

The UNFCCC's Lima work programme on gender and its gender action plan

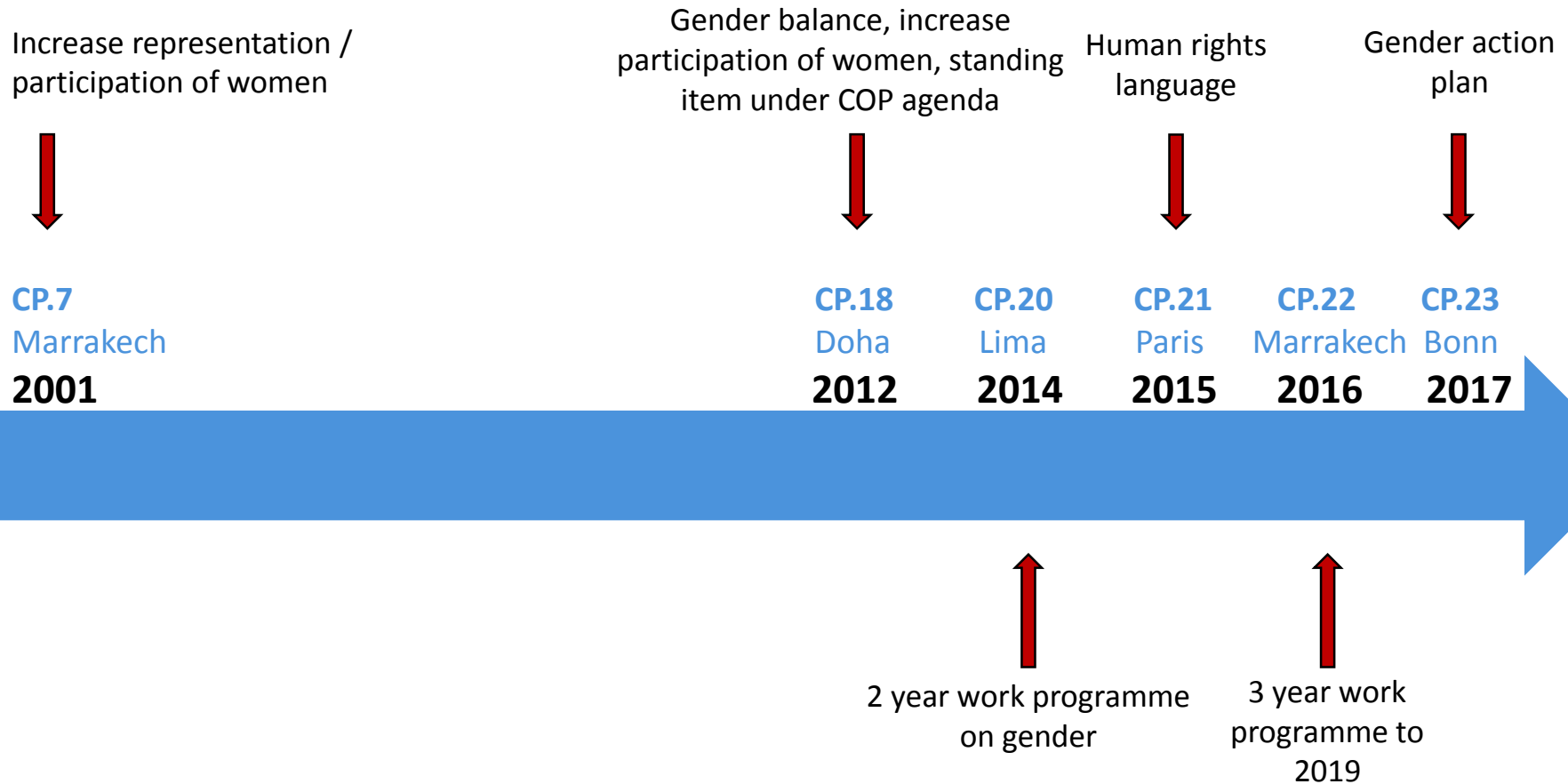
Training Programme on Mainstreaming Gender Considerations in Climate Change Adaptation Projects

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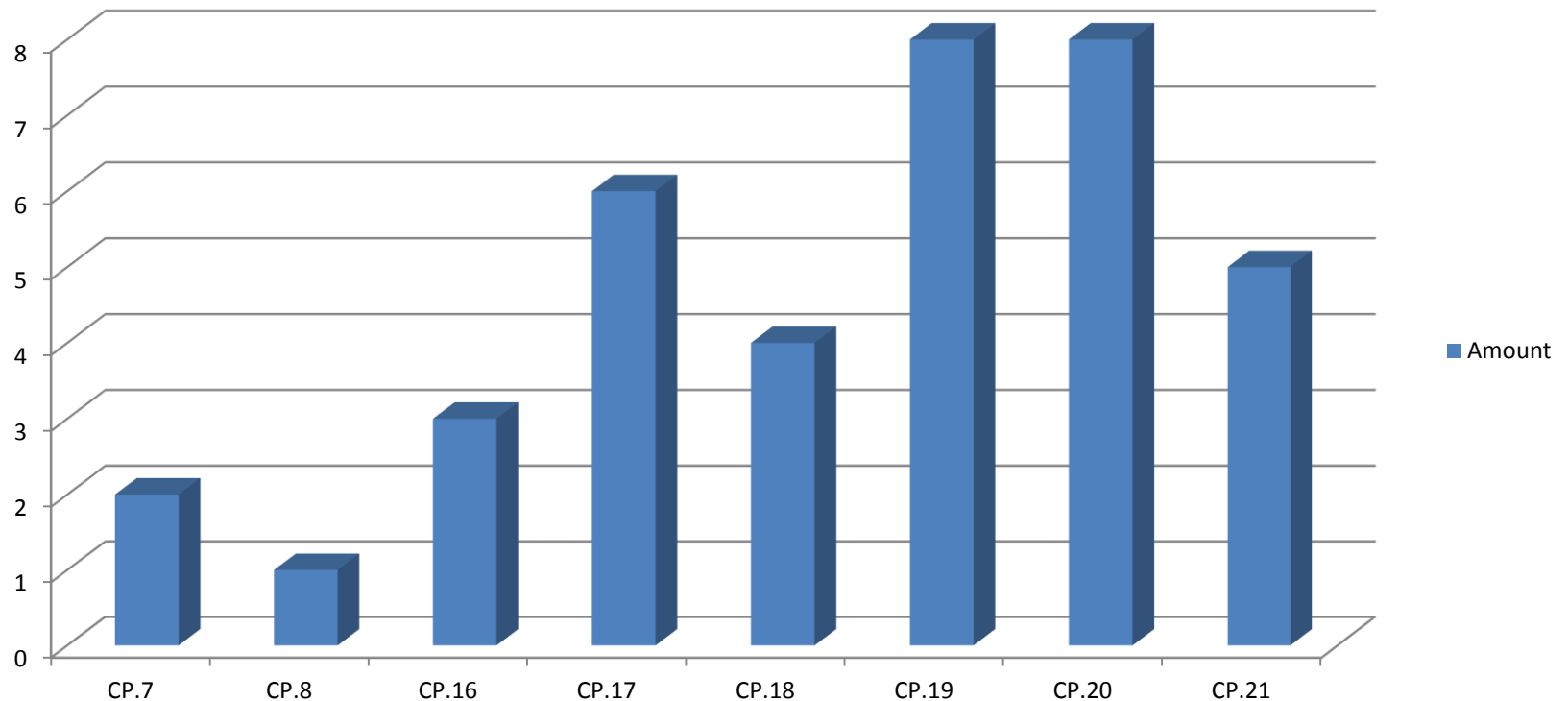
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Gender considerations in the UNFCCC process



But that is not the whole picture...

COP decisions in other thematic areas referencing 'gender', 'women', or 'social/socially responsible'



- After initial 2 years, at COP 22 it was enhanced and extended until 2019
 - [Decision 21/CP.22](#)
 - Included a mandate for the SBI to develop a gender action plan in 2017
 - [Decision -/CP.23](#)
 - Secretariat to prepare technical paper on entry points for integration (or strengthening) of gender consideration of all UNFCCC constituted bodies
 - Includes Adaptation Committee, Adaptation Fund Board, LDC Expert Group etc
 - Encourages Parties to integrate local and traditional knowledge in the formulation of climate policy and recognize value of the participation of grassroots women in gender-responsive climate action
 - Encourages Parties to include information on how they are integrating gender considerations in climate policy and action when reporting under UNFCCC e.g. in NAPs, National Communications, NDCs etc
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- It is a **component** of the Lima work programme on gender and is effective from now until December 2019
- Its **objective** is to support the **implementation** of the gender decisions referred to in the previous slide
- The gender action plan groups activities under **five priority areas**:
 - ☐ Capacity-building, knowledge sharing and communications
 - ☐ Gender balance, participation and women's leadership
 - ☐ Coherence
 - ☐ Gender-responsive implementation and means of implementation
 - ☐ Monitoring and reporting



- In 2018, seeking inputs through **submissions** on:
 - ❑ Differentiated impacts of climate change on women and men
 - ❑ Integration of gender considerations into climate policies and plans (adaptation and mitigation)
 - ❑ Policies and plans for and progress made in enhancing gender balance in national climate delegations
- An in-session **workshop** will be held during the April/May subsidiary bodies session that will be based on inputs received
- A **synthesis report** will be prepared in 2019 on all the information received through submissions



➤ Other **activities** include:

- ☐ Use workshops, technical, assistance etc to enhance capacity of Parties and stakeholders to develop **gender-responsive** policies, plans and programmes on adaptation, mitigation etc
- ☐ A dialogue with Chairs of all constituted bodies to discuss outcomes and recommendations of technical paper **entry points** for integrating (or strengthening) gender considerations in the work of their respective body
- ☐ Strengthening the **capacity** at a national level to **integrate** gender-responsive budgeting in climate finance through training, expert workshops, technical papers and tools



➤ Other **activities** include:

- ☐ Provide **capacity-building** to Chairs and members of bodies constituted under the UNFCCC on how to integrate gender considerations (also includes secretariat technical teams)
- ☐ Promote **travel funds** as a means to support the participation of women in national delegations at UNFCCC sessions, including those from grass-roots, local and indigenous peoples communities
- ☐ A dialogue in 2019 hosted by the Standing Committee on Finance on the **implementation** of its commitment to integrate gender considerations into its work – emphasis on gender-responsive access to finance





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