

 Early Warning System

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CAPACITY BUILDING TO STRENGTHEN THE AFRICAN UNION
COMMISSION



Quick Facts

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| Financial Institutions | African Development Bank (AFDB) |
| Status | Approved |
| Bank Risk Rating | C |
| Voting Date | 2022-02-03 |
| Borrower | African Union(AU) |
| Sectors | Law and Government |
| Investment Type(s) | Grant |
| Investment Amount (USD) | \$ 11.64 million |
| Project Cost (USD) | \$ 12.77 million |



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the objective of this project is to improve the capacity of the African Union Commission (AUC) to drive Agenda 2063 and Agenda 2063's flagship programs.

The project will support the AU's reform agenda, launched in 2017, by strengthening the AUC's governance systems and processes, growing the expertise of AUC personnel, and increasing the institution's policy planning and coordination capabilities, especially within the Cabinets of the Chairperson and Deputy Chairperson. Accordingly, the project will focus on institutional strengthening (systems' reform and upgrade), policy planning, and coordination and corporate service delivery.

The project is structured in three components: (i) institutional strengthening (systems reform and upgrade); (ii) policy planning, coordination, and corporate service delivery; and (iii) project management.

The project will cover costs associated with the organization of meetings, events, conferences, and workshops; the creation of databases, websites, and other communication materials that augment the AU's visibility; and the assessment of plans, policies, and programs in order to identify ways to mainstream climate change matters and other environmental issues into AUC programs. The project will also cover the cost of publishing reports, such as joint reports on the implementation of Agenda 2063 and reports on the African Economic Growth Study, which will identify actions to place Africa's GDP on a path of 7%-10% growth per year for 30 years necessary to realize Agenda 2063.



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Bank Documents

- [Appraisal report \(en\)](#)
- [Appraisal report \(fr\)](#)
- [Environmental Study \(fr\)](#)
- [General Procurement Notice \(en\)](#)