

The role of Local Governments Associations in the SDG Reporting Process

UCLG Webinar - 18.12.2018

Agenda

- 1) Welcome to the webinar, **Jessie Post** (CIB) and **Raphael Sedlitzky** (UCLG Learning)
- 2) Presentation of the CIB Working Group, **Jessie Post** (CIB)
- 3) Introduction into the SDG localization process, **Raphael Sedlitzky** (UCLG Learning)
- 4) The SDG reporting process at the subnational level, **Andrea Chiambra** (UCLG GOLD)
- 5) Exampels:
 - SALAR – Sweden, **Matilda Lindberg**
 - VVSG – Belgium, **Jules de Winter**
 - UCLG ASPAC – Indonesia, **Meithya Rose Prasetya Puteri**
- 6) Discussion – **Jessie Post** (CIB)
- 7) Next Steps

The objective of the Webinar

The webinar provides the opportunity for CIB members and other local and regional government associations to participate in a dialogue about their role in the SDG localization process. Special attention will be given to the reporting process of the SDGs at subnational level. This is in particular relevant as UCLG, in 2019, aims to further increase the presence of local and regional governments and their associations at central events such as the High Level Political Forum (HLPF) and throughout the Voluntary National Reports (VNRs).

What/who is the Capacity and Institution Building Working Group?

CIB is a voluntary community of practitioners, members of United Cities and Local Governments (UCLG), who are engaged in international development cooperation.

Chair: Peter Knip, Director VNG International

Co-chair: Sebastien Hamel, Executive director of FCM programmes

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CIB's work with regard to LGA involvement in SDGs

- Multiple CIB members are working on SDGs in their international programmes and own organizations
- Some CIB members have assisted other LGAs in their voluntary national reporting processes (e.g. Benin, Palestinian territories)
- Study on strategies of CIB members on the implementation of the SDGs
- Study on LGA involvement in implementation of and reporting on SDGs (2018 and 2019) – ongoing

Localizing

the SDGs: Introduction

Raphael Sedlitzky – UCLG Learning

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THE GLOBAL GOALS
For Sustainable Development



SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

1 NO POVERTY

2 ZERO HUNGER

3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

4 QUALITY EDUCATION

5 GENDER EQUALITY

6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION

7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY

8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH

9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE

10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES

11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES

12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION

13 CLIMATE ACTION

14 LIFE BELOW WATER

15 LIFE ON LAND

16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS

17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS



~~**WE THE PEOPLE**~~

We, the local government Associations!



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What does localizing the SDGs mean?

Localizing is the process of taking into account subnational contexts in the achievement of the 2030 Agenda, from the setting of goals and targets, to determining the means of implementation and using indicators to measure and monitor progress.

Localization relates both to:

1. how local and regional governments can support the achievement of the SDGs at national level through action from the bottom up
2. how the SDGs can provide a framework for local development policy

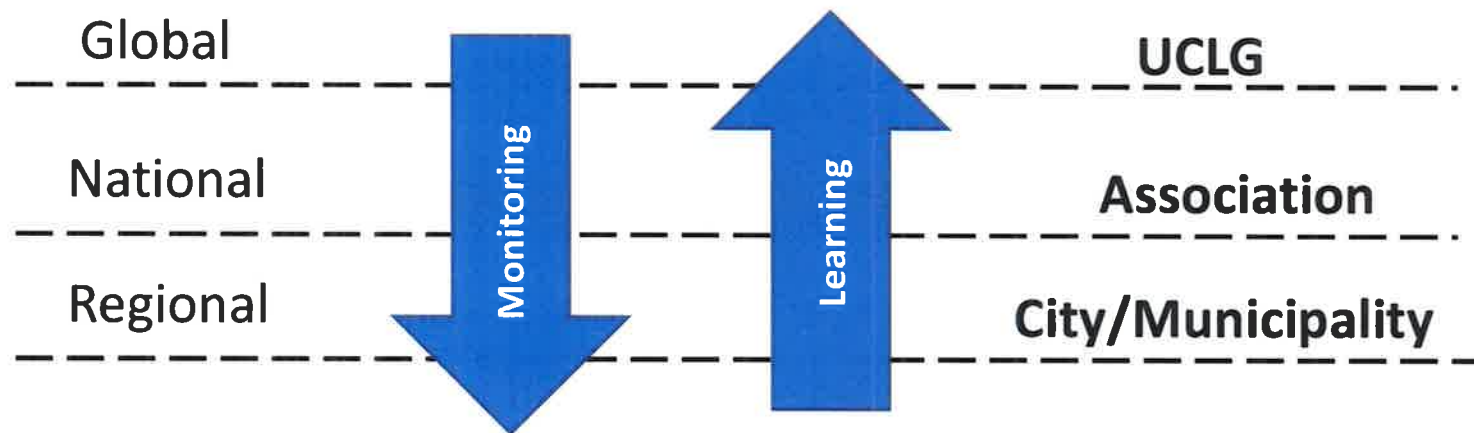
Why does localizing matter?

All of the SDGs have targets directly related to the responsibilities of local and regional governments, particularly to their role in delivering basic services.

The role of national local governments associations

For the national associations, global agendas present an opportunity to internationalize their municipal agenda. The Localization of the SDGs can improve the capacities of its municipalities and provide international visibility for the progress made by the local and regional level.

A multi-level perspective



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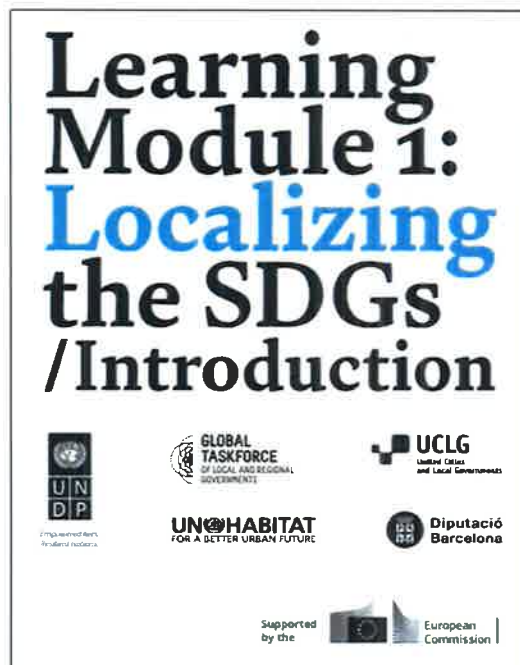
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The objective of UCLG is to raise awareness for the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) along local and regional governments, their associations and networks and to assist them in the localization process.

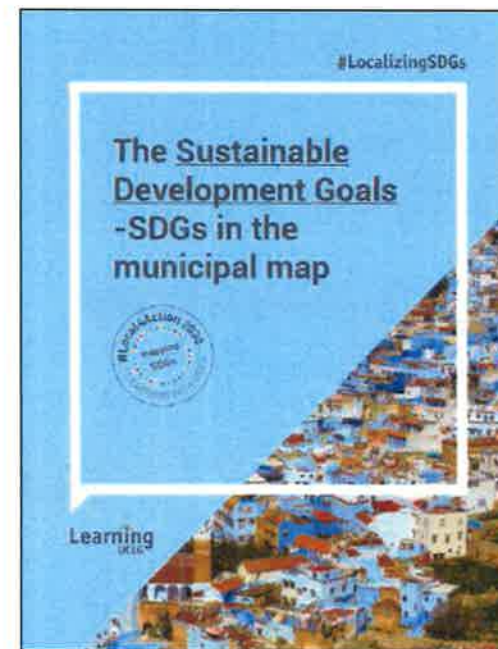
The Global Taskforce of Local and Regional Governments which is facilitated by UCLG, together with UNDP and UN-Habitat have developed a series of tools to localize the SDGs.

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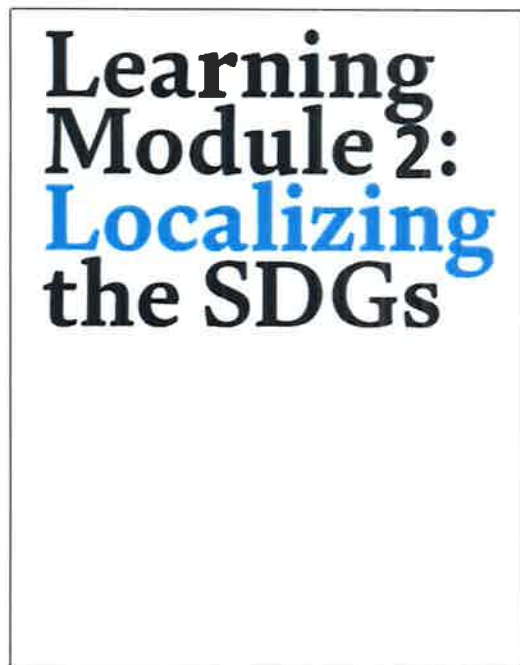


Additional tool



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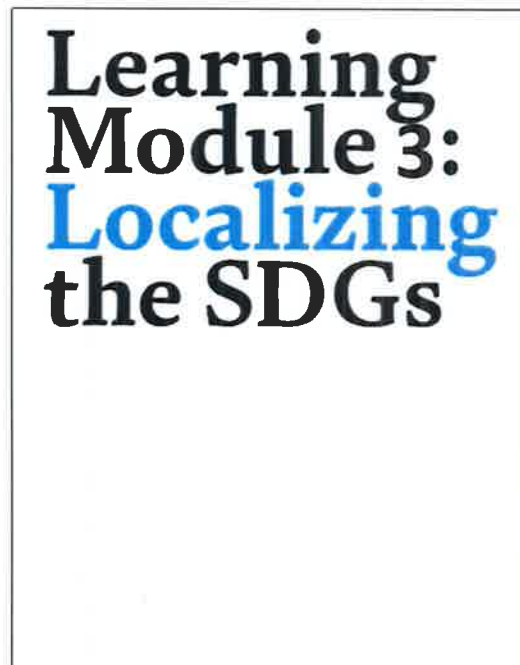


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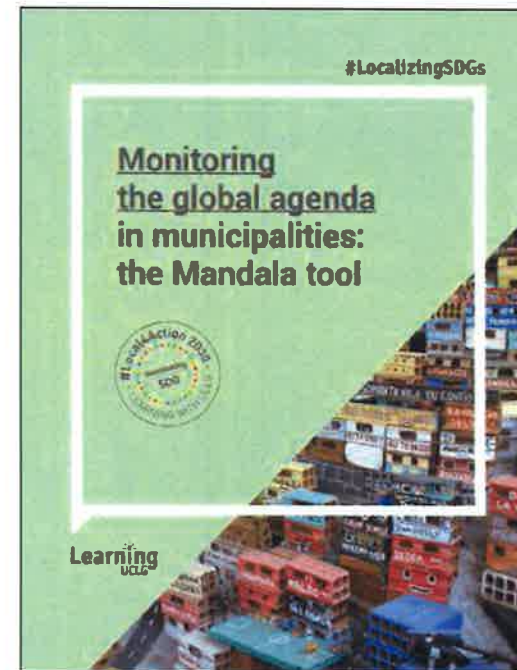


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*“Our struggle for global sustainability
will be won or lost in cities”*

**Ban Ki-moon,
Ex-UN Secretary General**