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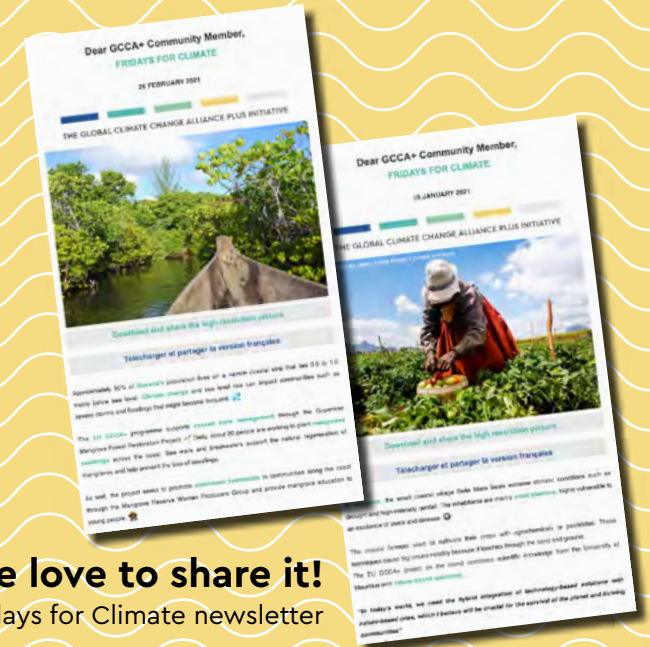
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**WATER**  
The hidden climate crisis  
Martin Atkin

As the global water crisis, the EU Global Climate Change Alliance (GCCA) has, since 2007, been helping some of the most climate vulnerable communities around the world to become more water secure.

From solar-powered water pumps in Chad to nature-based farming in Togo, from rainwater tanks in Pacific islands, hundreds of thousands of people now enjoy access to clean, safe water.

In Cambodia, for example, staff and students at Angkor Chay High School in Kampong Speu province can now enjoy running water thanks to the EU-funded Manufacturing Climate Change in Education (MCCCE) project. "We have reached a career in being water into the school," says Principal Tep Thea. "For the first time, we have water for school and household."





**CRISIS**

Society Network on Water and Sanitation (SNWS) is led to ensure water availability and quality for all in 2030 and climate at COP26. "These women and girls, and their children, will be locked into a life of ill-health, violence and poverty if we fail to address the water crisis."

Covid-19 has highlighted the great inequalities of water scarcity. "It's shocking that right now, long periods of the global population does not have enough water to do minimum hand washing," says Peter O'Neil, Director of the Global Water Program at the World Resources Institute (WRI). According to the International Panel of Experts Report (IPER), "In many communities around the world, a lack of water supply and sanitation deprives people of their most basic protections against the spread of the virus."

100 million people, most of them women and girls, have to walk more than 1 kilometre from their homes to get water.

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**THE GUARDIANS OF LIFE**  
Women at the forefront of climate action  
Martin Atkin

Women. We rarely see the same signs for climate change which were easily understood by every person regardless of their background, their age or their education. Conveying knowledge is essential, then people can decide to act or not."



Ahmed Abuath, co-founder of Ark Energy, bringing renewable power to Sudan.



Women are more likely than men to be involved in community-based projects to tackle climate change, such as local food projects.



**THE QUIET ACHIEVERS**  
Restoring the world's mangrove forests  
Martin Atkin



"Mangroves are vital for this area because they are nutrition for all life."



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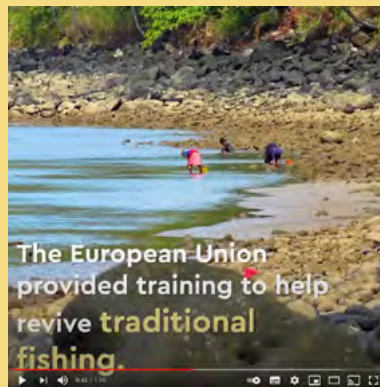
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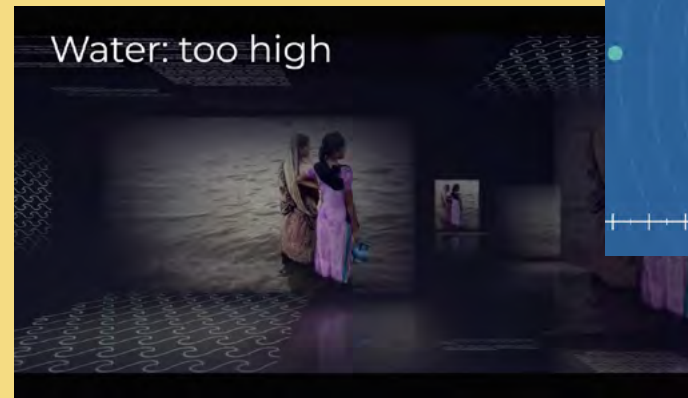


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