



Curriculum Vitae

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KEY EXPERIENCE

Lindsey Jones is a Research Fellow in the Climate and Environment Programme (CEP). His background is in international development and global environmental governance, having worked for UNDP, WFP, and the CGIAR Research Program on Climate Change, Agriculture And Food Security (CCAFS).

His current areas of research interest include: adaptation, disaster risk reduction and resilience; understanding and measuring adaptive capacity; promoting the uptake of climate services in supporting decision-making; and evaluating transformational climate policies.

QUALIFICATIONS

2008-2009 **MSc. Nature, Society and Environmental Policy (Distinction),
University of Oxford, UK**

2005-2008 **BSc (Hons). Environmental Geography and International Development,
University of East Anglia, UK**

HONOURS & AWARDS

Tropical Agriculture Association Award for postgraduate research

Kellogg College Alumni Award, Oxford University.

Katie Wilkinson Research Scholarship, University of East Anglia

CURRENT POST

**Dec 2009-
Present** **Research Fellow
Overseas Development Institute (ODI), Climate and Environment Programme**

My role is to support, develop and facilitate research relating to climate change adaptation and resilience. Recent roles have included: the development of new methods for measuring adaptation and resilience across scales; supporting the uptake of climate information into long-term decision making within NGOs and other development organisations; and providing technical assistance to developing country governments in planning for and evaluating adaptation solutions.

A selection of current and past projects:

Maternity cover for Nicola Range, climate change advisor DFID 2015 - ongoing
DFID

Maternity support to DFID's Research and Evidence Division and Africa Division. I am helping to design, coordinate and evaluate a £150M portfolio of resilience and climate science activities.

Future Climate For Africa (FCFA) scoping phase, Lead Research and Project Manager 2013-2014
DFID/NERC

The FCFA programme looks to generate a more robust and 'decision-relevant' body of scientific evidence on medium-term (10 - 40 year) climate change to enable effective long-term planning and climate-resilient development across Africa. I was in charge of a £0.5M portfolio of research activities spanning natural and social sciences.

African Climate Change Resilience Alliance (ACCRA), Principle Investigator 2010-2015

Oxfam

ACCRA seeks to increase the use of evidence by governments and other development actors in implementing policies that improve poor people's resilience to climate related hazards. My role was to lead ACCRA research activities in evaluating the impact of development interventions on local adaptive capacity.

PREVIOUS POSTS HELD

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| June –Oct
2014 | Visiting Fellow
International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI), The CGIAR Research Program on Climate Change, Agriculture And Food Security (CCAFS), Kenya |
| Sept-Dec 2009 | National Adaptation Programme Of Action (NAPA) Team Member
United Nations Development Programme/Government Of Nepal, Ministry Of Environment, Nepal |
| July- Sept
2009 | Climate Research Intern
United Nations World Food Programme (WFP), Nepal |
| July-Dec 2008 | Project Assistant
Human And Habitat Programme, Tolerance International- UK (TI-UK) |

LANGUAGES

English (Fluent); **French** (Fluent); **Swahili** (Basic)

PEER REVIEWED ARTICLES & BOOK CHAPTERS

Jones, L., Dougill, A., Jones, R. G., Steynor, A., Watkiss, P., Kane, C., ... & Vincent, K. 2015. Ensuring climate information guides long-term development. *Nature Climate Change*, 5(9), 812-814. [Available here](#)

Lumbroso, D. M., Woolhouse, G., & **Jones, L.** 2015. A review of the consideration of climate change in the planning of hydropower schemes in sub-Saharan Africa. *Climatic Change*, 1-13. [Available here](#)

- Gogoi, E. Dupar, M. **Jones, L.** Martinez, C. McNamara, L. 2014. Enablers for delivering community-based adaptation at scale. *Climate and Development*. [Available here](#)
- Ludi, E. Wiggins, S. Lofthouse, J. **Jones, L.** Levine, S. forthcoming 2014. Adapting development: how wider development interventions can support adaptive capacity at the community level. in: J Ayers, S Huq, H Reid and L Schipper. *Scaling up community based adaptation*. Routledge. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L** et al. 2013. Responding to climate variability and change: challenges for planned adaptation. In: Calow, R and Ludi, E (eds.), *Achieving water security: lessons from research in the water, sanitation and hygiene sector in Ethiopia*. Practical Action Publishing, Rugby. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** 2011. Social barriers to adaptation: exploring implications and identifying options for adaptation policy across the SADC Region. in: Masters, L., Duff, L. (ed.) *Overcoming barriers to climate change adaptation: Implementation in Southern Africa*. Africa Institute of South Africa, Pretoria. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** & Boyd, E. 2011. Exploring social barriers to adaptation to climate change: insights from the mid and far-western regions of Nepal. *Global Environmental Change*. 21:4. pp 1262-1274. [Available here](#)

REPORTS

- Jones, L.**, Carabine, E., & Schipper, L. 2015. (Re) Conceptualising Maladaptation: Towards an Evaluative Framework. Overseas Development Institute. London: UK. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L** & Tanner, T. 2015. Measuring ‘subjective resilience’: using people’s perceptions to quantify household resilience. Overseas Development Institute. London: UK. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.**, Champalle, C., Chesterman, S., Cramer, L., & Crane, T. A. 2015. Identifying constraining and enabling factors to the uptake of medium-and long-term climate information in decision making. CGIAR Research Program on Climate Change, Agriculture and Food Security (CCAFS). Nairobi: Kenya. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.**, Carabine, E., Roux, J. P., & Tanner, T. 2015. Promoting the Use of Climate Information to Achieve Long-Term Development Objectives In Sub-Saharan Africa. *Climate and Development Knowledge Network (CDKN)*. London: UK. [Available here](#)
- Carabine, E. Lemma, A. Dupar, M. **Jones, L.** Mulugetta, Y. Ranger, N. Van Aalst, M. 2014. The IPCC’s Fifth Assessment Report: What’s in it for Africa? *Climate and Development Knowledge Network (CDKN)*: London. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.**, Roux, JP., Tanner. 2014. How is long-term climate information being factored into decision-making in Africa? *Climate and Development Knowledge Network*. London: UK. [Available here](#)
- Wilkinson, E. Carabine, E. Peters, K. Brickell, E. Scott, A. Allison, C. **Jones, L.** Bahadur, A. 2014 Integrating disaster risk reduction, environment and climate change into development practice: Existing knowledge. Overseas Development Institute: London. [Available here](#)
- World Bank Publications (**contributing author**). 2014. Turn Down the Heat: Confronting the New Climate Normal. World Bank Publications. Washington: USA. [Available here](#)
- Kellet, J. Mitchell, T. Bahadur, A. **Jones, L.** Kirbyshire, A. Lovell, E. Le Masson, V. Peters, K. Wilkinson, W. 2014. The future framework for disaster risk reduction: a guide for decision-makers. Overseas Development Institute: London. [Available here](#)

- Jones, L.** Carabine, E. Hickman, A. Langstan. Moosa, S. Mukanya, R. 2014. Exploring the role of climate science in supporting long-term adaptation and decision-making in sub-Saharan Africa. Climate and Development Knowledge Network (CDKN): London. [Available here](#)
- Gogoi, E. Dupar, M. Jones, L. Martinez, C. McNamara, L. 2014. How to scale out community based adaptation. Climate and Development Knowledge Network (CDKN) Working Paper: London. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** Ludi, E. Carabine, E. Grist, N. Amsalu, A. Artur, L. Bachofen, C. Beautement, P. Broenner, C. Bunce, M. Mendler de Suarez, J. Muhumuza, W. Suarez, P. Zacarias, D. 2014. Planning for an uncertain future: promoting adaptation to climate change through Flexible and Forward-looking Decision Making. Overseas Development Institute: London. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** Ludi, E. Carabine, E. Grist, N. Amsalu, A. Artur, L. Bachofen, C. Beautement, P. Broenner, C. Bunce, M. Mendler de Suarez, J. Muhumuza, W. Suarez, P. Zacarias, D. 2014. Planning for the future and adapting to climate change in Uganda: Lessons from ACCRA. Africa Climate Change Resilience Alliance: Kampala. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** Ludi, E. Carabine, E. Grist, N. Amsalu, A. Artur, L. Bachofen, C. Beautement, P. Broenner, C. Bunce, M. Mendler de Suarez, J. Muhumuza, W. Suarez, P. Zacarias, D. 2014. Planning for the future and adapting to climate change in Mozambique: Lessons from ACCRA. Africa Climate Change Resilience Alliance: Kampala. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** Ludi, E. Carabine, E. Grist, N. Amsalu, A. Artur, L. Bachofen, C. Beautement, P. Broenner, C. Bunce, M. Mendler de Suarez, J. Muhumuza, W. Suarez, P. Zacarias, D. 2014. Planning for the future and adapting to climate change in Ethiopia: Lessons from ACCRA. Africa Climate Change Resilience Alliance: Kampala. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** Bahadur, A. 2013. Options for including community resilience in the post-2015 development goals. British Red Cross and International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies: London. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** Carabine, E. 2013. Exploring political and socio-economic drivers of transformational climate policy: Early insights from the design of Ethiopia's Climate Resilient Green Economy strategy. Overseas Development Institute: London. [Available here](#)
- Shepard, A. Mitchell, T. Lewis, K. Lemhardt, A. **Jones, L.** Scott, L. Muir-Wood, R. 2013. The geography of poverty in 2030. Overseas Development Institute, Met Office Hadley Centre, and Risk Management Solutions: London. [Available here](#)
- Tumushabe, G. Muhumuza, T. Natamba, E. Bird, N. Welham, B. **Jones, L.** 2013. Uganda national climate change finance analysis. Overseas Development Institute and ACODE: London. [Available here](#)
- Mitchell, T. **Jones, L.** Lovell, E. Comba, E (eds). 2013. Disaster risk management in Post-2015 development goals: potential targets and indicators. Overseas Development Institute: London. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** Ludi, E. Beautement, P. Broenner, C. Bachofen, C. 2013. New Approaches to promoting flexible and forward-looking decision making: insights from complexity science, climate change adaptation, and 'serious gaming'. ACCRA/ODI Research Report: London. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** **Ludi,** E. Amsalu, A. Artur, L. Bunce, M. Matheson, S. Muhumuza, W. Zacarius, D. 2013. The political economy of local adaptation planning: exploring barriers to flexible and forward-looking decision making in three districts in Ethiopia, Uganda and Mozambique. ODI Research Report: London. [Available here](#)

- Jones, L.** Mitchell, T. Silva Villaneuva. Standley, S. 2012. Coding and tracking adaptation finance: lessons and opportunities for monitoring adaptation finance across international and national scales. Overseas Development Institute: London. [Available here](#)
- Ludi, E., **Jones, L.** Levine, S. 2012. Changing focus? How to start taking adaptive capacity seriously. ODI Briefing paper. Overseas Development Institute: London. [Available here](#)
- Levine, S. Ludi, E. **Jones, L.** 2012. Rethinking support for adaptive capacity to climate change: the role of development interventions. Overseas Development Institute: London. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.**, Martin, P., Pereznieto., Standley S. 2011. Exploring the impact of climate change on children in South Africa. United Nations Children’s Fund (UNCIEF): Pretoria. [Available here](#)
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- Jones, L.**, Ayorekeri, F., Barihaihi, M., Kagoro, A., Ruta, D. 2011. Preparing for the future in Uganda: Understanding the influence of development interventions on adaptive capacity at the local level. ODI/ACCRA Uganda synthesis report. Africa Climate Change Resilience Alliance: Kampala. [Available here](#)
- Harris, D., Kooy, M., **Jones, L.** 2011. Analysing the governance and political economy of water and sanitation service delivery. Working Paper. Overseas Development Institute: London. [Available here](#)
- Ludi E, Million Getnet, K Wilson, Kindie Tesfaye, Beneberu Shimelis, S Levine and **L Jones**, 2011. Preparing for the future? Understanding the influence of development interventions on adaptive capacity at local level in Ethiopia. ODI/ACCRA Ethiopia synthesis report. Africa Climate Change Resilience Alliance: Kampala. [Available here](#)
- Calow, R., Bonsor, H., **Jones, L.**, O’Meally, S., MacDonald., Kaur, N. 2011. Climate Change, water resources and WASH: a scoping study. ODI Working Paper. Overseas Development Institute: London. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L** et al. 2010. Responding to a changing climate: exploring how disaster risk reduction, social protection, and livelihoods approaches promote features of adaptive capacity. Working Paper. Overseas Development Institute: London. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L** et al. 2010. Towards a characterisation of adaptive capacity: a framework to assess the influence of wider development interventions for adaptive capacity. Background Note. Overseas Development Institute: London. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** 2010. Overcoming social barriers to adaptation. Background Note. Overseas Development Institute: London. [Available here](#)

BLOGS

- Jones, L.** 2015. What’s the best way to measure a household’s resilience? Ask those who live there. The Guardian. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** 2015. Sub-saharan countries are failing to plan for climate change. The Guardian. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** 2015. Why we need to rethink ‘maladaptation’. DEVEX. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** 2014. How do you prepare for an uncertain future? Thompson Reuters Alertnet. [Available here](#)

- Jones, L.** 2013. Transformational change in climate policy: triumph or tragedy? Overseas Development Institute. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** 2012. Why is 'development' struggling to embrace uncertainty? Thompson Reuters Alertnet. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** 2012. The (not so) easy task of translating research into policy and practice. Research to Action. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** 2011. Children's vulnerability and the impacts of climate change – policy-makers must pay greater attention. Overseas Development Institute: Blog series. [Available here](#)
- Perezniето, P & **Jones, L.** 2011. Young people must act on climate change. UNICEF Climate Kid Series. UNICEF: London. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** 2011. Community Based Adaptation demands to be heard. Climate and Development Knowledge Network: Blog Series. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** 2011. Are we jumping the gun in trying to measure adaptation? Overseas Development Institute: Blog Series. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** 2010. World Water Day: Skewed adaptation to climate change spells trouble for water resource management. Overseas Development Institute: Blog Series. [Available here](#)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND LECTURES

- Jones, L.** 2013. *Appreciating the political economy of transformation: Exploring the implications of socio-political factors in delivering transformational climate policy in East Africa.* Transformation in a changing climate. University of Oslo. Norway
- Jones, L.** 2013. *Disaster Resilience in Post-2015 Development Goals: challenges and options for targets.* Global Thematic Consultation on Disaster Risk Reduction and the Post-2015 Development Agenda. Jakarta: Indonesia. [Available here](#)
- Jones L,** 2012. Keynote presentation: *Rethinking support for adaptive capacity to climate change: the role of development interventions.* Cumberland Colloquium
- Jones, L.** 2012. *Challenges in adapting to change and uncertainty at the local level.* Research Conference: Barriers to Adaptation to Climate Change. The Chameleon Research Group, Oldenburg University
- Jones, L.** Grist, N. 2012. *Exploring Climate Compatible Development: concept, use, evidence.* Climate Compatible Development and experience in sub-Saharan Africa. University of Leeds. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** 2012. *Reflection on experiences from the Africa Climate Change Resilience Alliance.* Conflict and Cooperation in the Management on Climate Change. Nairobi: Kenya.
- Jones, L** 2011. *Rethinking vulnerability and capacity assessment.* Presented at Development and Climate days. December 2011. United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change COP-17. Durban, South Africa. [Available here](#)
- Jones, L.** 2011. *Preparing for the future: Understanding the influence of development interventions on adaptive capacity at the local level.* Presented at the Development Studies Association Annual Conference. September 2011. University of York: UK

Jones, L. 2011. *A Framework for assessing adaptive capacity at the local level: insights from the Local Adaptive Capacity Framework*. Presented at the 'Fifth Community Based Adaptation' Conference hosted by the International Institute for Environment and Development. March 2011: Dhaka, Bangladesh

Jones, L. 2011. *Towards a holistic conceptualisation of adaptation at the local level*. Presented at the 'Building Resilience in a Changing Climate' Conference hosted by Wetlands International. March 2011: Kuala Lumpur Malaysia.

Jones, L. 2010. *Exploring social barriers to community-level adaptation*. Presented at the 'Workshop for Community Based Adaptation' hosted by the Global Initiative for Community Based Adaptation, July 2010: London, UK. [Available here](#)

PEER REVIEW ROLES

Expert Reviewer for Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, Fifth Assessment Report (AR5) Working Group II

Academic Journals: Nature Climate Change; Environmental Research Letters; Global Environmental Change: Human and Policy Dimensions; Climate and Development; Environmental Development; Weather, Climate and Society; Regional Environmental Change; Disaster Prevention and Management; Environment, Development and Sustainability.

Research Calls: Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC); Climate and Development Knowledge Network, Global Research Call; Climate and Development Knowledge Network, Innovation Fund; Natural Environment Research Council (NERC), Future Climate For Africa programme.

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