Global strategy on Agenda 2030

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Highlights from the ITUC 2015 General Council resolution on “Trade Unions Priorities for development”

- Trade union engagement in 2030 Agenda/SDGs
- Need for coherence across union actions, including economic, social, environmental and industry policies and activities
- Build alliances with CSOs and the ILO
- Promotion of the developmental role of social dialogue
- Fight the privatization of the development agenda
Levels of Involvement

Global monitoring

Regional monitoring

National monitoring

Global monitoring
Relevance of Agenda 2030 to TUs

• Revolves around three dimensions of sustainable development: environmental, social and economic

• Universal agenda for both developed and developing countries

• Trade unions priorities such as decent work, fight against inequalities, just transition and civil society participation

• An opportunity for trade union engagement and advocacy at national, regional and global level
Trade union priority SDGs

1. No Poverty

5. Gender Equality

8. Decent Work and Economic Growth

10. Reduced Inequalities

13. Climate Action

16. Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions
Role of Social Dialogue

Social Dialogue as a “means of implementation” of Agenda 2030 to:

- ensure a rights based development
- ensure inclusive governance and democratic ownership of developmental processes
What is our engagement strategy?

**Mobilisation and Engagement**
Familiarise Trade Unions with Agenda 2030

**Advocacy and Implementation**
Trade Unions influence Agenda 2030 planning and implementation through social dialogue

**Monitoring and Reporting**
“Trade Union report on SDGs implementation”
Flow chart TUDCN 2030 Agenda strategy

Mobilisation and Engagement
- Mapping survey
- Trade union pamphlet

Advocacy and Implementation
- Capacity Building
- Evidence based research

Monitoring and Reporting
- National trade union SDGs reports (pilot countries)
Trade union SDG pamphlet

What are the Sustainable Development Goals?

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) are 17 global goals set by the United Nations in September 2015 to end poverty in all its forms everywhere by 2030. They are the world’s to-do list for people, planet, prosperity, peace, and partnership.

Through their work in upholding freedom of association, collective bargaining rights and in promoting decent work and working conditions, trade unions are essential to achieving these development objectives. Making sure the connection between the SDGs and trade unions is mutually reinforcing is vital to improving the lives of working people.

A trade union issue!

How can the SDGs work for your trade union?

Ensuring that the contribution to the SDGs provided by the work of trade unions is fully recognized is the first step. The implementation of the SDGs is done at national level, national trade unions play a vital role in highlighting the contributions they make to everyday work. Advocating for policies that enhance this contribution is the next step.

With this in mind, the following actions can be undertaken:

- Ask national government to consult trade unions in 2030 Agenda implementation planning.
- Raise awareness among workers about 2030 Agenda.
- Address the SDGs through social dialogue with employers and government.
- Engage with the International Labour Organization (ILO) and other international agencies in your country.
- Participate in multi-stakeholder platforms and alliances for 2030 Agenda implementation.
- Undertake evidence-based research highlighting the link between trade union work and development priorities.

At national level:

- Ask national governments to bring trade union priorities to regional bodies dealing with 2030 Agenda (ECCLAC, UNECA, ESCAP, UNRISD).
- Participate in UN regional mechanisms for 2030 Agenda monitoring, review and follow-up.
- Take part in regional Civil Society initiatives for 2030 Agenda implementation.

At regional level:

- Ask national governments to bring trade union priorities to the annual UN High-Level Political Forum, which reviews and monitors the 2030 Agenda implementation.
- Provide trade union monitoring reports on the 2030 Agenda.

What to know more about the 2030 Agenda?

- Trade unions and 2030 Agenda: www.icas-cas.org/2030Agenda
- The International Labour Organization and 2030 Agenda: www.iilo.org/global/topics/sdg-2030agenda
- The United Nations and sustainable development: www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/
2017 Trade Union Focus on SDGs
Trade union country reports on SDGs

• → Highlight the relevance of Agenda 2030 to trade unions

• → Mobilize national organisations’ involvement on SDGs implementation with their governments

• → Provide evidence, collecting relevant data, using indicators and analysis

• → Single universal instrument including priority goals / targets / indicators for the trade union movement

• → Exposing governments on weak compliance
What next?

2018 goals under review

6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION
7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY
11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES
12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION
15 LIFE ON LAND

2019 goals under review

4 QUALITY EDUCATION
8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH
10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES
13 CLIMATE ACTION
16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS
## SDG voluntary national reviews 2018

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Trade Union SDGs monitoring

national report: presentation and strategy for future use
Focus on the national monitoring: TU country report on SDGs

The criteria followed to create the report template are:

→ boost national organizations’ involvement on of Agenda 2030 implementation with their governments

→ support research to provide evidence, such as collecting relevant data, using indicators and analysis

→ report based on official data sources (regional data sources + additional national data sources when available) accompanied by analysis and comments from national organizations

→ provide a single instrument grouping at the same time priority goals / targets / indicators for the trade union movement

→ strengthen advocacy at the national, regional and global levels (not technical but political) – reports to be disseminated in occasion of UN regional and global monitoring processes

→ It will be crucial to ensure the support of ILO / ACTRAV national offices that can provide technical assistance to trade unions (relevant especially in developing countries)
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