# Communications Strategy: Target Audiences

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Communications should aim to reach people of influence who can bring about change.





#### **Audience basics**

Be specific: different audiences will have different levels of influence, participation and impact on your initiative or program.

Audiences are often differentiated by:

- > Their participation in or relationship to the initiative
- > Their awareness and understanding of the initiative
- ➤ Their ability to affect change
- The motivations and/or barriers to accepting information
- > The channels of communication



### Global Strategy Target Audiences

- \* Line ministries
- Implementing partners (FAO, SIAP, ADB)
- Donors/Foundations (DFID, Gates)
- \* Potential donors
- \* NGOs
- \* Research and training institutions
- Regional organizations (ASEAN, SPC, etc..)
- \* Multilateral institutions: (World Bank, IMF, WFP, etc..)
- \* Government (GIZ, JICA, KOICA, etc..)
- \* Universities





#### Segment your audience

#### Three categories

- 1. Primary (Program) Audience Direct partners with the Global Strategy responsible for implementing program policies and activities.
- 2. Secondary (Invested) Audience Partners and potential donors that have direct interest in the strategy and its outcomes.
- 3. Tertiary (Associative) Audience Individuals or institutions that have direct or related interests in the Strategy's work and goals and whose involvement will increase progress and success.



### Global Strategy Audience Table

Program Audience	Who they are
Direct partners with the Asia Pacific program responsible for implementing program policies and activities	National statistics offices     Line Ministries (Agriculture, Forest and Fisheries, Natural Resources, etc)     Ministries of Finance and Planning     Implementing partners: FAO, SIAP, ADB
2. Invested Audience	Who they are
Donors and potential donors that have direct interest in the Strategy and its outcomes	Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation UK Department for International Development (DFID) Potential donors: Government: GIZ, JICA, KOICA, Sida, USDA, etc Regional organizations: ASEAN, SPC, SAARC Multilateral institutions: World Bank, IMF, UNDP, WFP, etc
3. Associative Audience	Who they are
Individuals and institutions that have direct or related interests in the Strategy's work and goals and whose involvement will increase its progress and success	Research and training institutions     Universities     NGOs     Private sector



## Thanks!



