SUSTAINABILITY IMPACT ACCELERATOR

An international training programme supporting projects for Agenda 2030

Who we are - NIR

- The International Council of Swedish Industry, or NIR, is a **member-based non-profit organisation**. NIR's members are currently nine of Sweden's largest export companies and EKN, SEK och SEB.
- NIR has worked in the nexus between aid and trade since 1960 and has cooperated with a multitude of actors from governments, agencies, academia, NGOs and industries in developing countries. NIR has cooperated with unions for more than a decade.
- As a non-profit organisation NIR enjoys legitimacy as a trustworthy and neutral partner.
- NIR has 13 employees in Stockholm and 4 regional coordinators in Nairobi, Johannesburg, Hanoi and Bogotá.





Our programme - Sustainability Impact Accelerator (SIA)



The purpose of the Sustainability Impact Accelerator is to provide targeted capacity development for institutions in OECD-DAC countries to support the implementation of sustainable and bankable projects that contribute to Agenda 2030.

- Providing targeted capacity development to institutions in OECD-DAC countries to enhance local capacity to develop sustainable projects.
- Developing and accelerating sustainable and bankable projects in key sectors.
- Mobilising capital for investment in sustainable projects.
- Increasing the number of implemented sustainable projects.
- Providing business opportunities for companies offering sustainable solutions.
- Mobilising and aligning stakeholders in engaging and implementing projects.



What do we offer?

The programme provides **project adapted training and mentoring** to build additional institutional capacity needed to design or implement a specific project and mobilise financing.

The programme can offer a wide range of training and expertise, including but not limited to:

- Policy development
- Technical training
- Project management
- Compliance with international standards for sustainable projects
- Sustainability expertise (social, economic and environmental)
- Change management support and strategic leadership mentoring
- Administrative support
- Stakeholder dialogue support





What projects are eligible?

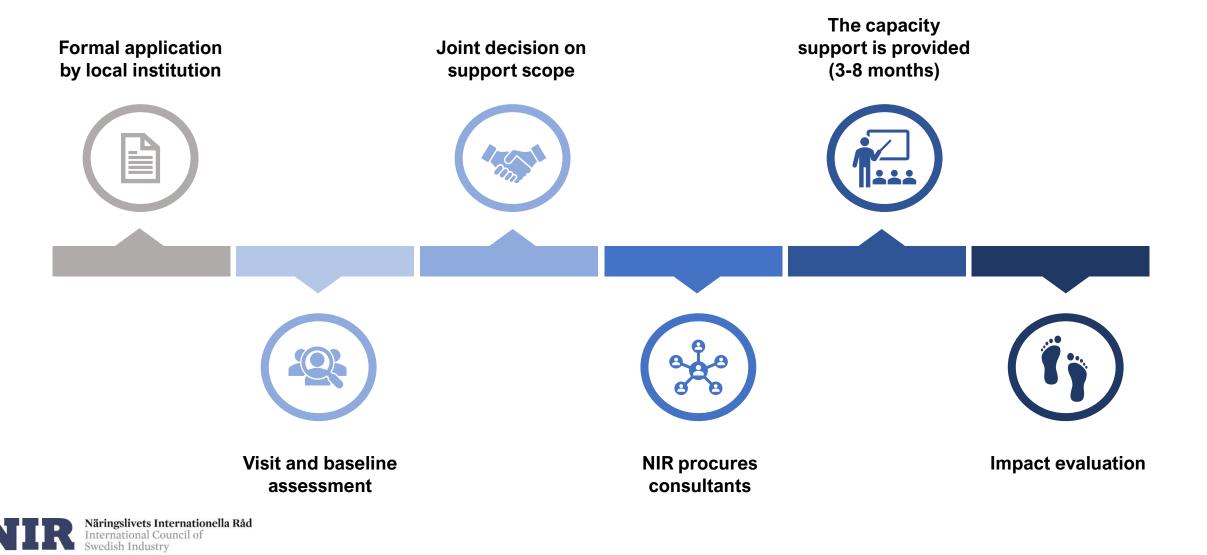
Projects in developing countries according to the OECD-DAC list are eligible. The project must have potential to make a significant sustainability impact. For example:

- Clean energy (including biofuels)
- Electrification, grid stability and efficiency
- Sustainable transport
- Forestry
- Waste and water





How does it work?





How to apply?

For questions or inquiries regarding project proposals, contact:

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Or apply directly through the application form at our website: www.nir.se/eng/programmes/sia



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