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OPPORTUNITIES FOR CLIMATE-RESILIENT DEVELOPMENT ACROSS HIGHLANDS, DRYLANDS AND ISLANDS



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The recent Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change Working Group 2 report highlights the urgent need to operationalise Climate Resilient Development (CRD), adopting mitigation and adaptation measures to secure a safe climate, meet human needs and enable sustainable development.

This seminar assesses CRD across highlands (mountains), drylands and islands as some of the world's most vulnerable systems and discusses key steps in moving towards CRD pathways via multiple enablers. Identified activities focus on promoting land and ecosystem-based approaches, livelihood diversification and economic development, mixed knowledge and policy and institutional measures. A range of actions are identified with the potential to accelerate transitions towards CRD pathways in vulnerable geographies



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