



Women Environmental Programme

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WOMEN ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMME

2017 ANNUAL REPORT AND AUDITED ACCOUNTS



WEP's 2017 Annual Report and Audited Accounts

The year 2017 was a period of transition and progress on many fronts for the Women Environmental Programme. [Read more...](#)

WEP sub-grants to women and gender CSOs in

Nigeria to advance SDGs' implementation

WEP has provided sub-grants of 1000 Euros each to 11 women and gender CSOs in Nigeria, under the Women2030 project, to implement activities that promote gender equality and contribute to the overall attainment of SDGs in the country. [Read more...](#)

World Environment Day 2018: WEP discusses #BeatingPlasticPollution in Nigeria on People's TV

As part of her activities to commemorate the World Environment Day 2018, WEP was on People's TV, to create awareness about the negative effects of plastic pollution and what could be done to address pollution from plastics. Follow this link to watch the video of the discussion on beating plastic pollution in Nigeria- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DOYYK06IYm8&feature=youtu.be>

Policy Consultation on SDGs in Nigeria

Women Environmental Programme (WEP), on 27 June, 2018 at The Consort Luxury Suites, Plot 799 Kaura District, Abuja, organized a policy consultation on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). [Read more...](#)

Increasing women's participation in politics - WEP convenes high level advocacy meeting with leadership of Accord Party

Ahead of the 2019 general elections in Nigeria, WEP is pushing for increased participation of women. [Read more...](#)

WEP Togo prepares shadow report as Togo presents its report on SDGs' implementation to HLPF

WEP Togo has prepared a shadow report bothering on SDGs 5, 6 and

7. [Read more...](#). Also follow this link to watch report of workshop to validate shadow report - <https://www.ecoconscience.net/fr/validation-a-lome-du-rapport-alternatif-de-wep-togo-sur-les-odd-5-6-et-7/>



WEP at the 6th Global Environment Facility (GEF) Assembly

At the closing session of the GEF 6th Assembly held in Vietnam from 24-29 June, 2018, our Executive Director, Dr. Priscilla Achakpa presented the outcomes of the discussions held during the Civil Society Forum on behalf of the Civil Society Organizations.

"She highlighted recommendations to the GEF Secretariat and the wider Partnership from the 120 CSOs present at the Assembly, and 538 CSOs in the wider GEF-CSO Network on, *inter alia*:

- the need to recognize that partnerships between the GEF and CSOs are key for achieving transformational change;
- establishing a multi-stakeholder dialogue platform to build trust and collaborative approaches;
- that the GEF agencies and OFPs should have greater inclusion of CSOs in project development and implementation; and
- enhanced support to the GEF-CSO network to help achieve the GEF-7 replenishment targets."

At the GEF Assembly, WEP also made a presentation of the [film](#) based on the [scoping study on gender dimensions of chemicals and wastes policies under the BRS Conventions](#) in Nigeria,



Capacity development training for WEP's Sub-Recipients

Women Environmental Programme (WEP) on the 25th-29th June, 2018, organized a Capacity Development Training for her Sub-recipients (SRs) under the project: Connecting Women and Youths in Violent Extremist Prone Areas through Empowerment and Skill Acquisition. The event took place at Smile View Hotels, David Mark By-Pass Makurdi, Benue State. The aim of the training was to strengthen the capacity of the SRs to effectively deliver on the project and achieve their organizational goals.

In the development community today, capacity development is seen as the engine of human development. WEP sees her engagements with SRs on various projects not just as a working partnership but one that should see them emerging as better and more efficient entities. Participants were trained on topics ranging from Leadership Skills, Project Design and Management, Monitoring and Evaluation, Effective Communication, Effective Reporting, Resource Mobilization, Strategic Planning, Organizational Governance, Sustainability Planning, Human Resource Management, to Use of Social Media as well as Accounting Procedures.

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