



**Delegate
Voices:
Reflections from
Regional Fora
and other
Preparations for the
2023 HLPF**



Our plan for today:

To hear from one another about:

- our experiences of preparing for the 2023 High-Level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (HLPF)
- connections between our personal expertise or experience and...
 - SDG 6 (water and sanitation),
 - SDG 7 (accessible, affordable, clean energy),
 - SDG 9 (innovation, infrastructure, industry),
 - SDG 11 (sustainable cities), or
 - SDG 17 (partnerships)

Questions to guide us:

- What are our reflections from the UN system's 2023 regional fora for sustainable development?
- Have we had any success making contact with the civil society networks that are monitoring our respective nations' progress toward the SDGs?
- Has anyone joined one of the teams that will craft
 - the response to official response to their government's Voluntary National Review (VNR)?
 - the written statement of NGOs for the HLPF?
- On which of the priority SDGs for the 2023 HLPF does each of us feel called to focus (and speak about) during the JCoR SDG Lab)?
- What specific projects and ministries are we involved in that contribute to the priority SDGs for the 2023 HLPF?





**Reflecting on the
Regional Fora for
Sustainable Development**

Questions to guide your reflection

on your Regional Forum on Sustainable Development

- Where does my experience **align** with the reports and perspectives shared during my region's forum?
- Where does my experience **conflict** with the reports and perspectives shared during my region's forum?
- What **additional insights or recommendations** do I want to contribute to the conversation based on my experience?





**Making contact with civil
society networks
monitoring SDG progress
in our respective nations**

Did we have any success making contact with our respective networks?

¿Hemos tenido algún éxito al ponernos en contacto con nuestras respectivas redes?

Avons-nous réussi à prendre contact avec nos réseaux respectifs ?

Tivemos algum sucesso ao estabelecer contacto com as nossas respectivas redes?

Civil Society Networks Monitoring Development Progress at National & Regional Levels

- **Argentina:** [Red Encuentro](#) (EENGD) [Sociedad Civil en Red](#)
- **Australia:** [SDSN Australia, New Zealand & Pacific](#), [Australian Council of Social Services \(ACOSS\)](#), [Australian Council for International Development \(ACFID\)](#)
- **Bolivia:** [Unitas La Unión Nacional de Instituciones para el Trabajo de Acción Social](#) [Red Internacional Promotores ODS Bolivia](#) [SDSN Bolivia](#) [SDSN Amazonia](#) [SDSN Andes](#)
- **Botswana:** [Botswana Council of Non-Governmental Organisations \(BOCONGO\)](#) [AfroBarometer-Botswana](#)
- **Brazil:** Associação Brasileira de ONGs (ABONG)
- **Burkina Faso:** SDSN [Sahel](#), [Secrétariat Permanent des Organisations Non Gouvernementales \(SPONG\)](#), [Reseau de Plates-formes Nationales D'ONG D'Afrique de L'Ouest et du Centre \(REPAOC\)](#)
- **Cambodia:** Cooperation Committee for Cambodia (CCC)
- **Cameroon:** [Collectif des ONG Agréées du Cameroun \(CONGAC\)](#) [SDSN Sahel](#) [AfroBarometer-Cameroun](#)
- **Canada:** [British Columbia Council for International Cooperation \(BCCIC\)](#); [Cooperation Canada](#); [SDSN-Canada](#); [Global Compact Network-Canada](#)
- **Chile:** [Central Unitaria de Trabajadores de Chile \(CUT\)](#) [Asociación Chilena de ONG \(ACCIÓN\)](#)
- **Colombia:** [Confederación Colombiana de ONG \(CCONG\)](#), [SDSN-Amazonia](#), [SDSN-Andes](#), [SDSN-Caribbean](#), [Red de Ciudades Cómo Vamos](#)

Civil Society Networks Monitoring Development Progress at National & Regional Levels

- **Congo:** Plateforme des Organisations de la Société Civile pour les ODD au Congo
- **Costa Rica:** [SDSN Caribbean](#), [Red Internacional Promotores ODS Costa Rica](#)
- **Côte d'Ivoire:** [Convention de la Société Civile Ivoirienne \(CSCI\)](#) [Union Générale des Travailleurs de Côte d'Ivoire \(UGTCI\)](#) [AfroBarometer-Côte d'Ivoire](#)
- **Democratic Republic of the Congo:** [Nouvelle Société Civile Congolaise \(NSCC\)](#), [SDSN-Great Lakes](#) [Global Compact Network-RDC](#)
- **Dominican Republic:** [Alianza ONG](#), [SDSN Caribbean](#), [Red Internacional Promotores ODS República Dominicana](#) [Caribbean Civil Society SDGs Knowledge Platform](#)
- **Ecuador:** [Sociedad civil y ODS: acciones para no dejar a nadie atrás](#), [SDSN Andes](#), [SDSN Amazonia](#)
- **Equatorial Guinea:** no known network
- **France:** [Coordination SUD-Solidarité Urgence Développement](#); [SDSN-France/SDSN-Mediterranean/SDSN-Europe](#); [Pacte Mondial Réseau-France](#)
- **Gabon:** [AfroBarometer-Gabon](#) [Société Civile Gabonaise pour le Développement \(SCGD\)](#)
- **Gambia:** [The Association of Non-Governmental Organizations \(TANGO\)](#) [SDSN Sahel](#)



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- **Germany:** [Netzwerk 2030-NGO SDG Austausch](#) [SDSN Germany](#) [SDSN Europe](#)
- **Ghana:** [Ghana CSOs Platform on SDGs](#) [AfroBarometer-Ghana](#)
- **Greece:** [Hellenic Platform for Development](#) [SDSN Greece](#) [SDSN Europe](#)
- **Guatemala:** [Coordinación de ONG y Cooperativas](#) (CONGCOOP), [SDSN Caribbean](#), [Red Internacional Promotores ODS Guatemala](#)
- **Honduras:** [Asociacion De Organismos No Gubernamentales](#) (ASONOG) [Red Internacional Promotores ODS Honduras](#) [SDSN Caribbean](#)
- **India:** [Wada Na Todo Abhiyan](#), [Voluntary Action Network India](#), [SDSN South Asia](#)
- **Indonesia:** [Indonesian CSO Coalition for SDGs](#), [SDSN Indonesia](#), International NGO Forum on Indonesian Development (INFID), [Indonesia Global Compact Network](#) (IGCN)
- **Ireland:** [Irish Coalition 2030](#); [SDSN-Ireland/SDSN-Europe](#); [Global Compact-Ireland](#)
- **Italy:** [Alleanza Italiana per lo Sviluppo Sostenibile](#) (ASviS) [GCAP-Italia](#) [SDSN Italy](#) [SDSN Europe](#)
- **Jamaica:** [Caribbean Civil Society SDGs Knowledge Platform](#) [SDSN Caribbean](#)
- **Japan:** [Japan Civil Society Network on SDGs](#) (SDGs Japan)



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- **Latvia:** [Latvijas Platforma Atīstības Sadarbībai \(LAPAS\)](#)
- **Lithuania:** Lithuanian NDGO Platform
- **Madagascar:** [Sustainable Development Solutions Network](#)
- **Malaysia:** [SDSN Malaysia](#), [SDSN Southeast Asia](#)
- **Mali:** Fédération des Collectif d'ONG du Mali (FECONG) [SDSN Sahel](#)
- **Mexico:** [DECA Equipo Pueblo](#), [SDSN Mexico](#), [SDSN Caribbean](#), [Red Internacional Promotores ODS Mexico](#)
- **Nepal:** NGO Federation of Nepal (NFN)
- **Nicaragua:** [Federación de Organismos no Gubernamentales de Nicaragua](#), [SDSN Caribbean](#), [Red Internacional de Promotores ODS Nicaragua](#)
- **Nigeria:** Nigeria Network of NGOs (NNGO)
- **Panama:** [SDSN Caribbean](#), [Red Internacional Promotores ODS Panamá](#)
- **Paraguay:** [Asociación de ONGs del Paraguay \(POJOAJU\)](#)
- **Peru:** [Asociación Nacional de Centros de Investigación Promoción Social y Desarrollo / Grupo Agenda 2030 \(ANC\)](#), [SDSN Andes](#), [SDSN Amazonia](#), [Red Internacional de Promotores ODS Perú](#)





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- **Philippines:** [Social Watch Philippines](#) [Caucus of Development NGO Networks](#) (CODE NGO) [SDSN Philippines](#) [SDSN Southeast Asia](#)
- **Poland:** [Grupa Zagranica](#); Institute for Sustainable Development (ISD)-Poland (contact: Wojciech Szymalski: w.szymalski@ine-isd.org.pl); SDSN-[Europe](#); [Global Compact Network-Poland](#)
- **Portugal:** [Plataforma Portuguesa das ONGD](#); SDSN-[Mediterranean](#); Global Compact Network-[Portugal](#)
- **São Tomé e Príncipe:** [Federação das ONGs São Tomé e Príncipe](#) (FONG-STP)
- **Senegal:** [Conseil des ONG d'Appui au Développement](#) (CONGAD) Plateforme des Organisations de la Societe Civile pour le Suivi des ODD (POSCO-Agenda 2030; [Email](#)) [SDSN Sahel](#)
- **Slovakia:** [Ambrela-Platform of Development Organisations](#) SDSN Europe
- **Spain:** [Futuro en Común](#), [Pacto Mundial Red Española](#), SDSN-[Spain](#) (REDS)/SDSN-[Mediterranean](#), [La Coordinadora de Organizaciones para el Desarrollo](#)
- **Sri Lanka:** [Sri Lanka Stakeholder SDG Platform](#) ([Email](#)) [SDSN South Asia](#)
- **Sudan:** [Sudanese CSO Forum for SDGs](#) (Coordinator: [Dr. Yousif Alzubair](#)) [UN Global Compact Sudan Network](#)
- **Switzerland:** [Platform Agenda 2030](#) [SDSN Switzerland](#) [SDSN Europe](#)



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- **Tanzania:** [Tanzania Sustainable Development Platform Global Compact Network Tanzania](#) (GCNT)
- **Timor Leste:** [Forum ONG Timor Leste](#) (FONGTIL); SDG Working Group (convened by National Ministry of Finance's Development Partnership Management Unit); [UN-Timor Leste](#)
- **Togo:** [Fédération des Organisations Non Gouvernementales au Togo](#) (FONGTO) [Groupe de Travail des OSC sur les ODD au Togo](#)
- **Uganda:** [Uganda National NGO Forum's CSO SDG Core Reference Group](#), [SDSN Uganda](#)
- **United Kingdom:** [UK Stakeholders for Sustainable Development](#), [UN Global Compact Network UK](#)
- **United States:** [SDSN-USA](#)
- **Uruguay:** [Asociación Nacional de Organizaciones No Gubernamentales Orientadas al Desarrollo \(ANONG\)](#), [Red Internacional de Promotores ODS Uruguay](#)
- **Venezuela:** [Sinergia Red Venezolana de OSC](#), [SDSN Caribbean](#), [SDSN Amazonia](#), [SDSN Andes](#), [Red Internacional de Promotores ODS Venezuela](#)
- **Viet Nam:** [VUFO-NGO Resource Center](#), [SDSN Southeast Asia](#)
- **Zambia:** Civil Society SDGs Campaign Zambia (convener: [GCAP-Zambia](#) coordinated by Dennis Nyati: dennisnyatipost2015@gmail.com/ gcapzambia@gmail.com); [Zambia Council for Social Development](#) (ZCSD)
- **Zimbabwe:** [Zimbabwe CSOs-SDG Reference Group](#) (contact: Judith Kaulem judith@prftzim.org)



Recommendations for Communication with your National or Regional Civil Society Network(s):

- **Introduce yourself:** name, congregation, issues/SDGs on which you work through your ministry, where you serve
- **Ask:** Is this network preparing a civil society report to supplement our national government's VNR report to the 2023 HLPF on Sustainable Development?
- **If they *are* preparing a report for the HLPF, ask:**
How can I submit ideas to the report or become involved in the creation of the report?



**Joining teams of the
“Major Groups and other
Stakeholders” that will
craft the official input of
civil society to the 2023
HLPF**

Joining one of the teams that will craft the
**Official Input of Major Groups & other
Stakeholders (MGoS)**

- **MGoS VNR Team:** asks questions and presents joint response to each government's Voluntary National Review
 - **LAST OPPORTUNITY:** [join the team](#) for your country
- **NGO MG Position Paper Team:** help draft the written statement on behalf of the NGO community to HLPF each year
 - **Did anyone submit content for the paper?**
 - **LAST OPPORTUNITY:** [join a team to help draft](#) a section of the paper





**Looking forward to our
“SDG Lab” during the
HLPF**

Your contribution to the JCoR “SDG Lab” during the 2023 HLPF

The Lab will consist of one session dedicated to each of this year’s priority SDGs: 6 (water and sanitation), 7 (clean energy), 9 (innovation/infrastructure), 11 (sustainable cities), 17 (partnerships)

- **About which of the priority SDGs do you feel called to speak during the JCoR SDG Lab?**
- **What specific projects and ministries are you involved in that contribute to the SDG(s) that you selected?**





Next Steps:

12 April – 22 May

If you have not already done so:

- **Make contact** with (or become a member of) a national civil society network that is monitoring SDG progress in your country
- Consider [joining the civil society team](#) that will respond formally to *your* country's Voluntary National Review
- Consider [joining a team to help draft](#) a section of the NGO Major Group's official written statement for the HLPF
- Begin **gathering details and images** or videos you may want to use during the "JCoR SDG Lab" to share how your ministry (or a project of your congregation) is contributing to SDG 6, 7, 9, 11, or 17



Read an SDG Progress Report from your National & Regional Civil Society Network

- **Australia:** 2018: [Australian SDGs Summit 2018: Unlocking the Opportunities of the Sustainable Development Goals: Outcomes Report](#)
- **Bolivia:** 2020: [Propuestas de incidencia en políticas públicas para la implementación del PDES y la Agenda 2030](#) ; [Atlas Municipal de los ODS's en Bolivia](#)
- **Canada:** 2020: [Reading Between the Lines: Accelerated Implementation Of Agenda 2030; Where Canada Stands Series: 2017 2018 2019](#)
- **Chile:** 2019: [Informe Alternativo de Organizaciones de Sociedad Civil y Sindicales Sobre los Objetivos de Desarrollo Sostenible y la Agenda 2030 en Chile](#) 2017: [Acción para el Desarrollo Sostenible Informe de la Sociedad Civil](#)
- **Colombia:** 2020: [Quinto Monitoreo](#)
- **Costa Rica:** 2021: [Sustainable Development Report: Costa Rica](#)
- **Democratic Republic of the Congo:** 2022: [SDSN-DR Congo profile](#) 2021: [AFRICA 2030:SDGs Within Social Boundaries - Leave no One Behind Outlook Report](#) (résumé FR)
- **Dominican Republic:** 2018: [Informe de Seguimiento a la Implementación de la Agenda 2030 en República Dominicana](#)
- **Ecuador:** 2018: [Sociedad Civil y Objetivos de Desarrollo Sostenible \(ODS\) en Ecuador](#) ([English version](#))



Read an SDG Progress Report from your National & Regional Civil Society Network

- **France:** 2023: [France's Externalities on the SDGs: Findings and Recommendations](#); 2022: [Recommendations for a strong French policy in favour of the Sustainable Development Goals](#), SDSN [France profile](#); 2016: [Coordination SUD at the UN HLPF 2016](#) position paper, [Implementing the 2030 Agenda at Home and Abroad Presents New Challenges to France](#)
- **Germany:** [Europe Sustainable Development Report: Germany](#)
- **Guatemala:** 2019: [Informe Social Sobre Los Objetivos De Desarrollo Sostenible](#)
- **Honduras:** 2020: [Informe de la Sociedad Civil sobre Metas ODS de Tierra](#), 2018 [Reporte Sombra Sobre La Implementación del ODS 16](#)
- **India:** 2020: [We, The People](#)
- **Indonesia:** 2021: [Sustainable Development Report: Indonesia](#)
- **Ireland:** 2022: SDSN [Ireland Profile](#) 2018: [Coalition 2030 Report](#)
- **Italy:** 2018: *Sustainable development: for whom? A critical vision for coherence of Italian and European policies* ([Report Summary](#))
- **Japan:** 2017: [Civil Society HLPF Report](#)
- **Madagascar:** 2021: [Sustainable Development Report: Madagascar](#)
- **Malaysia:** 2017: [Malaysia Civil Society Report](#) 2016: [Sustainable Development Goals & Malaysia Society: Civil Society Perspectives](#)



Read an SDG Progress Report from your National & Regional Civil Society Network

- **Mexico:** 2021: [Consulta a OSC sobre la Agenda 2030 ante Tercer Inv del Gobierno de México 2021](#) 2018: [Informe Luz del Espacio de Articulación de la Sociedad Civil para el Seguimiento de la Agenda 2030 en México](#)
- **Nicaragua:** 2021: [Sustainable Development Report: Nicaragua](#)
- **Panama:** 2021: [Sustainable Development Report: Panama](#)
- **Peru:** 2020: [Informe de la Sociedad Civil Sobre el Progreso en la Agenda 2030 en el Peru](#)
- **Philippines:** 2019: [The PH SDG Agenda: Closing Gaps, Overcoming Policy Incoherence: Report Discussions](#); 2016: [For Justice And Sustainability: The Other PH 2030 Agenda](#)
- **Poland:** 2022: [SDSN Poland Profile](#); 2018: [Equitable Transition to Sustainable Development: Selected Aspects](#) of SDG Implementation in Poland
- **Portugal:** 2020 [Portugal e a Agenda 2030 para o Desenvolvimento Sustentável](#)
2017 [A Cooperação Portuguesa no início da era pós-2015](#)
- **Slovakia:** 2022: SDSN [Slovak Republic Profile](#)
- **Spain:** 2018: [Una Agenda 2030 transformadora para las personas y el planeta: Informe Los ODS en 100 ciudades españolas](#)



Read an SDG Progress Report from your National & Regional Civil Society Network



- **Sri Lanka:** 2018 [Sri Lanka Voluntary People's Review](#)
- **Tanzania:** 2019 [Tanzania Civil Society VNR Report](#)
- **Timor Leste:** 2019 [Report Summary of Social Audit \(English / Tetun\)](#) 2021 [United Nations Sustainable Development Cooperation Framework](#)
- **Uganda:** 2020 [CSO Rejoinder on Uganda's VNR Report](#)
- **United Kingdom:** 2018 [Measuring Up; Europe Sustainable Development Report: United Kingdom](#)
- **United States:** 2018 [Sustainable Development Report of the United States](#); 2019 [US Cities Sustainable Development Report](#)
- **Uruguay:** [Diálogo Social: Uruguay Hacia Los Objetivos de Desarrollo Sostenible](#)
- **Venezuela:** 2019 [Los Objetivos de Desarrollo Sostenible en Venezuela: Reporte desde un País en Riesgo](#) 2016 [Report to the UN High-Level Political Forum on Sustainable Development](#)
- **Vietnam:** 2018 [Combined INGO Comments on the Voluntary National Review \(VNR\) Report of Vietnam](#)
- **Zambia:** 2020 [Civil Society SDGs Campaign/GCAP ZAMBIA Report](#) 2018 [Citizen Hearing Report on SDGs Initiative for Zambia](#)
- **Zimbabwe:** 2017 [Zimbabwe Civil Society Report](#); 2021 [People's SDG Score Card](#) (watch 4:37 to 1:13:19) and [Zimbabwe CSOs' SDGs HLPF 2021 Voluntary National Review Spotlight Report](#)



Prepare for the next JCoR global call:

22 May 2023

- Register here: <https://bit.ly/40aUTiF>
- Watch your email box for informational material and reflection questions to explore ahead of global call #4
- Send any questions or requests for help with the tasks above to Teresa B (jcor.newyork@gmail.com)

