

## Adaptation to Climate Change in China—Technical Advisor for Coastal Zones

Name of legal entity	Country	Overall project value (EUR)	Proportion carried out by candidate (%)	No of staff provided	Name of client	Origin of funding	Dates (start/end)	Name of partners if any
Sustainable Seas Ltd	China	16,500	100%	2	Intasave/ Caribsave Group	World bank	March 2015 to March 2017	Paul Sayers and Associate

### Detailed description of project

The main Adaptation to Climate Change in China (ACCC) Program goal is to mainstream climate change adaptation into development policies at national and provincial levels and to support the formulation and implementation of integrated Provincial Adaptation Plans (PAPs) across priority sectors and share these experiences and lessons with other developing countries. The former will make central contributions to increasing resilience in China. The latter will further support achievement of the SDC GPCC goal to reduce vulnerability in less developed countries.

ACCC Phase II will ensure a strong focus on social and economic assessment of climate change in China and the cost benefit analysis of adaptation options. Application of cost benefit analysis and science-based support tools for climate change adaptation planning can assist policy makers to work out the comprehensive adaptation action plan.

The overall objective of this consultancy is to develop a research proposal with outputs for Qingdao Province in terms of climate change adaptation and coastal zone protection.

### Type of services provided

SSL were engaged to as Technical Advisor on Coastal Zone for Adaptation to Climate Change in China Project - Phase II .Specific responsibilities for the consultant include the following:

1. To work with Project Management Office to narrow down (in consultation with national experts and local government) feasible work areas that fit the goal and objectives of ACCCII.
2. To develop a research methodology and outline key outputs in consideration with the local condition of Qingdao to provide an outline of work for the duration of the research project ;
3. To help the assess the local potential research partners recommended by Qingdao DRC;
4. To draft the TOR with partner consultants and / or institutions;
5. Assess all adaptation practices and options on the basis of pilot implementation experience to inform effective implementation of provincial adaptation action plans
6. Dissemination of ACCC II experience and lessons with decision makers and adaptation practitioners in other developing countries