Burkina Faso
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• Through UNIDO, PAGE supported a study on the greening of the industrial policy in Burkina Faso. The findings of that study were integrated into the National Industrial Strategy that has been just validated 24 of September during a workshop in which UNIDO participated. Next step should be the formal adoption of the Strategy by the Government.
• An Interagency conference call was held on the 19th of September to discuss with the Government its views on ways to sustain PAGE activities in the long run. The General Directorate for Green Economy and Climate Change, despite the absence, provided inputs for the discussions through the national coordinator.

South Africa
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• PAGE in partnership with DPME, O.R. Tambo Foundation, Wits School of Governance hosted a Roundtable in the OR Tambo Debate Series, with theme "Pathways for a Just Transition to a Low Carbon, Climate Resilient Environment and Society" issues discussed focused on land use, water and energy. This roundtable forms part of the National Planning Commission’s process of engagement on identifying pathways for a Just Transition. The session specifically focused on consultation with youth. The outcomes of the discussion will be included in the National Planning Commission’s paper and final declaration.
• PAGE National Coordinator is part of the core team that has been set up by Mapungubwe Institute for Strategic Reflections (MISTRA) to develop the ‘Transition to a Low-Carbon Economy’ Scenarios. MISTRA facilitated a discussion around the key question, “How do we build a just transition toward a socially inclusive economy by 2063?” The aim was to look at how South Africa can have an all-encompassing approach to managing the transition to an economy characterised by low-carbon emissions.

Brazil
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• The recruitment of the national project coordinator is being finalized. A short list of candidates have been compiled and the interviews will take place in Oct 2018
• Ministry of industry showed interest in green jobs during a preliminary contact.

Mongolia
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• PAGE supported the consultation of the working group to review the draft policy document in the construction sector development and integrate concepts related to green economy, sustainable development and climate change.
• The meeting to discuss green building design training programme and the meeting of the working group on university curricula on Sustainable finance were organised in September
• The multistakeholder meeting on Sustainable Consumption and Production was organised on 24 August 2018 where PAGE presented its experience in relation to stakeholder engagement. SCP related work of PAGE was interviewed by media.
• The NDC Partnership workshop was held and PAGE actively participated in 2-day training and 1-day workshop to advocate its green building related activities and take this opportunity to include its project concept note on building to the Country programme of Mongolia for GCF.
• PAGE’s Green school building design was present at the NAP’s expo on the day of Builders, 7 September 2018. The book “Green school building design” was published and handed over to the participants.
• PAGE activities of Mongolia also were mentioned by Ms. Uranchimeg, MET at the Steering Committee meeting of Switch Asia II and the side event on SPP.

- PAGE is co-hosting the event “Climate finance and readiness of SMEs in the construction sector” to be held on 16 October 2018.

**Mauritius**
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- Initial discussions with World Bank Representative from Madagascar and PAGE to explore possibility to set up a Climate Innovation Centre in Mauritius to support enterprises to face challenges associated with climate change.
- Discussions with the Ministry of Finance and Business Mauritius to secure their engagement.
- Under SWITCH Africa Green, the Minister of Environment met with private sector organisation representatives and CEOs of enterprises to discuss how to encourage industrial symbiosis amongst enterprises in the country.
- Consultative meeting organised by the SWITCH Africa Green Phase 2 on sustainable tourism being implemented by the Mauritius Tourism Authority, Ministry of Tourism. The recommendations for tourism sector in studies conducted by PAGE, including the Green Economy Assessment, have been shared with the managers of the project.

**Barbados**
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- "Barbados Economic Recovery and Transformation Programme" is being implemented as part of the country’s IMF agreement. Among Green and Blue Economy national Stakeholders, PAGE is being promoted as an enabling mechanism in support of national sustainable development efforts.
- PAGE National Coordinator participated in a UNDP led Mission on the GCF and GEF proposed activities for Barbados. Of note, the meeting with the Ministry of Industry and UNIDO revealed plans to collaborate with PAGE on a national GEF project entitled: "Strategic Platform to Promote Sustainable Energy Technology Innovation, Industrial Development and Entrepreneurship in Barbados."
- PAGE Barbados has been invited to make a presentation to The Eastern Caribbean Development Partners Group (ECDPG) on Thursday, October 18, 2018.
- PAGE Barbados is preparing for a PAGE Re-engagement Mission, for which high-level national support is currently being sought. The Mission is slated for November 6 - 9, 2018.

**Guyana**
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- PAGE has been conducting a green economy assessment that informs some of the priorities identified in the national Green State Development Strategy: Vision 2040, which is expected to be completed by the end of 2018.
- PAGE has a stand for the Green EXPO 18-21 Oct.

**Peru**
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- PAGE is in the process of finalizing the National Green Jobs Plan together with the Ministry of Labour and Employment Promotion. Consultations within PAGE (agencies + Ministries) on the final draft of the plan, will be held on Oct. 30th.
- PAGE supported a training on the T21 Model calibration on Sept 12-14th. The Millenium Institute expert worked with experts and modellers from the Pacific University, the Ministry of Production, and the National Strategic Planning Center, in order to calibrate the models according to the green industrial policies.
- PAGE participated in the 1st International Forum on Circular Economy, organized by the Ministry of Production, the Ministry of Environment, UNIDO and the European Union, on Sept 12th. the Viceministers of Environment and of Production and Industry have agreed to work on a roadmap for the promotion of circular economy. PAGE will potentially support and bring to the conversation the Ministry of Labour in order to deal with social-labour dimensions and connect to the National Green Jobs Plan.
- A meeting has been held with GIZ on Sept 11th since GIZ has kickstarted the 3rd phase of their PAGE project in Peru. The immediate action agreed is that GIZ will prepare a short report / presentation for the Viceminister of Environment, on the successes and lessons learnt from PAGE and other milestones achieved in green growth by other actors. This report
is also being consulted with the Green Economy Coalition (GEC) hub in Peru.

- The participative process for drafting the regulation of the Climate Change Framework Law is still ongoing and PAGE is participating in some of the consultations (indigenous people and women)