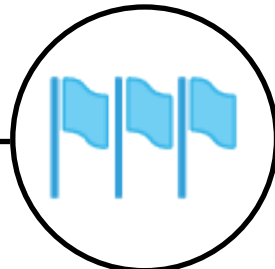


# SUPPORTING DEVELOPMENT FOR ALL THROUGH INTERGOVERNMENTAL PROCESSES

UN intergovernmental meetings are critical to allow countries and other actors to review development progress, and shape and commit next steps for moving development forward, including through implementation of the 2030 Agenda. UN intergovernmental processes support policy reflection and peer learning, galvanize political will, and help to mobilize international cooperation, solidarity, and whole-of-society efforts. In 2020-2021, the world continued to meet at the UN despite the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic. UN DESA worked to support virtual meetings. It continued preparing reports of the Secretary-General, and other thematic reports, to inject analysis and ideas into the discussions and supported the President of the General Assembly, President of ECOSOC and other representatives of Member States in the substantive organization of meetings and negotiations. UN DESA also helped to engage NGOs and major groups and other stakeholders in intergovernmental work.



- Plenary
- Economic and financial committee (Second Committee)
- Social, humanitarian and cultural committee (Third Committee)

- SDG Moment 2020
- First United Nations Summit on Biodiversity
- High-level event on the 25th Anniversary of the World Summit for Social Development
- Ministerial Thematic Forums for the High-Level Dialogue on Energy
- UN Thematic Session on Water and Disasters



## Commissions

- Commission for Social Development
- Commission on Population and Development
- United Nations Statistical Commission
- United Nations Forum on Forests

- ECOSOC Special Meeting on *Reimagining*
- ECOSOC Special Meeting on *High-level Dialogue on Energy*
- ECOSOC Special Meeting on *Water and Disasters*



## Committees and Advisory Bodies

- Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters
- Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations
- Committee of Experts on Public Administration
- Committee for Development Policy
- Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues
- UN Committee of Experts on Global Geospatial Information Management
- United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names

High-level political forum on sustainable development

## UN Collaborative Mechanisms

- Collaborative Partnership on Forests
- Executive Committee on Economic and Social Affairs
- High-level Group for Partnership, Coordination and Capacity-building for the 2030 Agenda
- Inter-agency and Expert Group on SDG Indicators
- Inter-agency Consultative Group on SIDS
- Inter-agency Support Group for the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities
- Inter-agency Task Force on Financial and Technical Council (ECOSOC)