

**Strategies for organizing to
influence, monitor and track
Climate finance**

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- Importance of National Engagement
- How we engage with National Governments
- Challenges
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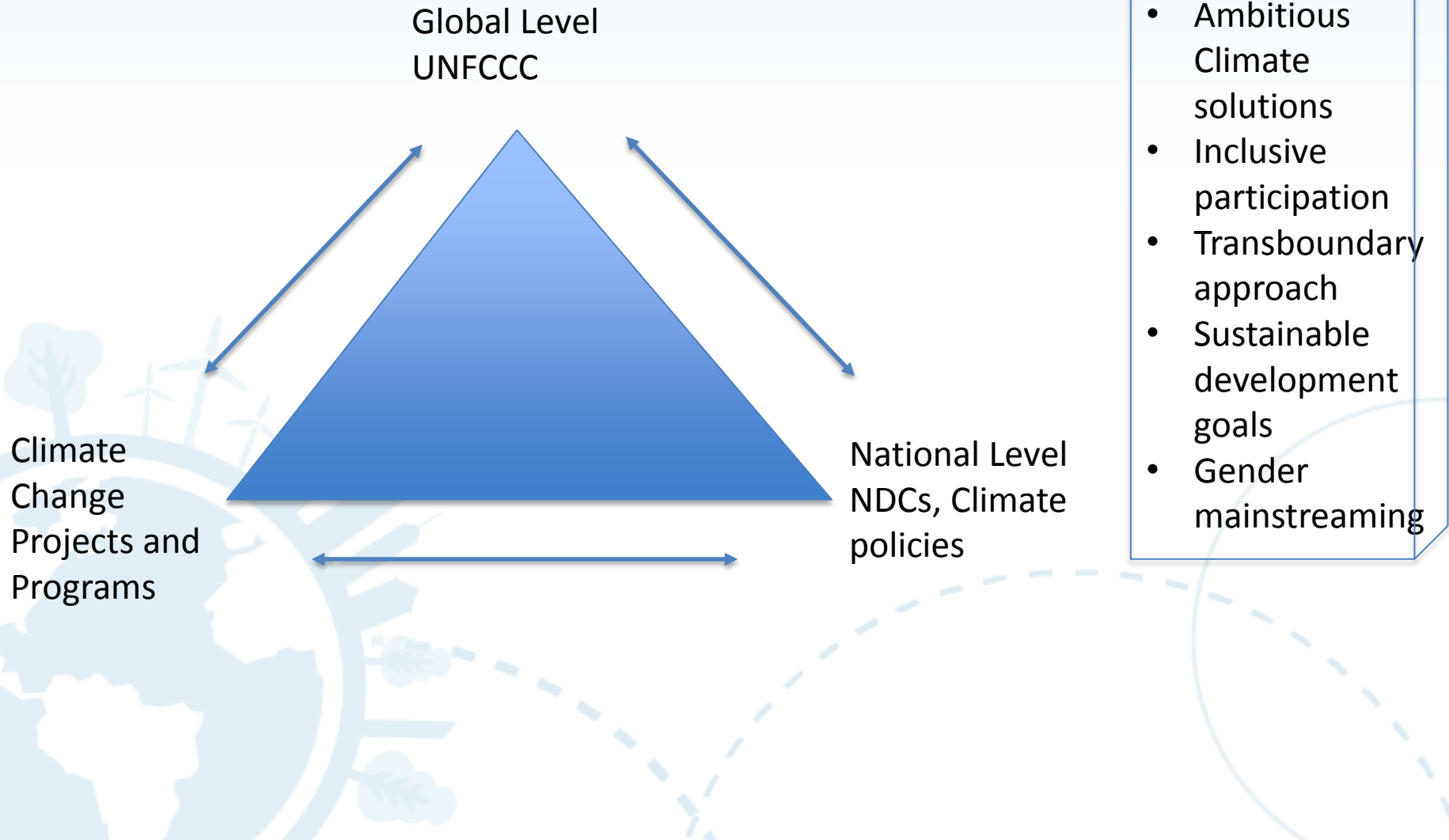
Who We Are



We are a **Latin American foundation** created in **1994** and focused on producing the large-scale changes necessary for **sustainable development** by fostering **collaborative processes** among **leaders from different sectors.**



Importance of National Engagement



How to engage with governments

- Support the design, development and implementation of climate policy and solutions.
- Proactive engagement.
- Early engagement. Timing is key
- Understanding the needs, capacities, limitations of a particular country.
- Provide concrete support for different initiatives.

- Fundación Avina is a Regional Direct Access Entity at the Green Climate Fund.
- We help design Adaptation and Mitigation projects and programs for countries in Latin America.
- We also support capacity building processes that enhance the role of Local governments in Climate Action.

Challenges

- Access to information is often difficult.
- Timing is key.
- Identifying the right actors is essential.
- Understanding different roles and responsibilities in the Climate governance.

- Project design is time consuming.
- Capacities are often limited.
- Resources are needed to design good climate solutions.
- Having an interdisciplinary approach to Climate solutions is key.

Opportunities to add value

- Raise issues that are not often visible
- Make better climate policies and projects
- Strengthen capacities among local stakeholders and institutions
- Build trust and foster relationships that facilitate collective action



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