

About some of the signatory organizations (non-exhaustive list)

Focal points and organising partners recognized by the United Nations:

The organizing partners of the 9 Major Groups coordinate the member organizations at intergovernmental negotiations on sustainable development (post-Rio+20/Sustainable Development Goals).

The focal points of the 9 Constituencies coordinate the member organizations at UNFCCC intergovernmental climate negotiations.

-World Farmers' Organisation (WFO) (focal point of the Farmers constituency and organising partner of the Farmers Major Group): International Organisation of Farmers for Farmers, which aims to bring together all the national producer and farm cooperative organisations with the objective of developing policies which favor and support farmers' causes in developed and developing countries around the world.

-United Cities and Local Governments (UCLG) (organising partner of the Local authorities Major Group) : represents and defends the interests of local governments on the world stage, its mission is to be the united voice and world advocate of democratic local self-government, promoting its values, objectives and interests, through cooperation between local governments, and within the wider international community. Members in 140 Member States of the UN.

- ICLEI - Local Governments for Sustainability (focal point of the Local Governments and Municipal Authorities constituency and organising partner of the Local authorities Major Group): world's leading association of cities and local governments dedicated to sustainable development. Powerful movement of 12 mega-cities, 100 super-cities and urban regions, 450 large cities as well as 450 medium-sized cities and towns in 86 countries.

-International Trade Union Confederation (ITUC) (organising partner of the Workers and Trade Unions Major Group): its primary mission is the promotion and defence of workers' rights and interests, through international cooperation between trade unions, global campaigning and advocacy within the major global institutions. It represents 168 million workers in 155 countries.

-International Chamber of Commerce (ICC)'s French Committee: ICC is the largest, most representative business organization in the world. Its hundreds of thousands of member companies in over 180 countries have interests spanning every sector of private enterprise. ICC is also focal point of the Business and Industry constituency. The French Committee, which has endorsed the joint statement, has 200 members.

-United Religions Initiative (Co-chair of the NGO Committee at the UN for the International Day of Peace): promotes enduring, daily interfaith cooperation, to end religiously motivated violence and to create cultures of peace, justice and healing for the Earth and all living beings. More than 600 member groups and organizations.

International associations

Children and Youth

-CliMates: student Think & Do Tank committed to finding and promoting innovative solutions to climate change. It gathers students from all around the world, with various academic backgrounds, who want to get together to research, share and express experiences, opinions, and knowledge.

-A World at school: international campaign with a diverse team from several countries. Movement of hundreds of thousands of people from more than 250 civil society, teacher, faiths, youth, business, international and non-governmental organisations.

NGOs

-World Future Council: consists of 50 eminent global change-makers from governments, parliaments, civil society, academia, the arts and business.

-Global 100% Renewable Energy: the first global initiative that advocates 100% renewable energy, and builds on initiatives that already take place on national, regional and local level. The intention is to connect the fragmented dots of renewable energy advocates worldwide to build a global 100% renewable energy alliance. Founded by partners from civil society, industry, science and policy.

-ENDA Tiers Monde: international NGO which has been able to use unsuspected resources to counteract the South's ever growing poverty, preserve an environment, Enda proceed on 4 continents and 14 countries.

-Ecocity Builders: provides education for ecological design, develops and implements policy, design and educational tools and strategies to build thriving urban centers based on “access by proximity”. Organizer of the World Summit on Sustainable Cities Ecocity.

Women

- Soroptimist International: network of around 80,000 club members in 130 countries and territories works at a local, national and international level to educate, empower and enable opportunities for women and girls.

Regional or national federations/networks

Children and Youth

-United Kingdom Youth Climate Coalition: built on diversity, very active in the areas of climate change campaigning, youth empowerment, religion, health or human rights.

-Garjan.org: first online campaigning initiative launched in Nepal enthusiastically steadfast to create substantial impact in a far-reaching way to inspire, deliver, counter and mobilize millions of people around the globe.

Business and industry

-Global Compact France: The UN Global Compact is a strategic policy initiative for businesses that are committed to aligning their operations and strategies with ten universally accepted principles in the areas of human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption. 890 French members, France is thus the second biggest network.

Indigenous peoples

-Pan African Climate Justice Alliance (PACJA): continental coalition of Civil Society Organizations from diverse backgrounds in Africa, acting on climate change and sustainable development. With a membership of more than 1000 organizations and networks.

-Indigenous Peoples of Africa Coordinating Committee (IPACC): a network of 150 indigenous peoples’ organisations in 20 African countries.

NGOs

- NGO Federation of Nepal: leading civil society organisation in Nepal with 5,643 NGOs affiliated to it from across the country. It has received Special Consultative Status from UN Economic and Social Council.

-Uganda Coalition for Sustainable Development - Rio and Beyond (Uganda): network of more than 40 NGOs dedicated to coordinate advocacy and lobby work around issues and commitments made by world governments towards sustainable development.

- 4D: French NGO created after Rio 1992 Earth Summit. It develops its expertise on sustainable development and activities at international, national and local level.

- Kehys-Finnish NGDO platform to the EU (Finland): offering services to NGOs on EU development policy issues. Currently 37 member organisations.

- Norwegian Forum for Development and Environment (Norway): think tank and national and international contact point for the coordination of policy initiatives and recommendations. These are anchored in a community of 54 member organisations in Norway.

Women

-All India Women's Conference: founded in 1927, AIWC is recognized as a premier organization working for empowerment of women in the world.