# Quantifying Weather and Climate Impacts on Health in Developing Countries (QWeCI)



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## **Decadal Prediction**

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## Introduction

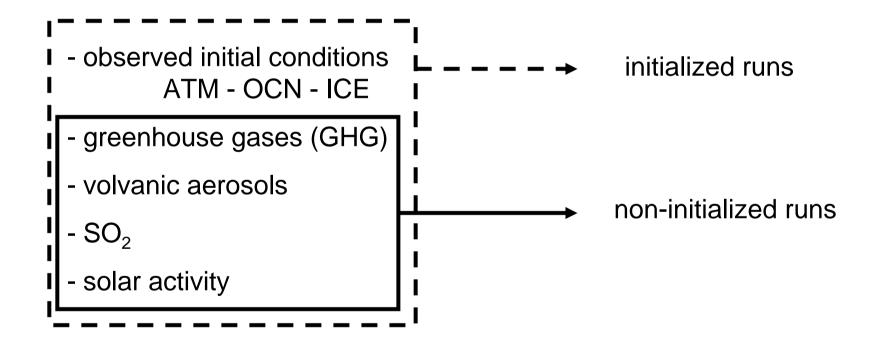
- Decadal prediction bridges seasonal forecast and climate-change projection
- Decadal prediction operates at a key timescale for adaptation and planning
- Decadal prediction not only deals with anthropogenically forced variability, but also with natural (unforced) internal variability
- Decadal prediction opens the possibility of achieving skill in multiyear timescales, and in both regional and large-scale domains







### **DECADAL PREDICTIONS**









## **ENSEMBLES** (initialized) multi-model decadal integrations:

- 10-year long
- ensemble forecast (3 members)
- starting once every 5 years
- 1st November start date
- over the period 1960-2005

