



educate. empower. change.

Equitas works for the advancement of **equality, social justice and respect for human dignity** through transformative **education programs**.

We empower people to challenge inequality and discrimination and **take action to foster safer, more inclusive communities** where everyone can thrive.

ENVIRONMENTAL RIGHTS AND CLIMATE JUSTICE

Through transformative education programs, Equitas equips community members, civil society and government stakeholders to better understand their rights and responsibilities and to take actions to **advance climate justice** and **reinforce respect for human rights in environmental governance**.

OUR APPROACH



Equitas provides knowledge, skills and tools to support the empowerment of groups that are subject to discrimination, exclusion and other forms of **human rights violations due to climate and environmental (in)action**, particularly women and youth.

Through educational activities rooted in **participatory, intersectional and human-rights-based approaches**, Equitas empowers people to become **change-makers** and to take collective action to promote **inclusion, participation and respect for human rights in the context of climate change**.

FEMMES PRO-FORÊTS PROJECT

Rural women and girls are disproportionately affected by climate change, but are rarely included in decision-making related to climate action and natural resource management.

Equitas' involvement in the Femmes Pro-Fôret project in Guinea focuses on advancing **women's environmental rights** and promoting **feminist climate justice** for more inclusive and equitable governance.

We work with women and young women in Moyen-Bafing National Park to identify the differentiated impacts of climate change and their links to women's rights.

Through learning and exchange activities, we empower women and civil society organizations to mobilize their communities to take action to address the root causes of climate change inequalities, to engage with decision-makers and to defend their rights (to a healthy environment and to participation, among others) in order to improve climate change adaptation.

