

Civil Society Workshop 2 : Reflections from the HLPF 2021 and delivering the recovery

Date: 16 July 2021

Time: 08:00-10:00 (New York) or 12:00-14:00 GMT/UTC

Description:

Jointly hosted by Action for Sustainable Development, Forus, CIVICUS, GCAP and the NGO MG, this closing workshop will draw from a wide range of perspectives to enable reflection on the outcomes from HLPF 2021, including the VNRs and the thematic reviews and it will consider next steps for delivering a healthy, green & just recovery with key actions for coming months.

Run of the show:

- **08:00 - 09:00 : First panel - Reflections on HLPF 2021** (Moderator: Hallima Nyota - A4SD FG)
 - **08:00 - 08:10** : Welcome & Introductions
 - **08:10 - 08:30** : Panel Reflections on the key policy areas & VNRs in 2021
Speakers:
 - Mabel Bianco (co-chair of the Major Groups & Other Stakeholders Coordination Mechanism)
 - Marie-Luise Abshagen (Head of Sustainability Policies at the German NGO Forum on Environment and Development)
 - Leonard Mandishara (NANGO Zimbabwe)
 - Deirdre De Burca (Forus Advocacy Coordinator)
 - **08:30 - 08:50** : Reflections from participants : What worked well? What more can be done to engage civil society in meaningful dialogue?
 - 9 breakout groups, moderators as follows: Adriana Aralica (SLOGA), Leah Mitaba (Zambia – ZCSD), Aoi Horiuchi (JANIC), Jyotsna (ADA), Claudio Fernandes (2030 Working Group, Brazil), Denison Jayasooria (Malaysia SDG Alliance), Sondre Matias Nave (Forum, Norway) ESP: Lina Paola Negrette (CCONG), FR: Nicolas Sautejeau (A4SD)
 - **08:50 - 09:00** : Final feedback to plenary
- **09:00 - 10:00 : Second Panel - Next steps on delivering the recovery** (Moderator: Paul Divakar, GCAP)
 - **09:00 - 09:05** : Welcome & Introductions
 - **09:05 - 09:12** : Overview of key upcoming events, joint letter on 'great recovery' & Zovu platform - *Oli Henman & Clara Sanchiz, A4SD*
 - **09:12 - 09:20** : Planning for the Global Week of Action, Sep 2021- *Marina Ponti, UN SDG Action Campaign*
 - **09:20 - 09:27** : Road to COP26 - *Carmen Capriles (TBC)*
 - **09:30 - 09:50** : Wider feedback from participants on plans for next 6 months
 - **09:50 - 10:00** : Closing words from panel & moderator