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Status Update on the Growth and Evolution of the Water Action Hub Two Years On

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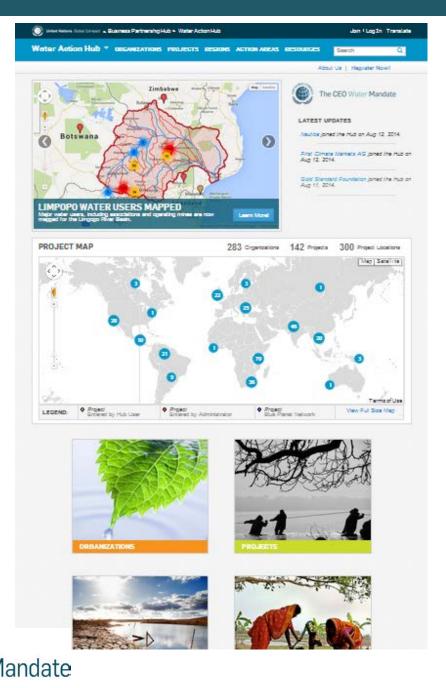


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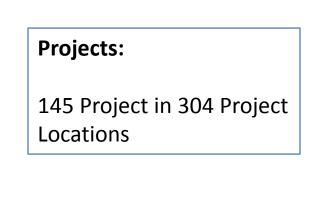
What's New on the Water Action Hub?

New Look and Feel

• A "refreshed" look to the Hub based upon increased integration with the UN Global Compact's Business Partnership Hub



New Organizations and Projects



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From a "Catalog to a Catalyst" for Collective Action: Enhancing Communications

Strategy:

- Developing a more efficient mechanism to help companies find organizations and projects with aligned areas of interest
- Newsletter and communications to help Hub users understand array of opportunities for action
- Enhance ability of Hub users to communicate with each other

Technical Enhancements:

- Email System and Notifications System
- Forums and Groups





From a "Catalog to a Catalyst" for Collective Action: Collaboration with Global Compact Local Networks

Utilizing the UNGC Local Networks

- WAH as a tool to help Local Networks coordinate waterrelated endeavors among members
- Peru as a tool to identify areas of shared interest to inform face-to-face convenings
- Uganda and Colombia –
 Movement from basin approach to country wide approach



India – CSR Law, Water, and Sanitation





From a "Catalog to a Catalyst" for Collective Action: Convening Stakeholders

"Working Together to Address Acute Water Challenges: Water-Related Collective Action in California and the Colorado River Basin" – May 2014

Outcome: Collection action initiatives in development for

- Sustainable Agriculture

- Cooperation between Utilities and Industrial Users

- Technology Solutions & Analytical Tools

Facilitating cooperation between the public and private sectors to address basin level water challenges







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From a "Catalog to a Catalyst" for Collective Action: Interoperability and Information Systems

"People to People & People to Information"

- Ability to upload and share project data
- More robust information and resource system

Interoperability Between Systems

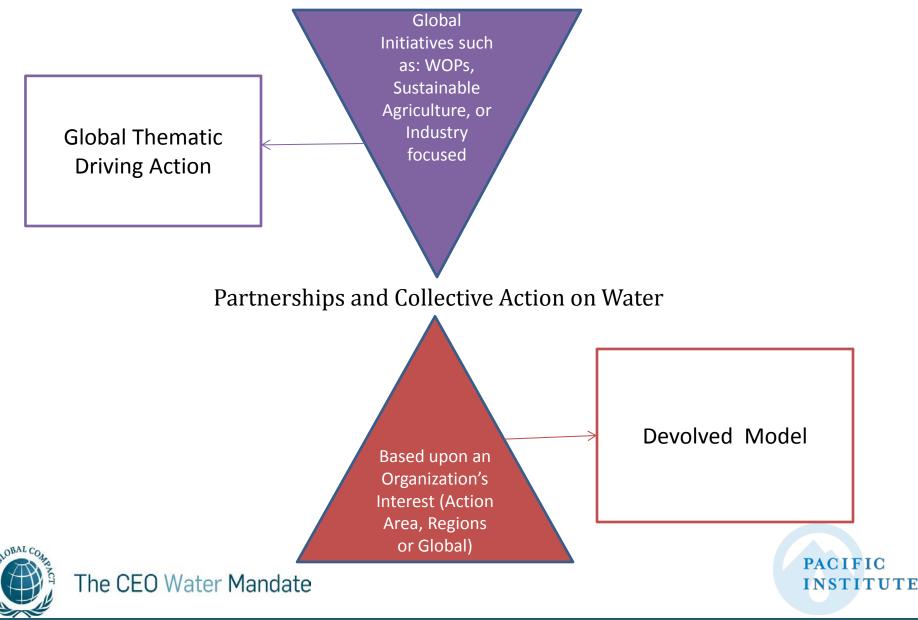
- CDP Water Questionnaire
- Water Risks Tools







Facilitating Action: Top Down & Bottom Up



Issue and Sector-Specific Portals

Present

- Sustainable Agriculture
- Apparel

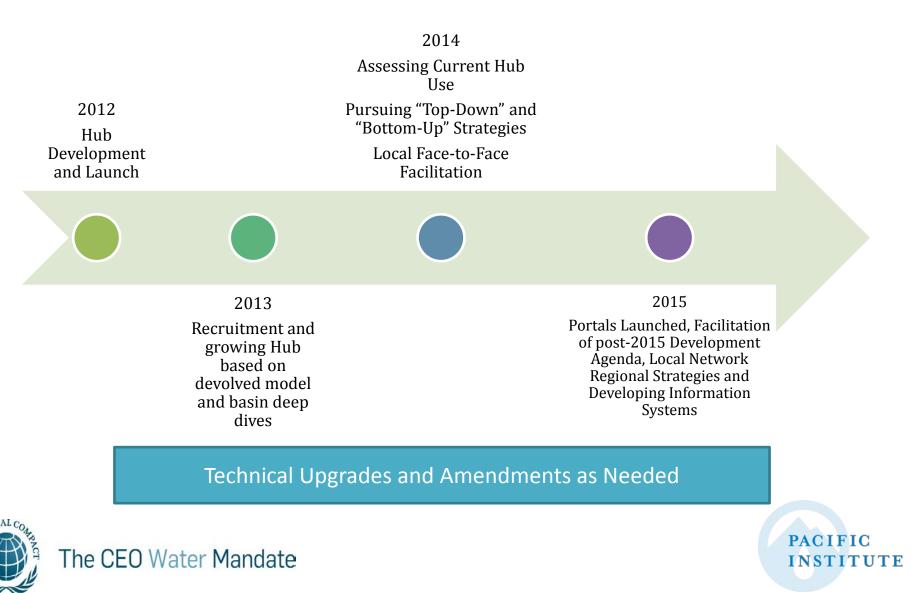
Future

- Other industry sectors?
- WASH?
- Water SDG targets?
- Sufficiency?





Plans Going Forward



Apparel Portal Objectives



- Promote water stewardship across apparel supply chains
- Collaboration with peer brands, suppliers and other stakeholders
- Up-scale solutions
- Focus on regions with clusters of suppliers and water issues are pronounced





Apparel Portal Value Chain Segments

Raw Material Production

Textile Manufacturing

Dyeing & Laundry

Garment & Footwear Manufacturing Facilities





Apparel Portal-Specific Action Areas

Cotton

Chemicals Management

WASH

Cleaner Production / Industrial Water Use Efficiency





Outreach and Possible Partnerships

Phase 1

Solidaridad

NRDC

IFC

Swedish Textile Water Initiative

Phase 2

ZDHC

Better Cotton Initiative

Sustainability Consortium

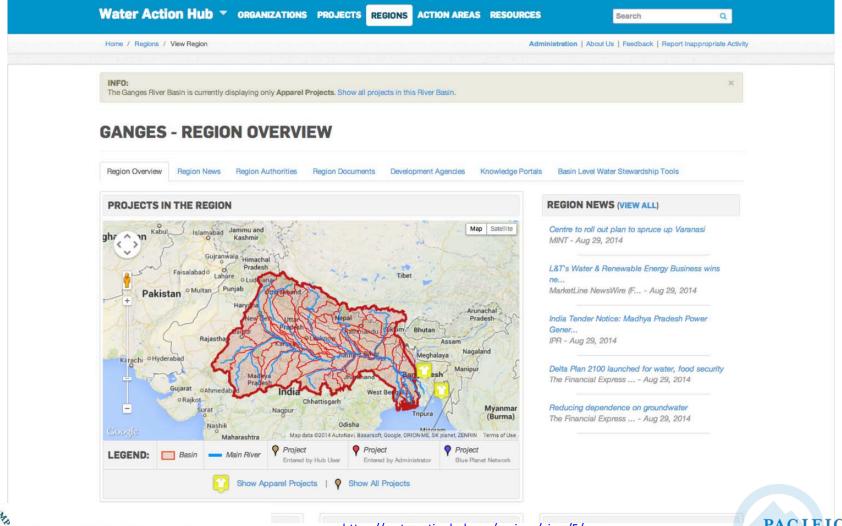
Sustainable Apparel Coalition



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