Regional Learning Route:

Strengthening the resilience capacities of the Caribbean producer organizations: Exploring on-the-ground solutions to enhance their participation in agricultural value chains

12th to 18th November, 2023
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WELCOME TO THE LEARNING ROUTE!

In the context of the “Farmers Organizations for Africa, Caribbean and the Pacific Project (FO4ACP), a **REGIONAL LEARNING ROUTE** has been organized to develop the capacities and skills of small rural farmers organizations to address the challenges of **CLIMATE CHANGE**

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What is a LEARNING ROUTE?

A **Learning Route** is a planned journey with formative objectives through which participants visit outstanding experiences, share knowledge and good practices to replicate them in their own organizations.

Who participate in a Learning Route?

- **Participants**
- **Host Cases**

Learning Route

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General Objective:

Increase the resilience and productive capacities of farmer organizations by implementing climate-smart practices and using technologic solutions to catalyse transformative change in their production systems.

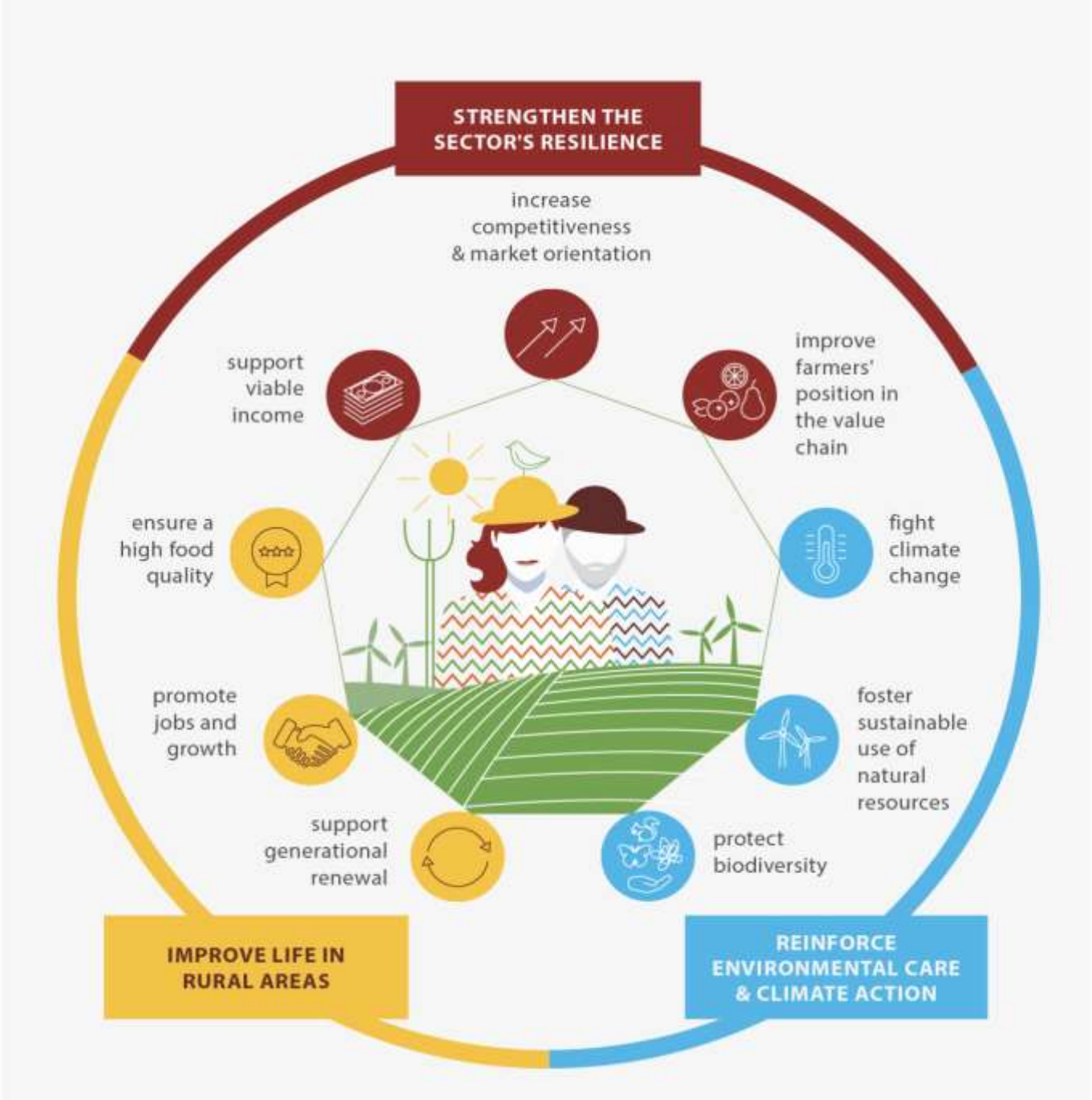
SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES

To learn about and the SOLUTIONS and GOOD PRACTICES developed by some inspiring organizations to address climate change issues.

To identify the main challenges, key actors and opportunities to improve resilience and integrate climate risk in the value chain.

To develop an INNOVATION PLAN to adopt and replicate one **good practice** to improve the organizational and businesses performance.

Why its important to increase the resilience and productive capacities?



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What involves a value chain that integrates climate risk management?

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Who are the Host Cases and Experiences from whom we will learn?

- Water distribution and soil management: Empresa Brasileira de Pesquisa Agropecuária (EMPRABA), School Agricultural Family, Instituto Regional da Pequena Agropecuaria Apropiada (IRPAA)
- Water reuse: National Institute of the Semi-Arida (INSA)
- Organic production & sustainable production: Central da Caatinga, Cooperativa Agropecuária Familiar de Canudos
- Renewable energies: Cooperative of Rural Producers of Monteiro (CAPRIBOM)

The Roadmap for adopting good practices…

- **Experience Fair:**
  Where we are?

- **Workshop cases analysis**
  What are some good practices learned?

- **Elaboration of an Innovation Plan**
  How we can adopt some of the solutions?

GENERAL OVERVIEW OF THE AGENDA

DATE	ACTIVITY
Sunday 12th November	Opening session, Introduction and Experience Fair
Monday 13th November	EMBRAPA / School Agricultural Family / Exchange FO4LAC and FO4ACP
Tuesday 14th November	IRPAA / Açude da Rancharia Community / IP Workshop
Wednesday 15th November	Case Analysis / COOPERCUC / Canudos State Park/
Tuesday 16th November	IP Workshop / CAPRIBOM
Friday 17th November	Boa Vista Site / INSA
Saturday 18th November	Case Analysis / IP Workshop / Closure of the LR

KEY LOGISTICAL INFORMATION

- The organization covers your accommodation, transport and daily meals.
- The cost of transportation from your place of origin and back to your place of origin will be reimbursed accordingly to Procasur policy.
- Extra room charges are your own responsibility as well as the consumption of alcoholic beverages.
- Reminders and general information will be shared through the Whatsapp group.
- Be responsible with punctuality as we will be moving as a group.
- We are a diverse group, everyone's opinions count, let's make a climate of respect prevail among us.

Thanks for your attention!

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