



Agenda

Global Sustainable Development Report 2023

Regional launch and operationalization workshop

Brasília, Brazil

16 – 17 November 2023 (UTC -3)

Day 1 – 16 November <i>Inovatio Room, ENAP, Brasília</i>	
High-level Launch (English/Spanish/Portuguese) Live Stream on Zoom (09:30-12:00, UTC-3)	
09:00 – 09:30	Registration
09:30 – 09:35	Welcome Ms Astra Bonini, Chief, Integrated Policy Analysis Branch, Division for Sustainable Development Goals, UN DESA
09:35 – 10:00	High-Level Opening H.E. Esther Dweck, Minister of Management and Innovation in Public Services of Brazil Ms Betânia Peixoto Lemos, President of the National School of Public Administration (Enap) Mr Sergio Godoy, Executive Secretary of the National Commission for Sustainable Development Goals of the Presidency of the Republic Ms Enid Rocha, Deputy Director of Studies and Social Policies, Institute of Applied Economic Research (IPEA) Ms Friederike Sabiel, Climate and Environmental Counsellor at the German Embassy in Brazil
10:00 – 10:15	Group Photo
10:15 – 10:45	<i>Coffee break</i>



10:45 – 11:00	Keynote address Ms Paula Caballero, Regional Managing Director for Latin America, Nature Conservancy (virtual)
11:00 – 11:30	Message from the IGS / Quo vadis GSDR 2023? Presentation of key messages & Dialogue format on the GSDR 2023, Contextualization, Next steps, including the outcome of the SDG Summit Dr Nancy Shackell, IGS member. Senior research scientist at Bedford Institute of Oceanography, Nova Scotia, Canada
11:30 – 12:00	Questions
12:00 – 13:30	<i>Joint lunch, Espaço Varanda</i>

The 2023 GSDR: Operationalization Workshop			
Working Group Sessions (English/Spanish)			
13:30 – 13:50	Opening remarks <i>Ms Stephanie Rambler, Sustainable Development Officer, Integrated Policy Analysis Branch, Division for Sustainable Development Goals, UN DESA</i> <i>Ms Pytrik Oosterhof, Senior Sustainable Development Consultant</i>		
13:50 – 15:00	Working Group Session I: World Café, Transformative action In order to accelerate progress, the 2023 GSDR calls on countries to translate their SDG commitments into action. It encourages countries to steer transformations by activating synergies through six-entry points and five levers of transformation. In this World Café session, groups will rotate to discuss i) transformative actions, ii) the entry points and iii) the capacity build lever from a LAC perspective.		
	Table I: Transformative actions <i>Ms Astra Bonini</i> <i>Ms Kirstie Lopez</i>	Table II: Entry-points <i>Ms Stephanie Rambler</i> <i>Dr Nancy Shackell</i>	Table III: Capacity building (lever) <i>Ms Mareike Eberz</i> <i>Ms Pytrik Oosterhof</i>
15:00 – 15:30	<i>Coffee break</i>		
15:30 – 16:00	Reporting back and plenary discussion <i>Moderator: Ms Pytrik Oosterhof, Senior Sustainable Development Consultant</i>		



	Group presentation of the outcome of the three round table discussions of the World Café		
16:00 – 17:00	<p>Working Group Session II: Entry-points and levers</p> <p>This session aims to explore the GSDR's suggested entry-points and levers for transformation. Based on a work-sheet, participants will work in three groups to gain hands-on understanding of the entry-points and levers (see pp. 44-47). Each working group will be assigned an entry-point and discuss how the levers can help accelerate the specific entry point.</p>		
	<p>Group 1: Human Wellbeing and Capabilities (ENG)</p> <p><i>Ms Astra Bonini</i> <i>Ms Pytrik Oosterhof</i> <i>Room 106</i></p>	<p>Group 2: Sustainable and Just Economies (ENG)</p> <p><i>Ms Stephanie Rambler</i> <i>Dr Nancy Shackell</i> <i>Room 109</i></p>	<p>Group 3: Sustainable Food Systems and Healthy Nutrition (SPA)</p> <p><i>Ms Mareike Eberz</i> <i>Ms Kirstie Lopez</i> <i>Room 110</i></p>
17:00 – 17:45	<p>Reporting back and plenary discussion</p> <p><i>Moderator: Ms Pytrik Oosterhof, Senior Sustainable Development Consultant</i></p> <p>Presentation of recommendations of how the different levers can help accelerate 'human wellbeing and capabilities' (Group 1); sustainable and just economies (Group 2), and sustainable food systems and healthy nutrition (Group 3).</p>		
17:45 – 17:50	Wrap up Day I		



Day 2 – 17 November (English, Spanish, Portuguese)

Inovatio Room, ENAP

Working Group Sessions (English/Spanish)

08:30 – 09:00	Registration		
09:00 – 09:15	Welcome and setting the stage		
09:15 – 09:30	Message from IGS Co-Chair <i>Dr Imme Scholz, IGS Co-Chair (virtual)</i>		
09:30 – 10:30	Continued Working Group Session II: Entry-points and levers Similar to Day I, participants will work in three groups to gain hands-on understanding of the entry-points and levers (see pp. 44-47). Based on the worksheet, each group will be assigned a new entry-point and discuss how the levers can help accelerate the specific entry point.		
	Group 1: Energy Decarbonization with Universal Access (ENG) <i>Ms Astra Bonini</i> <i>Ms Pytrik Oosterhof</i> <i>Room 106</i>	Group 2: Global Environmental Commons (ENG) <i>Ms Stephanie Rambler</i> <i>Dr Nancy Shackell</i> <i>Room 109</i>	Group 3: Urban and Peri-Urban Development (SPA) <i>Ms Mareike Eberz</i> <i>Ms Kirstie Lopez</i> <i>Room 110</i>
10:30 – 11:15	Reporting back and plenary discussion <i>Moderator: Ms Pytrik Oosterhof, Senior Sustainable Development Consultant</i> Groups will present how the different levers can help accelerate Energy Decarbonization with Universal Access (Group 1), Global Environmental Commons (Group 2) and Urban and Peri-Urban Development (Group 3).		
11:15 – 11:45	<i>Coffee break</i>		



11:45 – 12:30	<p>Working Group Session III: National Plans for Transformative Accelerated Action</p> <p>As a part of the transformation framework, countries are encouraged to develop National Plans for Transformative Accelerated Action that are grounded in science and inclusive processes to identify and harness SDG synergies and reduce negative transboundary spill-overs. The GSDR recommends that local and industry-specific planning should feed into the national plans. The report recommends that the first action plans are presented at the High-level Political Forum for Sustainable Development 2024. This session aims to discuss how to go about developing these national plans based on the criteria recommended by the GSDR, including ensuring policy coherence as well as strengthening the science-policy interface (p. 105 GSDR).</p>		
	<p>Group 1 (ENG) Ms Astra Bonini Ms Pytrik Oosterhof Room 106</p>	<p>Group 2 (ENG) Ms Stephanie Rambler Dr Nancy Shackell Room 109</p>	<p>Group 3 (SPA) Ms Mareike Eberz Ms Kirstie Lopez Room 110</p>
12:30 – 13:30	<p>Joint lunch, Espaço Varanda</p>		
13:30 – 14:00	<p>Reporting back and plenary discussion</p> <p>Moderator: Ms Pytrik Oosterhof, Senior Sustainable Development Consultant</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What are the windows of opportunity and key recommendations for establishing the National Plans? - How can the science-policy interface help in establishing the national plans, including through partnerships? 		
14:00 – 15:00	<p>Working Group Session IV: Regional Transformation Framework</p> <p>The GSDR 2023 recommends establishing a transformation framework by 2024 (Chapter 6). The framework should bring together local action with international cooperation and consider contexts, needs and capabilities. The plan needs to take into consideration the entry-points and levers and emphasize the science-policy interface for evidence-based policy making. Having discussed the latter in Sessions I, II and III, this working group session aims to explore the remaining elements suggested for the SDG transformation framework focusing on SDG financing; data, science-based tools and policy learning as well as accountability measures.</p>		
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15:00 – 15:30	<p>Reporting back and plenary discussion</p> <p><i>Moderator: Ms Pytrik Oosterhof, Senior Sustainable Development Consultant</i></p> <p>Groups will report back to plenary on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- The main priorities that can help increase fiscal space and financing for the SDGs.- Ways to strengthen SDG related data, science-based tools and policy learning to close the SDG data, research and development spending gaps.- How can the accountability of governments and stakeholders be strengthened to accelerate progress on the SDGs?
15:30 – 15:45	<p>Closing remarks</p> <p><i>Ms Astra Bonini, Chief, Integrated Policy Analysis Branch, Division for Sustainable Development Goals, UN DESA</i></p> <p>End of GSDR 2023 Regional Consultation Workshop</p>
15:45 – 16:15	<p><i>Coffee Break</i></p>