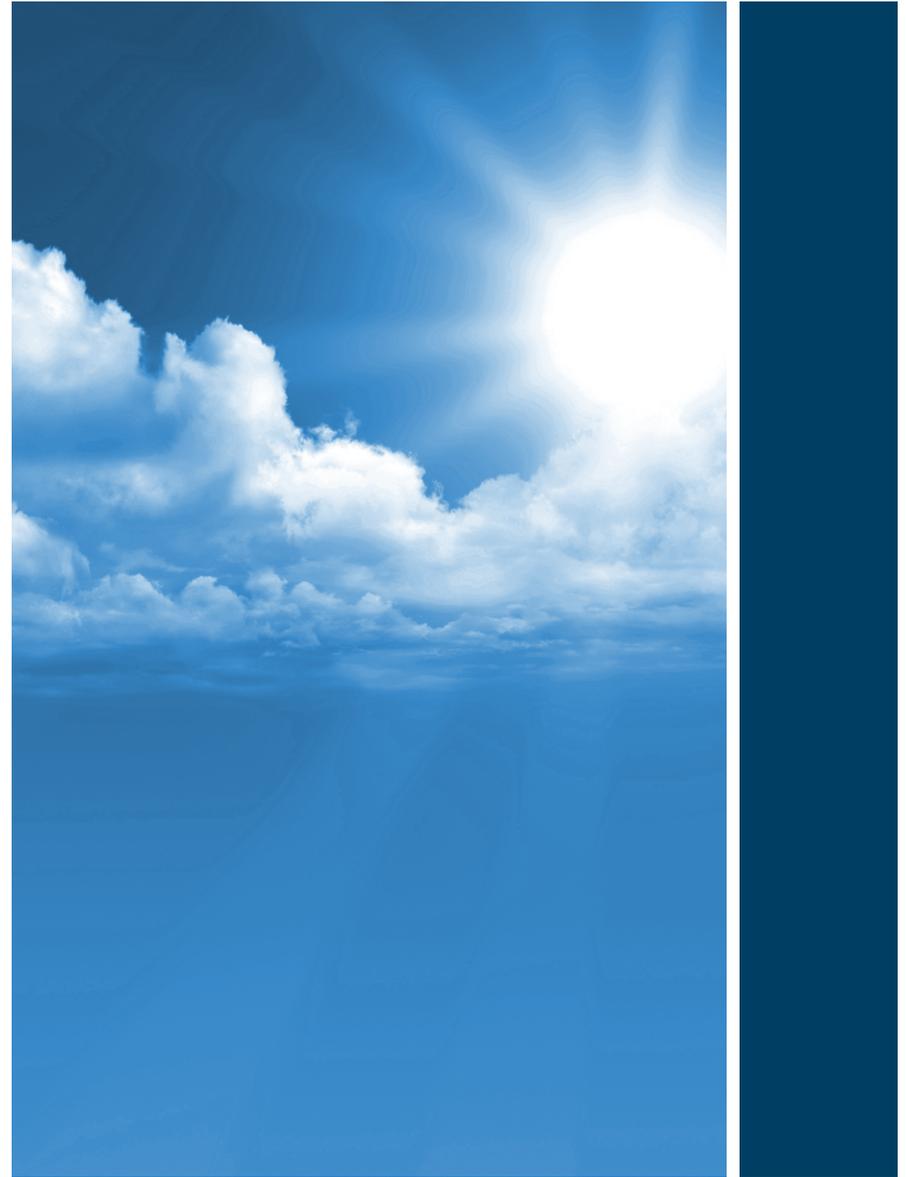


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## *Overview of Planning and Financing Sustainable Low- Carbon Urban Transport*

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# Agenda

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- ✓ Welcome and Introductory Remarks
- ✓ Overview of the [Clean Energy Solutions Center](#)
- ✓ Overview of [Low Emissions Development Strategies Global Partnership](#)
  - **Sean Esterly:** National Renewable Energy Laboratory
- ✓ Presentation - Panelist:
  - **Dr. Benoit Lefevre:** Director of the Transport and Climate Program, EMBARQ, Senior Associate, Transport and Climate, CEP at World Resources Institute
- ✓ Question & Answer
- ✓ Survey
- ✓ Discussion and Closing Remarks

# Clean Energy Ministerial & UN Partnership Supporting the Solutions Center

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- Clean Energy Ministerial (CEM) launched the Clean Energy Solutions Center in April, 2011 for major economy countries
  - One of eleven CEM Initiatives
  - Led by Australia and U.S. with other CEM partners
- Partnership with UN-Energy is extending scope to support all developing countries
  - Enhance resources on policies relating to energy access, small to medium enterprises (SMEs), and financing programs
  - Offer expert policy assistance to all countries
  - Expand peer to peer learning and training



# Clean Energy Solutions Center

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## Goals

- Serve as a first-stop clearinghouse of clean energy policy resources.
- Share policy best practices, data, and analysis tools across countries.
- Deliver dynamic services that will enable expert assistance, learning, and peer to peer sharing of experiences
- Foster dialogue on emerging policy issues and innovation across the globe.

## Target Audiences

- Primary:
  - Energy policy makers and advisors
  - Analysts
- Secondary:
  - Private sector companies,
  - Energy entrepreneurs and investors
  - Non Governmental Organizations
  - Civil society
  - Others engaged in clean energy

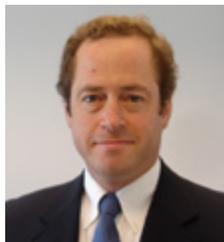


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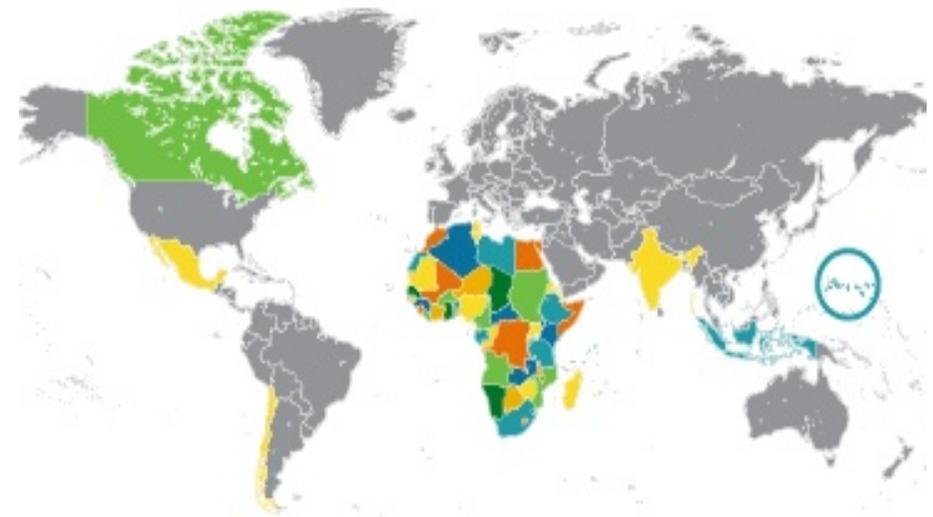
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We connect you to a global network of energy experts for personalized attention and quick response technical assistance on **strategies, regulations, standards, financial incentives, and deployment programs** for a broad range of clean energy sectors and technologies including:



- Transportation
- Energy Access
- Energy Efficiency
- Renewable Energy
- Smart Grid
- Utilities



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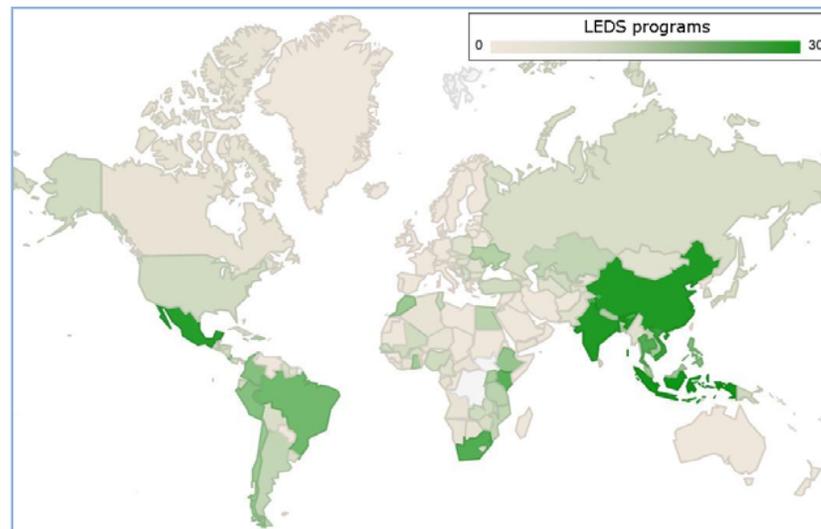
- Request expert assistance or tailored technical resources for your country
- Participate in webinars, training activities, and policy networks
- Offer advice and suggest resources to share
- Register for our newsletter





# Low Emission Development Strategies Overview

The Low Emission Development Strategies (LEDS) Global Partnership is a partnership of more than 100 countries and international programs enhances coordination, information exchange, and cooperation to advance climate-resilient low emission growth.



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# Dr. Benoit Lefevre: Director of the Transport and Climate Program, EMBARQ, Senior Associate, Transport and Climate, CEP at the World Resources Institute

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## Dr. Benoit Lefevre

Benoit Lefevre leads the new Transport and Climate Change Special Initiative at the World Resources Institute (WRI), as well as the Transport Working Group of the Low Emissions Development Strategies Global Partnership (LEDS GP).

Previously, Benoit worked as the director of the Urban Fabric Program (UFP) at the Institute of sustainable development and international relation (IDDRI), a think tank based in Paris and Brussels. He has done research and consultancy on urban energy modeling, urban greenhouse gas (GHG) inventory, integrated land-use and transport policies, real estate and housing markets, Urban green growth, carbon finance and cities, city networks and post-2012 negotiation process. Prior to joining IDDRI, Benoit was visiting scholar at the Global Metropolitan Studies (GMS) and the Institute of Urban and Regional Development (IURD) at the University of California, Berkeley.

Benoit holds a PhD in Economics and Finance from Mines ParisTech and a Master Degree in Environmental and Natural Resources Economics. He did his Post-doctorate at the Center for Energy at Columbia University, New York. Benoit is also a lead author for the Chapter 16: "Cross-cutting Investment and Finance Issues" of the 5th Assessment Report (AR5), Working Group III of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC).

Time for Q&A

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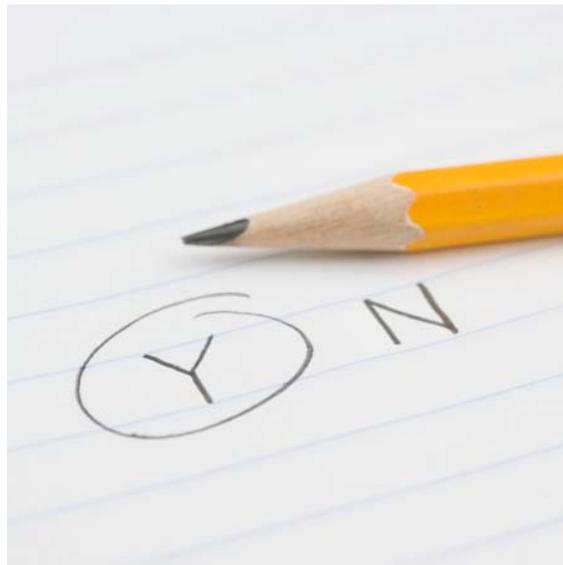
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# Survey

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