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BASE



UNEP Collaborating Centre



Collaborating Centre

- MOU signed with UNEP
- Collaborate on an ongoing basis
- Distinct from contractors



SUSTAINABLE
ENERGY
FINANCE
INITIATIVE

SEFI Public Finance Forum

- Under the remit of UNEP-SEFI
- Managed by BASE
- In collaboration with CEG
- With funding support from the Oak Foundation



SEFI Public Finance Forum

- Forum? Alliance? Collaborative?
- International platform for public finance practitioners
- Member-driven

Examples of relevant programmes

- R&D grants
- Technology or business incubators
- Soft or contingent loans
- Mezzanine finance
- Risk mitigation, guarantees
- Public-Private VC funds

Examples of eligible agencies

- Carbon Trust (UK)
- Sustainable Energy Ireland
- SenterNovem (Netherlands)
- KfW, GTZ (Germany)
- Sitra (Finland)
- IDEA (Spain)
- ADEME (France)
- London Development Authority
- EIB, EBRD

- All levels of government

The CESA Model

- 16 State funds, 2 State agencies
- Since 2003
- Managed by CEG
- Working with us on the SEFI version

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TIFF (LZW) decompressor
are needed to see this picture.

Service Proposition

- Peer interaction
- Identify and develop areas for collaboration
- Implement joint projects
- Identify and disseminate best practice
- Represent the common voice
 - Joint communiques or recommendation
- Individual member services
- Leverage support
- Pool resources

Activities

- Monthly call seminars
- Biannual general meetings
- Steering committee meetings
- Conference calls on special topics
- Research
- Joint projects
- Listserv and website
- Outreach and partnership development
- Global mapping

Where are we now?

- Strategic Plan
- Founding members' meeting
- Call seminar pilot series
- Kickoff meeting, Fall '07
- Additional foundation fundraising

Conclusion



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