



AFRICAN CENTRE FOR CLIMATE RESILIENCE AND ADAPTATION (ACCRA)

BACKGROUND

The global impact of climate change and natural hazards has been worsening in the last few decades, and more specifically in Africa. Extreme weather events in Africa are expected to become widespread and severe, with reduced food production and economic growth, increased inequality and poverty, biodiversity loss, and increased human morbidity and mortality.

OUR VISION

To see all African countries prepared for climate related disaster eventualities in an ex-ante, rather than ex-poste manner.

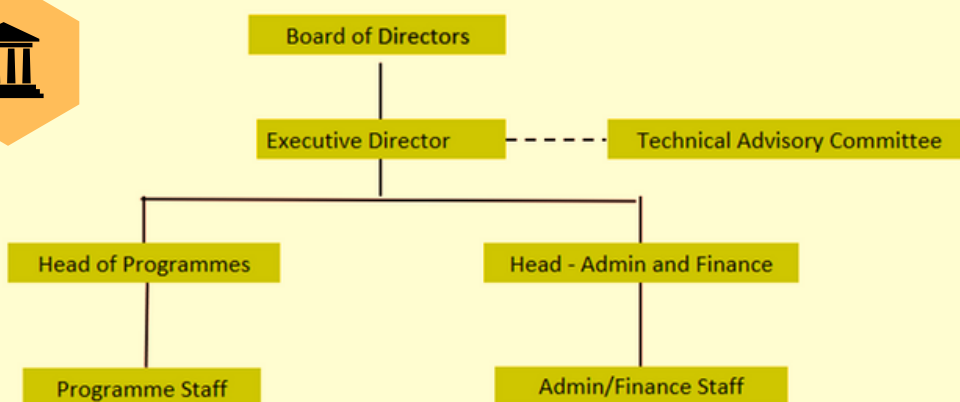
OUR MISSION

To contribute to mitigating the negative impacts of climate disasters on the economies of countries, communities and rural dwellers, especially small-scale farmers in Africa, and thereby reducing loss of lives and livelihoods on the continent. We also contribute to the long-term protection of agricultural investments that enhance food and nutrition security across the continent.

OBJECTIVE

To support African countries to enhance their capacity and resilience to climate-related disaster risks proactively and sustainably

GOVERNANCE



AREAS OF WORK

Proposed areas of work include but are not limited to:

- **Policy and Strategies**

Guiding countries in the development and or review of policies. Supporting countries and communities to develop climate disaster risk financing strategies.

- **Research**

Conducting research, training and advocacy to create awareness of climate change reality and negative impacts on the world.

- **Programming**

Promoting ex-ante approaches to climate disaster risk management (DRM), including parametric insurance at the sovereign, meso and micro levels.

- **Monitoring**


Supporting countries in the design, monitoring and evaluation of climate finance programmes.


- **Collaboration**

Collaborating with Multilateral Development Banks (MDBs), donors, Governments, consulting firms, academic institutions, Non-Government Organisations (NGOs) and the private sector, working within the climate change and climate disaster risk finance sphere.

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