



DIALOGUES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE POST-2015 DEVELOPMENT AGENDA

Since 2012, the United Nations Development Group has been spearheading an unprecedented, multi-stakeholder outreach to facilitate a global conversation on the future development agenda that is to become the successor framework to the Millennium Development Goals beyond 2015. During the consultations so far, participants were keen not just to express their views on the content of the agenda, but they were also interested in how it will be implemented, including the roles and responsibilities of different stakeholders. While the first phase of the consultation during 2013 was focused on the potential issues and areas to be included in the Post-2015 Development Agenda, the means of implementation are now becoming more relevant, with consultations organized around six main areas of discussion:

6 THEMES

1. Localizing the Post-2015 Development Agenda
2. Helping to strengthen capacities and institutions
3. Participatory monitoring, existing and new forms of accountability
4. Partnerships with civil society and other actors
5. Partnerships with the private sector
6. Culture and development



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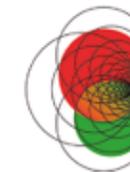
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UNDP and UN-Habitat, on behalf of the UN Development Group, and the Global Task Force of Local and Regional Governments for the Post-2015 Development Agenda and towards Habitat III, are co-leading the dialogue on Localizing the Post-2015 Development Agenda. The main objective of this consultation process, led by national and local governments and supported by UN Country Teams, is to stimulate inclusive national and territorial dialogues on how to achieve the new development agenda at the local level.

Why localization?

To encourage grassroots support, and community and local government commitment, this dialogue creates opportunities to discuss the local dimensions of the future global development framework. Any new development agenda will only impact people's lives if successfully implemented at the local level. This dialogue also explores the increasingly important role of cities in implementing national and global agendas.

Why participate?

Constant dialogue and communication between all stakeholders is of primary importance. The dialogues are designed to be open and inclusive, providing local governance stakeholders - local governments, CSOs, academia and the private sector - a platform to formulate their ideas on how to implement the Post-2015 Agenda. Participants will consider what local governance processes, tools, institutions, mechanisms, and other means of implementation are needed to achieve the future Sustainable Development Goals. The engagement of local stakeholders is not only important for the expression of development aspirations but also to ensure accountability, inclusive representation and sustainability. The involvement of a wide range of different local actors also brings key ideas and legitimacy to the intergovernmental processes.

Objectives

- Produce clear recommendations on how to implement the new agenda at the local level.
- Amplify the voices of local stakeholders, making a deliberate effort to include the poor and other traditionally marginalized groups.
- Support the overall international negotiation processes in order to ensure their alignment with aspirations at local level (national, regional and online dialogues).

Territorial and National dialogues are organized in 13 countries:

Armenia, Burundi, Cameroon, El Salvador, Ecuador, Ghana, Jamaica, Malawi, Philippines, Portugal, Tajikistan, Tanzania and Vanuatu. Ecuador, Ghana and Italy are also co-hosting the High Level Global Dialogue, in October 2014 (Turin, Italy).

Territorial and national dialogues



Co-hosting countries



A multi-stakeholder consultative body, the Advisory Committee, provides overall guidance to the consultation process. Furthermore, other partner organizations (multilateral partners, foundations, associations of local and regional governments, academia) also contribute to the process by organizing consultations and other events on localizing the Post-2015 Agenda.

Impact of the dialogues

The outcomes of these multi-stakeholder dialogues inform various regional and international events as well as policy discussions, and will finally be presented to key decision-makers and leaders deciding upon the post-2015 development framework. The outcomes will feed in to the UN Secretary-General's Synthesis Report to be presented to the UN General Assembly at the end of 2014. The key messages will be shared with Member States that will be engaged in the discussions on the definition of the post 2015 agenda and its localization.

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LAUNCH OF THE CONSULTATIONS,
APRIL 2014

E-DISCUSSIONS,
MAY-SEPTEMBER 2014

TERRITORIAL AND NATIONAL CONSULTATIONS,
MAY-JULY 2014

REGIONAL AND GLOBAL CONSULTATIONS,
MAY-OCTOBER 2014

GLOBAL UNDG SYNTHESIS REPORT ON THE IMPLEMENTATION
OF THE POST 2015 AGENDA, INCLUDING THE CONSULTATION
ON THE LOCALIZATION, AUGUST 2014

PRESENTATION AND DISSEMINATION OF RESULTS
IN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,
SEPTEMBER 2014

FINAL INTERNATIONAL HIGH LEVEL EVENT
14-15TH OCTOBER 2014, TURIN (ITALY)

PRESENTATION OF THE SG "SYNTHESIS" REPORT,
GATHERING INPUTS OF THE CONSULTATIONS,
BEFORE THE END OF 2014

DISSEMINATION OF THE MAIN FINDINGS
OF THE CONSULTATION PROCESS