



## GLOBAL PARTNERSHIP FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT DATA

# CONVENING, CONNECTING, CATALYZING

Introducing a pioneering partnership that unites data champions,  
both traditional and new, around a common vision – to put data  
at the heart of sustainable development

### WHO WE ARE

The Global Partnership for Sustainable Development Data is a multi-stakeholder network of data champions working to galvanize political commitments, align strategic priorities, foster connections and collaborations, spur innovations and build trust in the booming data ecosystems of the 21st century.

We have more than 100 members globally, representing the full range of data producers and users working to harness the data revolution for sustainable development: governments, companies, civil society organizations, international organizations, academic institutions, charities, official statistics and data communities.

### WHAT WE DO

- Bring the benefits of a multi-stakeholder partnership on data to the local level by supporting country level roadmaps for sustainable development data; bridging data gaps; and improving capacities to generate, share, and use statistics and data.
- Support the strengthening and promotion of international norms and guidelines, and build a global consensus on principles for taking advantage of the data revolution for development.
- Co-convene thematic, regional, and global multi-stakeholder data forums to foster increased political commitment, collaboration, and innovation.
- Help align and mobilize resources through donor coordination and the launching of trust funds to support data innovations.

### WHY WE DO IT

In September 2015, 193 world leaders committed to 17 Sustainable Development Goals to achieve three extraordinary things in 15 years: end extreme poverty, fight inequality and injustice, fix climate change.

To reach these goals, we must confront a crisis at the heart of the world's most pressing challenges—a crisis of poor data. Limitations in data production, quality, access, and use are stunting the fight to overcome global challenges in every area—from health to gender equality, human rights to poverty, education to energy.

But change is coming – a data revolution is underway. Robust and powerful data ecosystems are emerging and being made more accessible through government open data initiatives and data sharing by private actors. The Global Partnership will be there to help build an enabling environment for harnessing the data revolution for sustainable development.

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## OUR CHAMPIONS

Abia State, Nigeria  
 Accur8Africa  
 Africa Gathering  
 African Development Bank (ADB)  
 African Development Fund  
 African Union Commission  
 Agora  
 AidData  
 Asian Development Bank  
 Barclays  
 Bretton Woods II  
 Brookings Institution  
 Camara de Comercio de Bogota (Bogota Chamber of Commerce)  
 Canada (Government of)  
 Center for International Earth Science Information Network  
 Cepei  
 Children Investment Fund Foundation (CIFF)  
 CIVICUS  
 Colombia/DANE (Government of)  
 Commission for Africa  
 Commonwealth of Independent States  
 Interstate Statistical Committee (CIS STAT)  
 Cornell Andes Project  
 CrowdMapIT  
 Data Act Lab  
 Data2X  
 DataKind  
 DataLook  
 Data-Pop Alliance  
 Departamento Administrativo Nacional de Estadística (DANE)  
 Development Gateway  
 Development Initiatives  
 DigitalGlobe  
 Esri  
 Eye on Earth  
 Facebook  
 Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)  
 Ford Foundation  
 Foundation Center  
 France (Government of)  
 Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance  
 GeoCensos  
 GeoPoll  
 Global Development Network  
 Global Health 2030 Innovation Task Force

Global Health Council  
 Global Open Data for Agriculture and Nutrition (GODAN)  
 Global Pulse  
 Global Reporting Initiative (GRI)  
 Group on Earth Observations (GEO)  
 Harvard Medical School  
 Hewlett Foundation  
 IBM  
 Institute for Sustainable Economic, Educational and Environmental Design (ISEEED)  
 Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)  
 International Association for Official Statistics (IAOS)  
 International Budget Partnership (IBP)  
 International Development Research Centre (IDRC/CRDI)  
 International Institute for Sustainable Development (IISD)  
 International Labour Organization (ILO)  
 International Monetary Fund (IMF)  
 International Statistics Institute (ISI)  
 Internews  
 Italy (Government of)  
 KCA University  
 Kenya (Government of)  
 Kwantu  
 Mars Omega LLP  
 Mastercard  
 McKinsey & Company  
 Mexico (Government of)  
 MHII Solutions  
 Morocco (Government of)  
 Natural Resource Governance Institute (NRGI)  
 Nielsen  
 On Think Tanks  
 ONE Campaign  
 Open Data for Development Network  
 Open Data Institute (ODI)  
 Open Data Watch  
 Open MENA  
 Orange Group Telecom  
 Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)  
 Overseas Development Institute (ODI)  
 Oxfam America  
 Oxford Poverty and Human Development Initiative (OPHI)  
 Pacific  
 Partnership in Statistics for Development

in the 21st Century (PARIS21)  
 Philippines (Government of)  
 Planet Labs  
 Premise  
 Project Andes / The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy  
 Publish What You Fund  
 Real Impact  
 Real Impact Analytics  
 Restless Development  
 Russian Association of Statisticians (RASt)  
 SAP  
 SDG Philanthropy Platform  
 Senegal (Government of)  
 Socrata  
 Somos el Presente  
 Southern Voice  
 Sustainable Development Solutions Network (SDSN)  
 Tableau Foundation  
 Telefonica  
 The Ecological Sequestration Trust (TEST)  
 Ecological Sequestration Fund  
 Transparency International  
 United Kingdom (Government of)  
 United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)  
 United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)  
 United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA)  
 United Nations Economic Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP)  
 United Nations Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC)  
 United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) Institute for Statistics  
 United Nations Foundation  
 United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO)  
 United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)  
 United Nations Women  
 United States (Government of)  
 VOTO Mobile  
 World Agroforestry Centre (ICRAF)  
 World Bank Group  
 World Resources Institute  
 World Wide Web Foundation  
 Youth Association for Development (YAD)  
 Pakistan



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