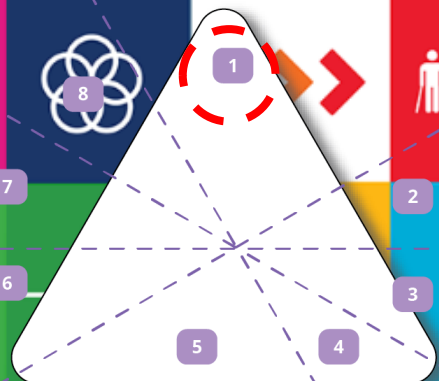




Can governments create an organizational model that effectively supports the implementation of the SDGs?

VOLUNTARY NATIONAL REVIEWS

Actionability: Cities provide the best level of concrete interventions, fascilitation and partnering for the Goals



The governance ecosystem

Procurement
policies

Operations
Footprint
Buildings
property

SDG
policy
agenda:
VNRs and
priorities

Mandating:
Laws, regulation
of markets and
provision of
public goods

Expenditures

**Endorsing and
penalizing**

Taxation; levies

**Fascilitating and
subsidizing**

Public-Private Partnering

Key problems:

- Lacking policy coherence
- Confusion on roles to play
- Prioritization of SDGs
- Poor intelligence in attracting and supporting frontrunner firms: what firms to select/attract?
- Poor metrics and thus gaps in intervention logic

New roles needed:

- Investment agencies attract SDG frontrunners (business intelligence)
- Partnering brokering role on prioritized SDGs
- Support for citizens participation and collective action (no one left behind)

Prime approaches:

- Choose for hybrid governance
- Invest in the right metrics
- Level 1: make the government organization resilient (apply stress tests)
- Level 2: enhance smart execution of penalties/subsidies
- Level 3: invest in smart – behavioral – regulation (nudging)
- Level 4: partnering portfolios



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Voluntary Local Review

25+5 SDG Cities Leadership Platform



How ITU helps build Smart Cities



Data	5G	Technical standards	Spectrum allocation
Smart cities require 5G systems as critical infrastructure to handle the demands of Big Data in real-time. ITU's IMT-2020 standard is essential for 5G development.	Smart City services will require 5G systems as critical infrastructure to handle the demands of Big Data in real-time. ITU's IMT-2020 standard is essential for 5G development.	ITU provides globally harmonized technical standards that are key encouraging and protecting key ICT infrastructure investments for Smart Cities.	Wireless communications are critical to Smart Cities. The globally harmonized ITU Radio Regulations ensure interference-free wireless communication.

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New York City's Implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

2019



fast forward together #ICT4SDG

Example:

Challenges

The RAPID and often UNPLANNED URBANIZATION witnessed worldwide has led to INCREASED PRESSURE ON THE ENVIRONMENT



Our cities account for up to 80% OF ENERGY CONSUMPTION as well as 75% OF GLOBAL WASTE AND CARBON EMISSIONS



Due to the high concentration of people, infrastructure, housing and economic activities, CITIES ARE PARTICULARLY VULNERABLE to climate change and natural disasters



Solutions

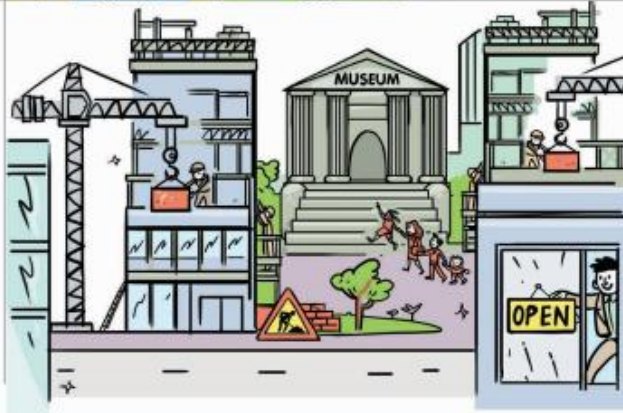
PROMOTE SOUND URBAN PLANNING, sustainable building, low-carbon transports, green spaces and sustainable lifestyles



INVEST IN RENEWABLE ENERGY, waste management, sustainable and green infrastructure



PROTECT CITIES - which are important social, cultural and economic centres - from environmental and climate threats



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