SDG 16 Hub Community Update | September 2021

This Hub newsletter captures the exciting events from last month, as well as upcoming activities related to the advancement of 2030 Agenda and SDG 16. It has a particular emphasis on the upcoming Regional Training on Measuring SDG 16 in Asia. The SDG 16 Hub survey is going to close very soon, so please take a few minutes to share your feedback – deadline Friday, 17 September. Keep reading to know more about these and other highlights, including what is coming up.

For any feedback, please write to contact@sdg16hub.org.

Regional Training on Measuring SDG16 in Asia
16 September to 4 November 2021

This series of interactive and online training workshops is being developed by 6 UN agencies to provide experiences from countries and international experts to collect data for SDG 16: Peace Justice and Strong Institutions. It also contributes to enhancing data quality and quantity for safer
communities. The series will focus on technical guidelines on how to measure the indicators and feature national experiences from the region. The webinars will be interactive, featuring word clouds, polls and an online forum. The webinars also feature Russian simultaneous interpretation.

It may be noted that relevant webinar resources, webinar recordings and questions for participants for discussion will be regularly added to the relevant spaces for this training series hosted on the SDG 16 Hub. Those most active on the Hub will be highlighted as SDG 16 Champions during this training.

Click here to learn more.

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UN General Assembly Side-Event: Accelerating Action for SDG16+

24 September 2021

Join the Global SDG16+ Coalition side-event during the 2021 UN General Assembly High-Level Week, which will explore ways that the international community can enhance efforts to mobilize and support bold and ambitious commitments to SDG16+. This event will showcase existing SDG16+ “Action Platforms”, as well as bold and ambitious partnerships and initiatives to advance SDG16+ and provide an important call-to-action for the making of stronger and more ambitious commitments necessary for implementing SDG16+.

Click here to learn more.
Since 2017, the German Development Institute (DIE) is conducting the research project “Implementing the 2030 Agenda: Integrating Growth, Environment, Equality and Governance”, funded by the German Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ). The project aims to identify and investigate central interlinkages between the SDGs and to provide evidence-based advice to decision-makers in development cooperation on devising approaches and strategies towards integrated implementation of the 2030 Agenda.

On 27 September 2021, DIE is running an online workshop which will provide an opportunity to present central findings from their project and to learn about their relation to and exploitability for their own work.

Click here to learn more.
United Nations World Data Forum

3 - 6 October 2021

The World Data Forum brings together data leaders from national and international statistical systems, academia, business community and civil society, among other stakeholder groups, to foster exchange of ideas, showcase innovations, identify solutions, discuss future strategies, and provide mutual learning opportunities.

The World Data Forum 2021, in Bern, will be hosted by the Swiss Confederation and Federal Statistical Office of Switzerland, with support from the Statistics Division of the UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs, under the guidance of the UN Statistical Commission and the High-level Group for Partnership, Coordination and Capacity-Building for Statistics for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. This time, the World Data Forum follows a series of webinars initiated in April 2019. The 79 sessions of the previous World Data Forum (2020) are available online.

Click here to learn more.

We want to hear from you!

SDG16 Hub Survey

To keep improving our online platform, we would like to request your feedback through a quick survey on what we can do further in 2021 to better serve the SDG 16 Community. The survey can be answered by both regular Hub registered users and visitors. We request your inputs by or before Friday 17 September.
New in the SDG 16 Hub Community

- Sergey Karpov – Community Post: Webinar on Access to Information for Turkestan state bodies
- Irfan Miswari – Community Post: CIEDR International Day of Peace, 2021
- Stefano Pighin – Webinar: Judicial Integrity Network ASEAN Webinar on emerging technologies in the judiciary
- Cat Botto – Event: Delivering the UN Common Agenda: Action to Achieve Equality and Inclusion

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