

**InterCLIMA, annual
reporting and
exchange platform for
climate change
management in Peru**

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What is InterCLIMA?

Climate Change considerations and the interest for the subject have increased significantly in Peru. The dimension of the potential impacts on country's development, as well as the opportunities climate change poses in a carbon restricted world, are significant. Within this context, mainstreaming climate change, by integrating the risks and opportunities into development planning and public investment needs to be prioritized.

In this way, **InterCLIMA** is conceived as an annual reporting and exchange platform for Climate Change management in Peru, led by the Ministry of the Environment (MINAM).

The Ministry of the Environment is currently implementing initiatives to organize climate change management in the country (i.e. National Program on Climate Change Management, PRONAGECC; the Third National Communication to the UNFCCC and the National Climate Change Strategy, NCCS) attempting to ensure that:

- Projects and initiatives complement each other, are maximized and provide inputs for the generation and implementation of public policies at sectorial and territorial levels.
- Progress and the impacts in development are monitored.

It is expected that InterCLIMA becomes the platform in which civil society, academia, private sector and the different levels of government demonstrate progress in climate change management, as well as the challenges and needs identified during the process.

What is the expected outcome of InterCLIMA?

1. REPORTING

An updated **Annual Report** of the progress, challenges and priorities of climate change management in the country, providing information regarding:

- The level of implementation of the National Climate Change Strategy and the Regional Climate Change Strategies.
- The elaboration of the National Communications to the UNFCCC.
- The biannual report of the National Voluntary Mitigation Targets to the UNFCCC.

2. EXCHANGE & ARTICULATION

Initiatives' articulation, experience exchange and knowledge management among different governmental levels and stakeholders, considering national and international inputs, and the update of new trends, tools and innovations at regional level and worldwide, in relation to the topic.

3. ORIENTATION

Consolidation of the governing, guiding and articulating role of MINAM in climate change management, and its capacity to gather experiences that provide inputs for public policies oriented to various governmental levels and multiple stakeholders.

4. POSITIONING

Consolidation of Peru as a progressive country in relation to climate change, contributing to a harmonic management to address climate change impacts.

Who participates in InterCLIMA and what role do they play?



MINAM

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- Leads initiatives (from the beginning).
 - Progress in building a management system for climate change.
 - Registers, analyzes and consolidates the progress in a coherent way.



Sectors

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- Actively participate in InterCLIMA and promote the exchange of experiences.
 - Demonstrate their progress and are aware of the difficulties regarding the implementation of measures, identification of opportunities, etc.
 - Increase their commitment towards climate change.



Regional Governments
Local Governments
Communal Leaders

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- Actively participate in InterCLIMA and promote the exchange of experiences within their action scope.
 - Demonstrate their progress; become aware of other experience that could be replicated in their work.
 - Enrich their knowledge.
 - Increase their commitment towards climate change.



Universities
Scientific institutions
Academy

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- Actively participate in InterCLIMA.
 - Share the development of research related to climate change, disclose their approaches and methodologies.
 - Generate synergies between universities.
 - Increase their commitment towards climate change.



International Cooperation

- Actively participate in InterCLIMA.
- Receive information that allows them to allocate their resources in a more effective manner.
- Increase their commitment towards climate change.



Companies

- Participate in InterCLIMA, enrich their knowledge and receive first hand information regarding progress and central topics related to climate change in the country.
- Increase their commitment towards climate change.



NGOs and other civil organizations

- Actively participate in InterCLIMA, share their progress and achievements, experiences and lessons learnt.
- Exchange information, generate synergies.
- Increase their commitment towards climate change.



Young leaders

- Participate in InterCLIMA.
- Enrich their knowledge.
- Increase their commitment towards climate change.
- Exchange experiences with other young people.

What are the goals of InterCLIMA?

InterCLIMA has the five following goals:

To socialize experiences, progress and challenges regarding climate change at different governmental levels.

To deepen the discussion and reflection regarding climate change, and to generate guidelines and recommendations for future action.

To consolidate the requirements of science versus practical experience in the field.

To identify key aspects that require in-depth analysis (to establish a future national agenda, as well as an agenda for InterCLIMA) and the priorities for intervention.

To establish collaboration and exchange mechanisms between experiences in the Andes and at international level.

After InterCLIMA 2012 summit, it is expected to obtain an Annual Report of the progress, challenges, priorities and orientations for climate change management in the country.

About InterCLIMA 2012

The central topic of the first InterCLIMA is Climate Risk Management and the prioritized themes are the following:

• Institutionalization of climate risk management:

Generate orientations about those aspects that require strengthening for the institutionalization of climate change management, based on the progress at different government and sector levels.

• Methods and Tools to assess vulnerability to climate change:

Capitalize and share lessons learnt from the application of different methodologies and tools that confront science versus field experience, and which are currently used.

• Approaches for climate risk management:

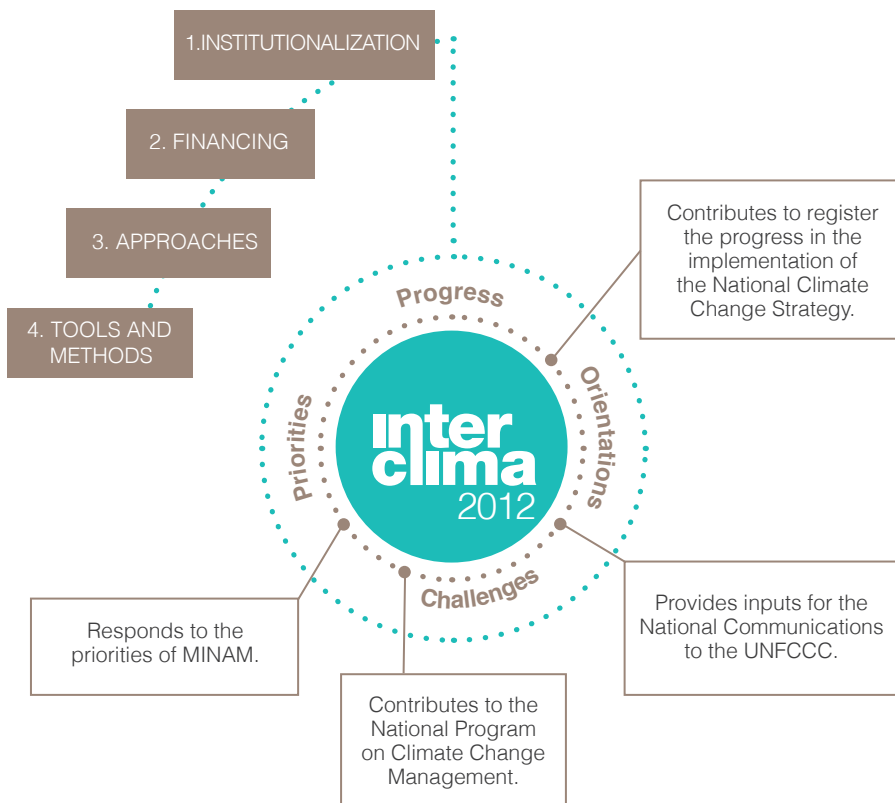
Learn and analyze the strategies and actions by different approaches for climate change adaptation intervention, identifying limits and possibilities of its application, for the purpose of the institutionalization and scaling up of the generated knowledge.

• Financing climate risk management:

Socialize and discuss about: (i) main concepts and methodological approaches to quantify climate change impacts as well as financing and investments needs for its management; (ii) main public and private financing mechanisms applicable to climate risk management, among others.

How is InterCLIMA 2012 contributing to the climate change management processes in the country?

It is expected that InterCLIMA 2012 initiates the articulation among different processes and initiatives of climate change management led by MINAM and provides inputs for the national report regarding progress, challenges, priorities and orientations for climate risk management.





Useful information about InterCLIMA 2012

Dates: 29, 30 and 31 October 2012

Location: Swissotel – Via Central 150, Centro Empresarial Real – San Isidro- Peru

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How to participate:

The event will be broadcasted live, through InterCLIMA's official webpage:

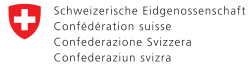
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All the information regarding the program, presentations and results will be available to the public through InterCLIMA's official webpage.



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