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# UNPOG Work in 2014 and Way Forward

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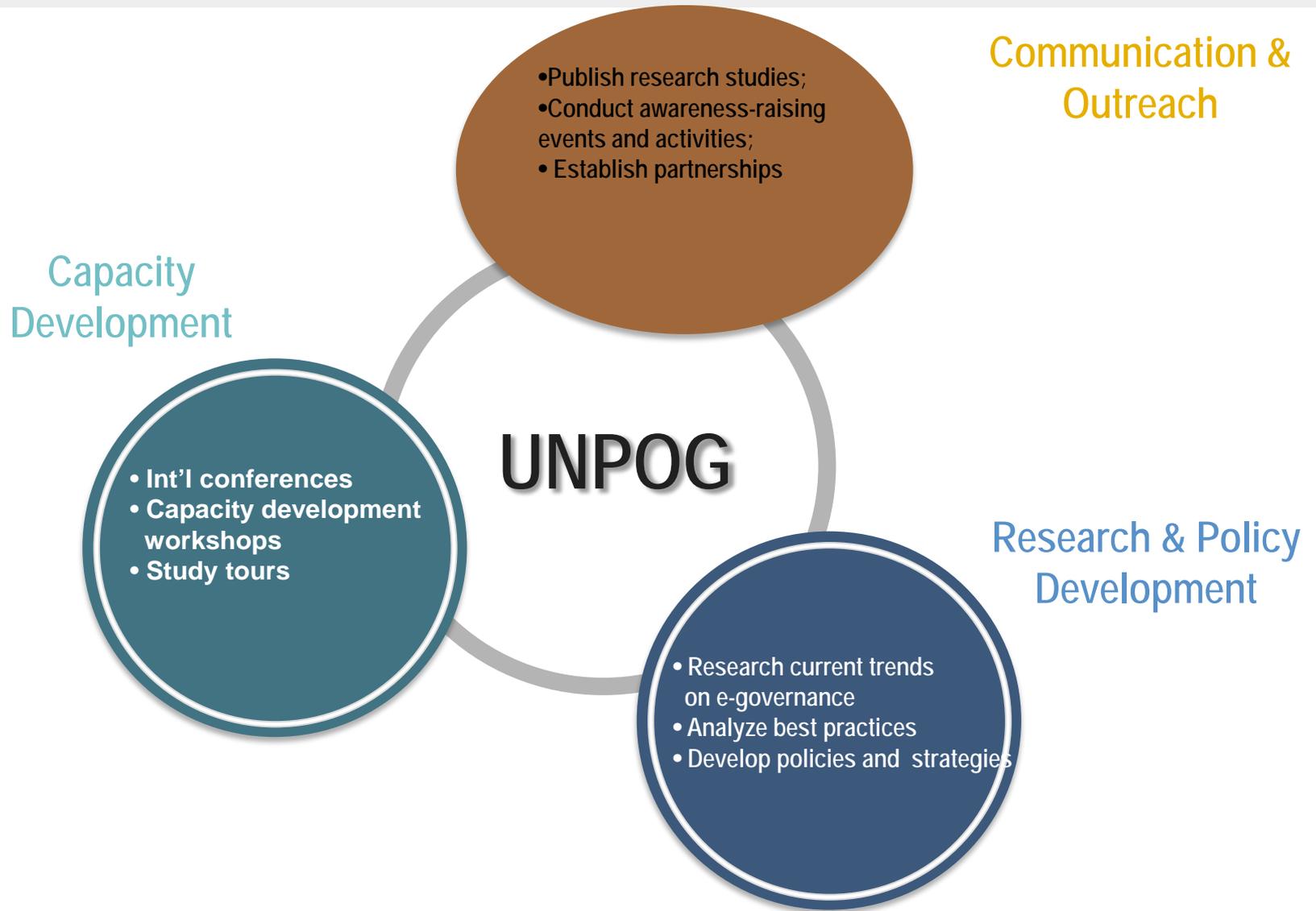
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# About UNPOG - Mission



**Assist developing countries and least developed countries to improve their governance capacity through innovation, e-governance and ICT for sustainable development**

# Three Pillars of Activities



# Focus & Priorities

## E-Government & Innovation in Public Administration for Promoting Sustainable Development

*Good governance, which is indispensable for achieving sustainable development, calls for the need for effective, transparent, accountable, and democratic institutions at all levels*



# Key Activities in 2014

- E-Government and Collaborative Governance for Sustainable Development
- Innovation in Service Delivery
- Institutional building and e-leadership



# Key Activities (i): E-Gov. for Sustainable Development

## E-Government for Sustainable Development in SIDS (January – June 2014)

- Capacity Development Workshop during 2014 UNPSA Forum
- Special Event of UNGA 2<sup>nd</sup> Committee: ICT and E-Government in SIDS: Responding to the SAMOA Pathway Call for Action (November 14th)

## E-Government for Gender Equality and Women Empowerment (Phase III Research, based on Phase I and II research, Cooperation with UNESCAP with Support from MOFA)

- Publication on E-Gov. for Gender Equality
- UNPOG Special Session on “ICT, E-Government and Womens’ Empowerment” at the “A&P Conference: Beijing+20 Review” (November 18th)

**UN Public Admin. Country Studies:** knowledge base for Asia and the Pacific



## Key Activities (iii): innovation in service delivery

- Cooperation with Korean PPS on e-procurement - UNPOG plans to work out e-procurement development programme For ASEAN and the programme will bring even greater synergy to develop e-procurement system among ASEAN Member States.
- Cooperation with Korea's Customs Service on UNIPASS ( Tentative, discussion with Commissioner on the occasion of 32nd Intl Customs Day on 27 January 2014)



## Key Activities (ii) : institutions and e-leadership

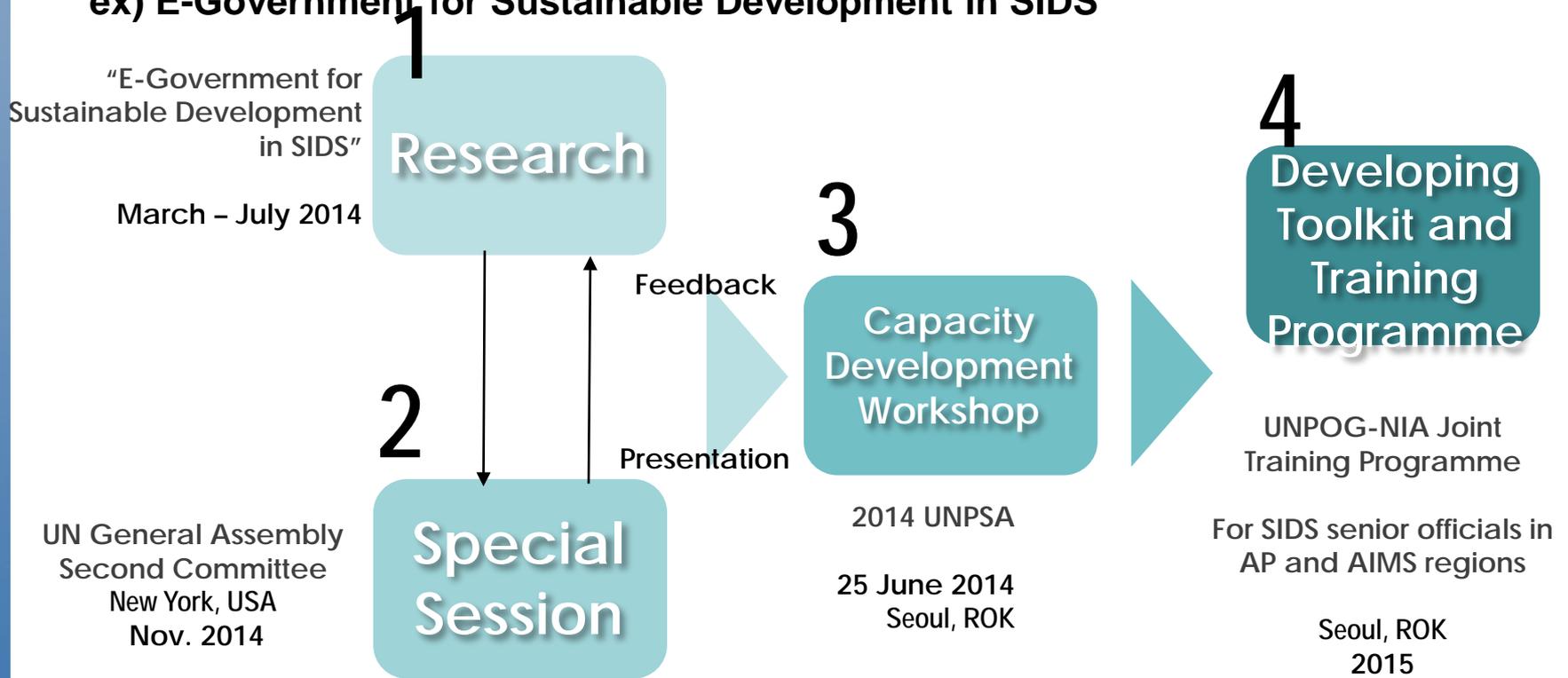
- **Cooperation with ADB/ITU** – Initiative on ICT for Develop. in the Asia-Pacific Region: UNPOG to provide technical support in e-Government and ICT applications for sustainable development, including supporting building the knowledge platform
- **Jeju Forum**: E-Government for the Future We Want: Trends of Develop. in Asia
- **Promoting 2014 UN E-Gov. Survey**: Regional launching of Chinese version (August 12, Beijing, China)
- **3rd WeGO General Assembly Executive Committee Meeting** (2-3 November)
- **CIO Conference for Asia and the Pacific** to develop CIO Network and strengthen partnership in the region ( 5-6 November, Shanghai, China)
- **Promotion booth during Korean-ASEAN Commemorative Event** (2014 ASEAN-Republic of Korea Exhibition on Public Governance)



# Strategies (i)

## Implement Project in Seamless and Integrated Manner

### ex) E-Government for Sustainable Development in SIDS



- Two field missions to Fiji and Timor-Leste

# Strategies (ii)

## Expand Cooperation with International and National Partners

- UNOSD, UNESCAP, ITU/ADB, WeGO
- China: Chinese Academy of Governance
- Singapore: Infocomm Development Authority
- Korea: Ministry of Security and Public Administration  
Ministry of Gender Equality & Family  
Public Procurement Service  
Korea Customs Service  
National Information Society Agency

## Establish and Strengthen CIO Network in Asia and the Pacific

- CIO Conference during Global City Informatization Forum 2014 (Shanghai, November 2014)



# Strategies (iii)

## Outreach activities to increase visibility of UNPOG

- International Identity Management (Id-M) Conference (Seoul, September 2014)
- Regional Forum and Training Workshop on Telecommunication/ICT Indicators (Bangkok, October 2014)
- National Digital Conference and FutureGov Summit (Malaysia, October 2014)
- Seoul ODA International Conference on Good Governance and Effective Institutions (Seoul, Sep. 2014)
- Korea-France Forum (Seoul, October 2014)

## Close Collaboration with Headquarters

- Engaged in substantive research activities including data and information sharing, e.g. access to E-Government Country Profile, which helps UNPOG enhance research capacity and better identify the needs of Member States.



# Future Work

1. Engaged in preparing for 2016 UN E-Gov. Survey including participation in EGM and Regional Consultation Meeting
2. Cooperation with UNOSD and UNISDR on E-Government and Disaster Risk Reduction for Sustainable Development;
3. Regional E-Government Forum in A-P Region (in collaboration with ITU and ADB)
4. Training Programme for SIDS (in cooperation with NIA)
5. Institutionalized Cooperation with WeGO: co-organizing special session during Jeju Forum
  - *Publish best practices on e-governance of cities and local governments*
  - *Provide expertise in e-governance and conduct joint projects*
6. Cooperation with ASEAN (Korean-ASEAN Cooperation Fund) on E-Procurement
7. Advisory services for selected Asian developing countries





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