

Water Governance and Management

Governance and management in the water sector is a key cross-cutting issue that affects all aspects of the water sector. As such, many of the specific sector governance and management issues are raised under the focussed thematic of infrastructure, water resources management, supply and sanitation, and climate change. Accordingly, this thematic reflects the generic governance and management considerations for the African water sector, building on the good governance concept of (1) enlightened policy, (2) efficient bureaucracy and (3) an informed and engaged civil society. The following focal areas are distilled:

- Principles of water governance
- Water sector policy and legislation
- Water sector institutions
- Institutional capacity building and fostering institutional partnerships

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