

LAUNCH WEBINAR

IPAM PRINCIPLES FOR RESPONSIBLE AI USE IN CLIMATE ADAPTATION METRICS, MONITORING, EVALUATION, REPORTING AND LEARNING

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The International Platform on Adaptation Metrics (IPAM) is pleased to invite you to the launch webinar for the revised Principles for Responsible AI Use in Climate Adaptation Metrics, Monitoring, Evaluation, Reporting and Learning.

Artificial intelligence is already being used to support climate-risk analysis, evidence synthesis, monitoring, evaluation, reporting and learning. Its growing use raises an urgent question for the adaptation community: how can AI help improve the measurement of adaptation progress without weakening credibility, equity, transparency or accountability?

Developed by an IPAM Task Group, the Principles address this question by setting out practical guidance for the responsible use of AI in adaptation metrics and MERL. The document identifies key risks across ethical, governance and capacity dimensions, including data quality, bias, transparency, human oversight, stakeholder participation, privacy, security and the interpretation of AI-supported outputs.

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The launch follows IPAM's initial presentation of the Principles on March 19, 2026 and a subsequent review process, including expert feedback and a participant survey on their clarity, completeness and practical applicability. This feedback has been incorporated into a revised version, strengthening the document's evidence base, sharpening its recommendations, and improving its relevance for policymakers, evaluators, researchers, donors and practitioners.

This launch webinar will present the revised Principles, explain how they are intended to be used, and discuss how they can support more trustworthy application of AI in adaptation metrics, evaluation and resilience-related decision-making. The session will also introduce IPAM's proposed next phase of work, including practical guidance, use-case testing, and possible approaches for documenting or acknowledging use of the Principles.

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