



PCREEE

Pacific Centre for Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency

SE4ALL Centre of Excellence to Promote Sustainable Energy Markets, Industries and Innovation

GREENpreneurs Week

Entrepreneurship in Renewable Energy (RE) & Energy Efficiency (EE)

facilitated by SPC Pacific Centre for Renewable Energy & Energy Efficiency

TARAWA, KIRIBATI: 8th – 10th October, 2018

The Greenpreneurs Week is jointly hosted by the Global Green Growth (GGGI) & the SPC Pacific Centre for Renewable Energy & Energy Efficiency (PCREEE). The gathering is targeting interested Youths in the country to participate in these two important workshops.

The workshop has two components;

- i) Jumpstart your Green Business - led by GGGI (for 1.5 Days - 8th – 9th October)
- ii) Promoting Entrepreneurship in RE & EE for Youths (PERE4Y) in the Pacific - led by PCREEE (from midday 9th – 10th October 2018).

The 1st component, the GGGI led "Jumpstart Your Green Business" will support new and / or early stage businesses to clarify their business ideas.

The 2nd component, the PCREEE led PERE4Y in the Pacific intends to bring together **New and Established** industry stakeholders to hear experiences from those that have been in the industry in the Pacific and perhaps to pave the way to start or improve their own businesses or find employment opportunities in RE & EE Sectors.

a. OBJECTIVES AND PURPOSE

The RE & EE Youth Entrepreneurship Programme aims to;

- i) Raising the Youths awareness about the business and employment opportunities in the local energy sector;
- ii) Introducing youths to the requirements for business registration (taxes and other legal requirements) and job applications;
- iii) Raising awareness about the Training and Support opportunities that are available to Youths and
- iv) Introducing Youths to experiences from the ground and doing business on the internet and social media

b. TARGETED PARTICIPANTS

- Youths in Kiribati
- Government entities
- Utilities
- Private sector (Existing RE & EE Businesses, Retailers and Hotels etc)

Workshop Timetable

Session / Date	Date & Time	Event	Facilitator / Presenter
Day 1 –9/10/2018			
Session 1 – Setting the Scene & Introduction to the Business & Employment Opportunities in the Local Energy Sector.	1400 – 1410	Entrepreneurship in Renewable Energy & Energy Efficiency (PCREEE)	
	1410 – 1440	Introduction of the PYDF (2014 – 2023) ; SPC	
		Kiribati – Youth Plans & Initiatives	Kiribati National Youth Council Ministry of Internal and Social Affairs
	1440 – 1510	Kiribati National Determined Contribution	Director National Economic & Planning Office
	1510 – 1540	Power Sector Development Plan and Renewable Energy Initiatives in Kiribati.	Public Utilities Board
	1540 – 1555	Afternoon Tea	
	1600 – 1610	Joint Panel Discussions / Questions	
	1610 – 1635	Rural Electrification in Kiribati – Opportunities for Private Entrepreneurs	Ministry of Infrastructure and Sustainable Energy Energy Planning Officer
	1635 – 1705	Tourism Development in Kiribati & Potential for Renewable Energy & Energy Efficiency Development in the industry	Ministry of Information Communication Transport and Tourism Development Senior Tourism Officer
Session 2 – Introducing youths to the requirements for business licensing, compliance and job applications	1705 – 1735	Registration of Businesses in Kiribati	Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Cooperative
	1735 – 1745	Joint Panel Discussions / Questions	
Day 2 –10/10/2018			
	0830 – 0900	Kiribati SMEs – Pathways for Green Businesses & Challenges. Opportunities under the KCCI.	Kiribati Chamber of Commerce and Industry kiribatchamber@gmail.com
	0900 – 0930	Complying to Tax Requirements & Incentives in Renewable Energy & Energy Efficiency Businesses	Ministry of Finance and Economic Development
	0930 – 1000	Human Resource Requirements for the Electricity Sector.	Public Utility Board
		Human Resource Requirements for the Energy Sector	Energy Planning Unit Ministry of Infrastructure & Sustainable Energy
	1000 – 1030	Joint Panel Discussions / Questions Morning Tea	

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Session 3 – Training and Support Opportunities in Renewable Energy & Energy Efficiency that are available to Youths	1030 – 1100	Capacity Building in RE & EE in Kiribati	Kiribati Institute of Technology Rokobati Tearo rtearo@kit.edu.ki
	1100 – 1130	The experiences in the Sustainable Energy Financing Project in Fiji	PCREEE
	1130 – 1200	Lending opportunities & other Assistance to New Businesses in Kiribati	Development Bank of Kiribati
	1200 – 1230	ANZ – Loan Portfolios and Opportunities for New Businesses including Renewable Energy & Energy Efficiency	Australia New Zealand Bank
	1230 – 1300	PCREEE’s research support fund PCREEE’s innovation competition PCREEE SE support facility	PCREEE
		Renewable Energy and Outer Islands Electrification in Kiribati	Kiribati Solar Company
	1300 – 1415	Joint Panel Discussions	
		Lunch	
Session 4 – Introducing Youth to Experiences from Ground doing businesses and also those using the internet and social media	1415 – 1445	GGGI – Experiences on Solar Refrigeration in the Tourism Sector in Vanuatu	Dr. Kristin Deason (GGGI)
	1445 – 1515	Private Sector Initiatives on RE & EE & Use of Internet & Social Media in Business in Kiribati	Mr. A. Terubentau
	1515 – 1545	RE & EE retail in Kiribati & Use of Internet & Social Media in Business	Kiribati Solar Energy Company
	1545 – 1630	Q & A Session & Evaluation Form Collection & Closing of Workshop	
		Afternoon Tea	

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