

ONLINE DISCUSSION

To effectively work together with other teams in the ILO, we have decided to have a discussion with the [Skills and Employability Network](#). The topic for discussion will be *Skills for Green Jobs*.

This time the discussion will take place on the Skills and Employability portal and to take part in the discussion you need to sign up as a member [HERE](#).

On both portals we have a lot of information about the topic, simply go to the [RESOURCES](#) part of the portals (here are the Green Jobs resources) and search and find a dearth of information on Green Jobs and Skills.

We encourage you to log on to the [Skills and Employability portal](#) and take part in the discussion! See you there!



NEW ILO RESOURCE

[Skills for Green Jobs. A Global View](#)

This is an ILO publication that examines the experiences of 21 developed and developing countries in adjusting their training provision to meet the new demands of a greener economy. It shows that skills development is critical to unlocking the employment potential of green growth, yet skills shortages are becoming an obstacle in realizing this potential. The report recommends that countries devise strategies based on well-informed policy decisions, social dialogue, and coordination among ministries and between employers and training providers.



Read more on the [ILO website](#) and follow the joint Green Jobs and Skills and Employability discussion on the topic [HERE](#).

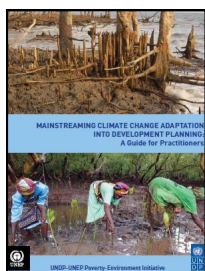
WE NEED YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

This is a bi-monthly newsletter with the latest updates from the Green Jobs-AP portal and the world of Green Jobs. Now we want YOU to contribute by sending us news, events, publications or information about your projects and organizations. Please send an email to BKK_GREENJOBS-AP@ilo.org

FEATURED RESOURCES

[Mainstreaming Climate Change Adaptation into Development Planning: A Guide for Practitioners](#)

This UNEP/UNDP guide provides practical, step-by-step guidance on how governments and other national actors can mainstream climate change adaptation into national development planning as part of broader mainstreaming efforts.



[Trade unions and climate change: The jobs versus environment dilemma](#),

in this report by Nora Rathzel and David Uzzell from the University of Surrey, the authors argue that "the jobs versus environment dilemma is a significant issue affecting workers worldwide".



[Climate Resilience and Sustainable Urban Development in Pacific Developing Member Countries](#)

this ADB brochure informs us that small island countries like those in the Pacific are most vulnerable to the effects of climate change. The temperature is expected to rise and adversely impact Pacific DMCs economically, socially and environmentally.



FEATURED NEWS

- ◇ According to the Korea Times, [Korea](#) has aggressively carried out projects to boost "low-carbon green growth" over the past years and now seeks to share its experience with other nations for sustainable development, Environment Minister Yoo Young-sook said.
- ◇ Providing training and education for young people so they can fully participate in the emerging 'green economy' was the focus of a [United Nations conference](#) in the Indonesian city of Bandung at the end of September.
- ◇ According to [The Pioneer](#), a new United Nations report has called on countries in Asia and the Pacific to embark on a 'green' industrial revolution that provides food, housing, mobility, energy and water with only about 20 per cent of the per capita resource use and emissions found in current systems.

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GREEN JOBS EVENTS

- ◇ On August 22-23 the [Pilot awareness training course on 'Work Adjustment for Recycling and Managing Waste' \(WARM\) programme](#) was arranged in Colombo.
- ◇ The [Tripartite National Conference on Green Jobs: The Way Forward](#) took place in Dhaka on September 18.
- ◇ The [Enterprise-Level Training](#) in Hotels started on October 10 on Thailand and through the [Greener Business Asia](#) project support will be provided until March 2012.
- ◇ On October 13-14, a [Foundation Training workshop on Green Jobs](#) for ILO constituents and partners was arranged in Colombo.

Go to [Green Jobs-AP](#) to find more events and to upload information on YOUR events.