Skills for a Green Future
A Call for a Global Coalition on Skills for a Green Future

Realizing our collective climate ambitions is only possible with a workforce ready to power the economy of the future. A lack of a qualified workforce could not only significantly delay the implementation of climate and energy projects, but also make them more costly as the demand for skilled labor will outstrip supply.

With representatives from governments, the private sector and civil society, we are looking for actionable, national solutions and partners to develop the human capital needed to power the green transformation.

Develop an Inclusive Green Economy for Young People

Through Our World, Our Work, we advance youth-centered systems-change in the pursuit of green and blue jobs. We aim to support millions of youth over a period of 10 years in the pursuit of inclusive and sustainable jobs in the green and blue economy.

We focus on supporting women, girls and youth most impacted by climate change by understanding and responding to hyper-local labor market demands to then provide relevant skills training and entrepreneurship support. We also deepen connections between the private sector, education institutions, and youth, to ensure youth are central in conversations about the future of work in their community.

Together with global partners, we can empower young people with the right skills, networks, and assets, so they not only become part of the green economy, but help drive it.

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