

2025 SIDS NDE Joint Programme

Introduction to World Café

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World Café explained

The World Café is an interactive group dialogue format designed to **foster peer learning and exchange**.

Participants will be divided into four groups (two English-speaking and two French-speaking) and will rotate through thematic stations focused on system transformation areas and key enablers. Each station will be facilitated by a thematic expert to guide the discussion.

Sessions will begin with short ice breakers and cover both adaptation and mitigation aspects of climate action. Café rounds will rotate every 45–60 minutes.



Flow of the World Café

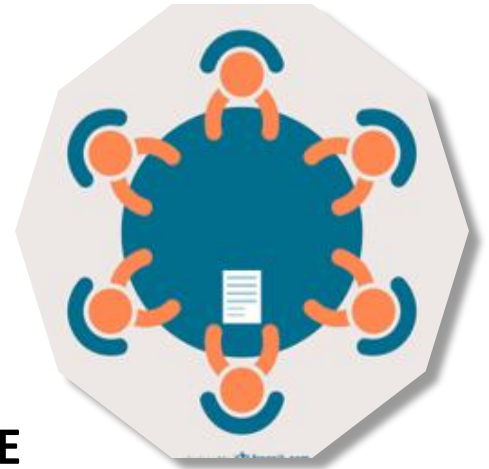
1. Facilitators: Thematic Expert/Ice-breaker
2. Time – 95min, after 45min please switch
3. Nominate 1 reporter
4. Participation – Group 1/2
5. Each group has 7-8 members

Two groups rotate through 6 topics.

(A/C). G1. TABLE



(B/D). G2. TABLE



Group 1

Cook Islands
Antigua and Barbuda
Saint Kitts and Nevis
Palau
Papua New Guinea
Samoa
Marshall Islands
Seychelles
PNG – AB Vice chair

Group 2

Grenada
Suriname
São Tomé & Príncipe
Maldives
Maldives - TEC chair
Solomon Islands
Nauru
Australia
Greece – AB Chair



Session 6: World Café: WEF Nexus and Buildings & Infrastructure

Water-Energy-Food Nexus

Lead Facilitator:

Julian Mashingaidze, Climate Technology Specialist, Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) of the United Nations

Buildings and Infrastructure

Lead Facilitator:

Dr Usha Iyer-Raniga, Professor, School of Property, Construction and Project Management, RMIT University & Co-Lead of the Circular Built Environment (CBE) working group, Global ABC



Session 7: World Café: Energy Systems and Business & Industry

Energy Systems

Lead Facilitator:

Dr. Han-ki Kim, KIER

Business & Industry

Lead Facilitator:

Laura Lesar, PhD, Flinders University



Session 8: World Café: Digitalization and NSI

Digitalization

Lead Facilitator:
Albert Lihalakha, Climateprobability

National Systems of Innovation (NSI)

Lead Facilitator:
Pauline Namutebi, UNFCCC
Secretariat

