



# Climate change adaption through community-based development model - **Intergenerational Self-help Clubs (ISHCs)** in Vietnam

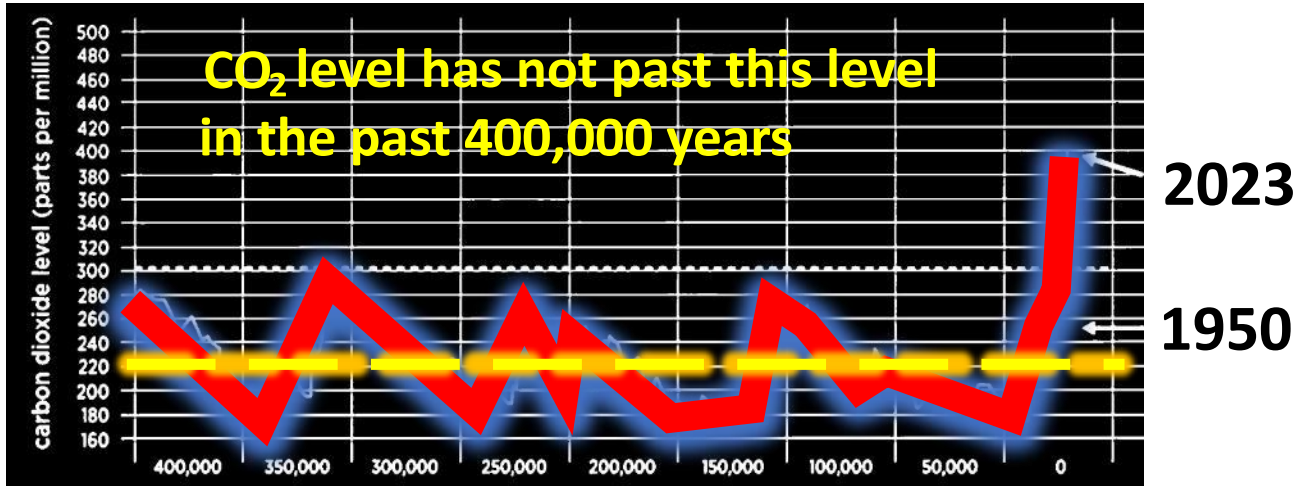


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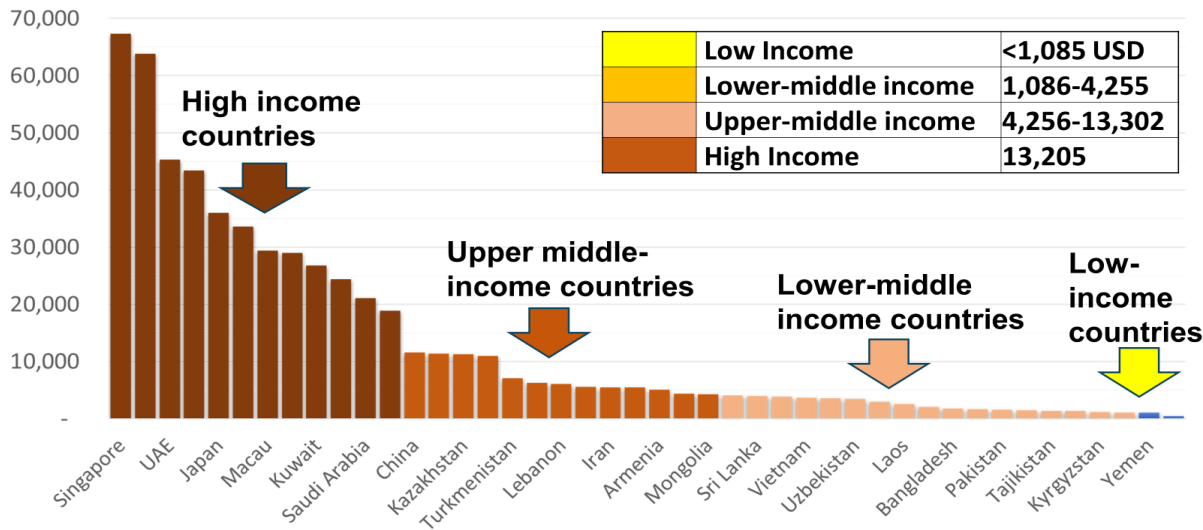


# Two mega-trends of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century

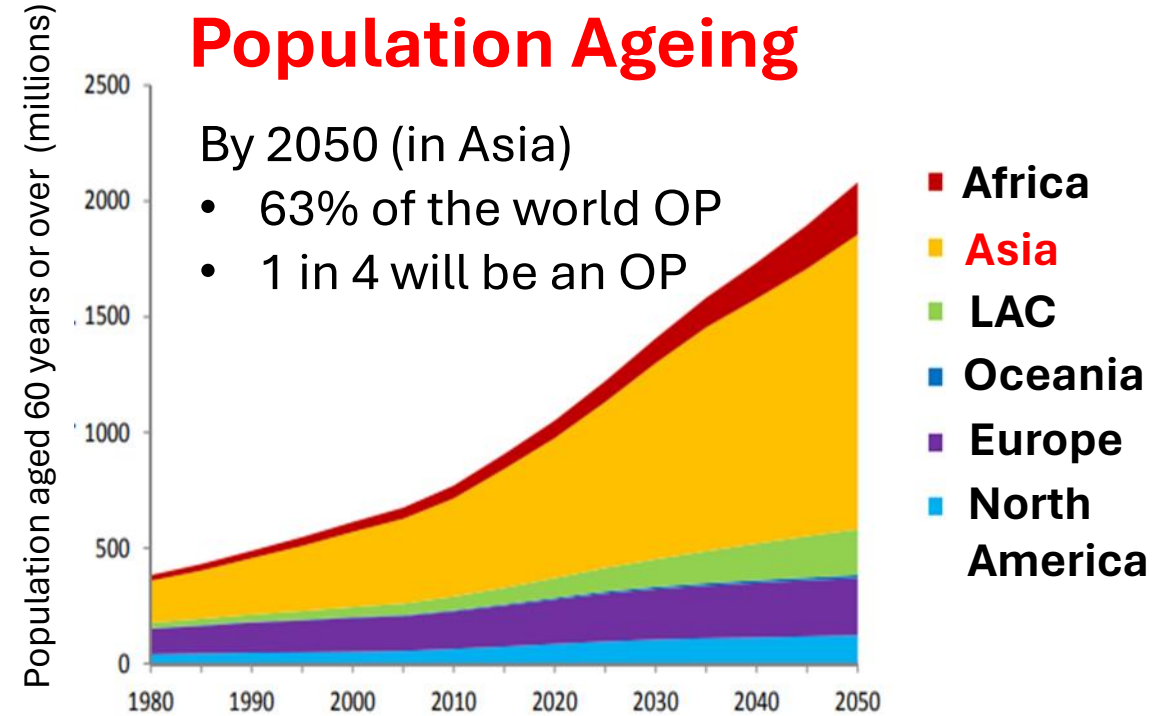
## Climate Change



## 2022 Per Capita GDP for Asian Countries



## Population Ageing



## Intergenerational Self-help Club (ISHC)

**70%** of the members  
**60%** of the leaders  
**are women**

# ISHC has five unique characteristics:

- 1 Social & Cultural
- 2 Food & Income
- 3 Health
- 4 Care
- 5 Com-  
led Dev.
- 6 Life-long learning
- 7 Right & entitle.
- 8 Resource Mob.

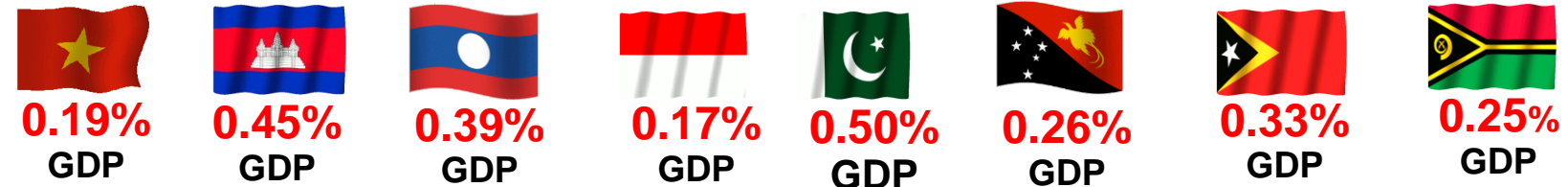


**1. Attractive**



**2. Cost-effective and affordable**

**National scale-up is affordable**



**3. Dynamic**



RURAL URBAN MOUNTAINOUS COASTAL

**4. Sustainable**



**BOTH TECHNICALLY AND FINANCIALLY SUSTAINABLE**



**80%**  
will have ISHC  
by 2030

**5. Replicable and scalable**

(government program)



# ISHC's ADAPTATION actions: to manage the risks of CC impacts



**1) Enhance community disaster management;**



**2) Raise community awareness on CC & Improve community-led climate-resilient infrastructure**



**3) Promote access to formal and informal social protection**



**4) Support climate resilient food and income security**



# THANK YOU

