

Description of Mentorship Offer

Gender Just Climate Solutions Awards

In addition to the 2,000 Euro grant and the publication feature, Gender Just Solutions Awardees will receive the option of participating in a one year mentoring program with the <u>Women and</u> <u>Gender Constituency</u> (WGC). The scope of the mentorship program depends on the needs of the awardee and is intended to support and guide the implementation, monitoring, or scaling up of the project including sharing ideas on how to overcome challenges that may arise. This one year mentorship program includes two mentorship options, one from each of the two categories below:

Mobilization Offers

Option 1 - WGC can prioritize mobilizing funds to support one representative of the project or community member participating / benefitting from the project to attend one UNFCCC meeting / negotiation within the year. If applicable and relevant to the project, this may include participation at a meeting outside of the UNFCCC process such as regional or national level technical meetings.

Option 2 - WGC can prioritize highlighting the project in additional to the publication feature and connecting the project leads to potential funding opportunities for scaling up as well as access to different funding entities. Additionally, the WGC can help connect the project and project representatives / communities to different media outlets in order to amplify the messaging, stories, and impact of the project.

Knowledge Sharing Offers

Option 1 - Two consultations with a WGC member from the region or with presence in the region that the project is in. Consultations are one hour long and can be conducted via phone, Skype, or in person (if reasonable in terms of travel, funds, capacity).

Option 2 - Annual knowledge sharing webinar hosted and facilitated by the WGC where past and current Gender Just Solutions Awardees discuss and exchange best practices, lessons

learned, next steps, etc. This also supports in strengthening partnerships and alliance building. Guest speakers that can provide additional knowledge sharing may participate as well.

General Advice for All Winners

Advocacy and network building via the WGC through the WGC Advocacy listserv (this listserv was created for WGC members and advocates that participate in meetings and negotiations related to climate and gender to share information). All awardees will be added to the listserv and encouraged to share information, contribute inputs to advocacy efforts, and follow updates in relation to gender and climate change especially in the lead up to the UNFCCC meetings / negotiations. Other opportunities such as events, webinars, media trainings, etc. are also shared via this listserv.

Upon notification of award, winning projects will be asked to identify two preferences, one from each of the two categories within the one year mentorship program (subject to change). If you have any questions please contact <u>awards@genderjustclimatesolutions.wecf.eu</u>