development Goals (ENVforum)

Theme: The Role of Consumers in Triggering Change in Consumption & Production
Location: Yokohama, Japan



Challenges & Opportunities on Indigenous Knowledge System and Practices & Rights-Based Sustainable Development: A Southeast Asian Forum

Theme: Climate change adaptation
Location: Yogyakarta, Indonesia

Regional Dialogue Workshop on Green and Sustainable Agriculture

Theme: Agriculture
Location: Vientiane, Laos



How can you contribute?

1. **Propose an event.** Every year in February, SCF opens the call for concept notes for regional environmental policy forums, with focus on specific themes. Check our website regularly
2. **Participate in our events.** We regularly update our website with information on our upcoming events.
3. **Share learnings.** A lot of knowledge sharing happens at our events. We aim to collate and publish these learnings on our website. Read, comment and share to your networks!
4. **Collaborate with us on research and policy enhancement.**



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