

Special Programme - list of projects and officers

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Country project	Project Title	Officer
Islamic Republic of Afghanistan	Enhancing the sustainable institutional capacity to regulate toxic chemicals	Katherine Theotocatos
Republic of Albania	Strengthening sound chemicals and pharmaceutical waste management in Albania	Nicole Caesar
Republic of Angola	Strengthening Angola's National Chemicals and Waste Management Programme by establishing sustainable, integrated, and coherent national structure with emphasis on Private Sector participation	Katherine Theotocatos
Republic of Argentina 1	Strengthening national capacity for the sound management of chemicals and waste	Katherine Theotocatos
Republic of Argentina 2	Strengthening of national capacities in the environmentally sound management of emerging pollutants and other dangerous substances in Argentina	Eduardo Caldeira Petit
Republic of Armenia	Strengthening National Capacity of the Republic of Armenia in Sound Chemicals and Waste Management for Implementation of the Stockholm, Basel, Rotterdam, Minamata Conventions and SAICM	Nicole Caesar
Republic of Belarus 1	Establish a sustainable national infrastructure to join and support the implementation of the Rotterdam Convention in the Republic of Belarus	Nicole Caesar
Republic of Belarus 2	National capacity strengthening for the sound management of chemicals by sustainable implementation of the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) in the Republic of Belarus	Nicole Caesar
Belize	Institutional Strengthening of the Department of the Environment for the Sound Management of Chemicals and Wastes in Belize	Nicole Caesar
Republic of Benin	Legal and Institutional Strengthening for the Sound Management of Chemicals in Benin	Felix Herzog
Plurinational State of Bolivia	Special Programme for the strengthening of national capacities for chemical substances and hazardous waste management in the Plurinational State of Bolivia	Eduardo Caldeira Petit
Republic of Burundi	Strengthening chemicals and waste management within a circular economy framework in Burundi	Felix Herzog
Kingdom of Cambodia	Institutional Strengthening in Cambodia for efficient and coordinated Implementation of the chemicals and waste management International agreements	Katherine Theotocatos
People's Republic of China	China-Strengthening institutional capacity for the implementation of the Basel, Rotterdam, Stockholm and Minamata Conventions and SAICM	Katherine Theotocatos
Democratic Republic of the Congo	Strengthening DRC's National capacity to implement the Basel, Rotterdam, Stockholm and Minamata Conventions including SAICM	Felix Herzog
Dominican Republic	Strengthening institutional capacity for the implementation of the Basel, Rotterdam, Stockholm and Minamata Conventions and SAICM in Dominican Republic	Katherine Theotocatos
Republic of Ecuador	Strengthening of the National Control System for the Management of Dangerous Materials in Ecuador	Nicole Caesar
Republic of El Salvador	Institutional strengthening for El Salvador in the implementation of the Basel, Stockholm, Minamata and Rotterdam Conventions and the Strategic Approach for the Management of Chemical Products at the International Level	Eduardo Caldeira Petit
Kingdom of Eswatini	Institutional Capacity Development and Strengthening for the Sound Management of Chemicals and Waste in the Kingdom of Eswatini	Katherine Theotocatos
Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia	Enhancing Ethiopia's Institutional Capacity for Sound Management of Hazardous Wastes and POPs Chemicals and Improving reporting Obligation under Basel and Stockholm Conventions	Nicole Caesar
Islamic Republic of the Gambia 1	Institutional Capacity Building for the Implementation of the Multi-lateral Environmental Agreements in The Gambia	Felix Herzog
Islamic Republic of the Gambia 2	Operationalization of the Special Programme to support institutional strengthening at the national level to enhance the implementation of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions, the Minamata Convention on Mercury and the Strategic Approach to International Chemicals Management	Eduardo Caldeira Petit
Georgia	Enhancing national capacities, reporting and synergies between Basel, Rotterdam, Stockholm and Minamata Conventions and SAICM for the sound management of chemicals and waste in Georgia	Nicole Caesar
Republic of Ghana	Strengthening Institutional Capacity for the Sustainable Sound Management of Chemicals and Waste throughout their Life-cycle and the Effective Implementation of the Basel, Rotterdam, Stockholm and Minamata Conventions and the Strategic Approach to International Chemicals Management (SAICM) in Ghana	Nicole Caesar
Republic of India	Institutional Capacity Building for Sustainable Management of chemicals and wastes with Special Focus on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs)	Katherine Theotocatos
Islamic Republic of Iran	Strengthening Institutional Capacity for the Sustainable Sound Management of Chemicals and Waste throughout Cleaner Production Approach in order to Implement the Multilateral Environmental Agreements (MEAs) in I.R. Iran Oil Industry	Katherine Theotocatos
Republic of Iraq	Strengthening the Institutional Structure for the Management of Chemicals and Wastes in Iraq	Katherine Theotocatos
Republic of Kazakhstan	Strengthening the national capacity of the Republic of Kazakhstan to regulate chemicals through ensuring compliance with obligations under international Multilateral Environmental Agreements	Nicole Caesar

Republic of Kenya 1	Support to Chemicals and wastes MEAs and SAICM Implementation in Kenya	Katherine Theotocatos
Republic of Kenya 2	Strengthening legal systems, institutions and data collection infrastructure in Kiribati	Nicole Caesar
Republic of Kiribat	Strengthening capacities for national implementation of chemicals and waste related international agreements	Katherine Theotocatos
Kyrgyz Republic	Operationalization of the Special Programme to support institutional strengthening at the national level to enhance the implementation of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions, the Minamata Convention on Mercury and the Strategic Approach to International Chemicals Management	Nicole Caesar
Republic of Madagascar	Strengthening institutional capacity to plan, monitor and coordinate the implementation of policies, strategies and national programmes for the sound management of chemicals and waste	Eduardo Caldeira Petit
Republic of Malawi	Strengthening institutional capacity to plan, monitor and coordinate the implementation of policies, strategies and national programmes for the sound management of chemicals and waste	Nicole Caesar
Republic of Maldives	Institutional strengthening and capacity building for the sound management of chemicals and wastes in the Maldives	Eduardo Caldeira Petit
Federated States of Micronesia	Strengthening Institutional Capacity for Chemicals Management in the FSM	Katherine Theotocatos
Republic of Moldova 1	Improving sustainable institutional and regulatory framework for chemicals and waste management throughout their lifecycle in the Republic of Moldova	Nicole Caesar
Republic of Moldova 2	Promoting good governance and building platforms on better coordination on sound management of chemicals and waste in the line with SAICM beyond 2020 in Moldova	Nicole Caesar
Mongolia	Improvement of human resource and analytical capacity for enforcement of hazardous waste management legislations in Mongolia	Katherine Theotocatos
Montenegro	Strengthening synergies between the Basel, Rotterdam, Stockholm and Minamata Conventions	Nicole Caesar
Kingdom of Morocco	Strengthening institutional national capacities for the sound management of chemicals, especially the pesticides used in hygiene and public health	Felix Herzog
Republic of Nauru	Strengthening the national institutional capacity for integrated chemicals and waste management in Nauru	Katherine Theotocatos
Federal Republic of Nigeria	Strengthening of the legal and institutional infrastructures for sound management of chemicals (SMC) in Nigeria	Katherine Theotocatos
Replublic of Macedonia	Strengthening institutional capacities for mainstreaming quadruple synergy schemes in implementation of the National Action Plans (NAPs) for implementation of SAICM and inclusion of Minamata Convention	Nicole Caesar
Islamic Republic of Pakistan	Strengthening of national legislation and capacity building of stakeholders for sound chemicals and hazardous waste management in Pakistan	Katherine Theotocatos
Republic of Palau	Strengthening the national institutional capacity for chemicals and waste management in Palau	Katherine Theotocatos
State of Palestine	Strengthening the institutional capacity of the State of Palestine for the sound waste and chemicals management and fostering stakeholder buy-in under the BRS Conventions and supporting process towards ratification of the Minamata Convention	Katherine Theotocatos
Independent State of Papua New Guinea	Strengthening the institutional framework and national capacity of key stakeholders in Papua New Guinea in wastes and chemical management	Katherine Theotocatos
Republic of Peru	Strengthening national capacities for the integral management of chemicals in Peru	Eduardo Caldeira Petit
Republic of Rwanda	Strengthening the institutional capacity for sound management of chemicals and hazardous wastes	Felix Herzog
Democratic Republic of Sao Tome and Principe	Strengthening São Tomé and Príncipe's National Chemicals and Waste Management Programme by establishing sustainable, integrated, and coherent national structure using plastic waste management pilot to demonstrate private sector and community participation	Eduardo Caldeira Petit
Republic of Serbia	Strengthening the synergies between the Basel, Rotterdam, Stockholm and Minamata Conventions at the national level in the Republic of Serbia	Nicole Caesar
Republic of Serbia	Further strengthening of national capacity and risk management of Substances of International Concern throughout their life cycle	Eduardo Caldeira Petit
Republic of Sierra Leone	Institutional strengthening for the environmentally sound management of chemicals and waste within the framework of Basel, Rotterdam, Stockholm and Minamata Conventions and the Strategic Approach to International Chemicals Management (SAICM) in Sierra Leone	Nicole Caesar
Republic of South Africa	Phasing out of lead in paint and the development of an action plan for SAICM emerging contaminants (lead in paint, HHPs, EPPPs, EDCs, &Cd)	Nicole Caesar
Republic of the Sudan	Enhancing the institutional capacities for sound and synergistic management of chemicals and waste in Sudan	Eduardo Caldeira Petit
Republic of Tajikistan	Strengthening capacities for national implementation and ratification of the chemicals and waste Conventions in Tajikistan	Nicole Caesar

United Republic of Tanzania	Strengthening Institutional Capacity for Sound Management of Chemicals and Waste in the United Republic of Tanzania	Katherine Theotocatos
Republic of Tunisia	Institutional strengthening and capacity building project towards achieving Environmental Sound Management (ESM) of hazardous wastes and chemicals at the industrial level as well as enhancing compliance and implementation of chemicals and waste Multilateral Environmental Agreements (MEAs) including Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions	Felix Herzog
Republic of Uganda 1	Strengthening national institutional capacity in sound management of chemicals and waste in Uganda	Nicole Caesar
Republic of Uganda 2	Strengthening National Capacity to Implement Control Procedures under the Rotterdam, Stockholm, Basel and Minamata Conventions in the Republic of Uganda	Nicole Caesar
Ukraine	Strengthening the Enforcement of the Rotterdam Convention in Ukraine and Building Capacity to Counteract Illegal Trafficking of Chemicals	Katherine Theotocatos
Republic of Uzbekistan	Strengthening the institutional capacity of the Republic of Uzbekistan in the implementation of the Basel and the Stockholm Conventions and GHS, as well as facilitate the accession to the Rotterdam and the Minamata Conventions	Nicole Caesar
Republic of Vanuatu	Strengthening the national institutional capacity for chemicals and waste management in Vanuatu	Katherine Theotocatos
Socialist Republic of Viet Nam	Strengthening national capacity in sound chemicals and waste management for the implementation of the Basel, Rotterdam, Stockholm, Minamata Conventions, SAICM in Viet Nam	Katherine Theotocatos
Republic of Zimbabwe	Strengthening Legal and Institutional Infrastructures for the Sound Management of Chemicals and Wastes in Zimbabwe	Eduardo Caldeira Petit