The stability of fragile mountain ecosystems and the livelihoods of mountain people are under increasing influence from the effects of globalisation and climate change.

To adapt to and address these influences, ICIMOD has identified three Strategic Programme areas where ICIMOD wants to have an impact in the coming years:

- Integrated Water and Hazard Management
- Environmental Change and Ecosystem Services
- Sustainable Livelihoods and Poverty Reduction

The programmes are supported and facilitated by a common framework and cross-cutting Integrated Knowledge Management group.

The programmes mutually reinforce each other at the strategy level. At the operational level, we have defined action areas that work through interdisciplinary teams.

## Strategic Programmes

