

Spotlight Session 6
Bringing accountability to partnership not leaving anyone behind

31 January 2023, 4.15 -5.15 pm-EST

Session Summary

Background on the event (max 150 words)

The session consider how the multiple and diverse partnership among the different actors including the private sector and CSO were developed and why didn't achieve the targets of Agenda 2030 and it's SDGs. The main objective was to analyze the factors intervening in the failures and the relation within structural inequalities, the power differences among partners and the role of UN. As Civil Society we have a key role in delivering the SDGs , UN should ensure and this Forum should underscore the meaningful participation of CSO in all levels of UN meetings , this meant to include a more systemic approach to opportunities for engagement, support the participation of CSO from the Global South, more time for wider inputs and a more open and transparent accreditation processes. A wide range of issues to accelerate the recovery from the pandemic will be consider. How different actors participate with equal power. As how structural and systemic barriers including the power imbalance among the different actors . How climate change and all the agreements developed are respected . Why access to vaccines failed to cover all people. Accountability is key and the role of UN its central . We present recommendations and hope they will be incorporate to this Forum and the Summit

Key Issues discussed (5-6 bullet points)

- Concept of Partnership and its role in Multilateralism and how it relates to UN Guidelines.
- The Bankrupt of the financial system and how it amplify systemic social inequalities
- The misinformation and wrong directions of climate negotiation sand the lack of political commitment leaves the door open to greenwashing
- Percent of people unvaccinated and the relation to Big Pharma profits during the COVID 19 pandemic
- Corruption linked to procurement of personal protective equipment and it's elimination
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Key recommendations for action (4-5 bullet points)

- Recover the Common Minimum Standards for Multistakeholder Engagement in the UN Development Assistance Framework and review
- Elaborate and adopt an international legally binding instrument to regulate, based in international human rights law, the activities of transnational corporations and other business
- Speak of recovery from the COVID pandemic has a detrimental effect, masking the ongoing impact COVID infections still have and the tragic inequitable access to medicines, tests and vaccines low-income countries still face
- Big Pharma monetarize the COVID pandemic at the expenses of people from Global South, so

partnership cannot be equitable , it's necessary a drastic, transformative approaches to partnerships which embrace the vision of "leave no one behind".

- An unprecedented collaboration from North and South is necessary to galvanize the financing for adaptation, loss and damage and just transition underpinning the spirit of Paris Agreement.
- For climate justice it's imperative developed countries raise their emission reduction targets, phasing out fossil fuels, supporting adaptation and resilience building and embracing renewables , while ceasing the transference the burden climate action to poor and vulnerable communities.

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