

# **National Workshop on EFFECTIVE GOVERNANCE FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT IN MONGOLIA**

## **Agenda**

**7-13 June 2023**

08:00 – 16:00 | Mongolia (GMT+ 7)

10:00 – 18:00 | Seoul (GMT+ 9)

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Venue: National Academy of Governance, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia

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# Workshop Agenda

Wednesday 07 June - Training of Trainers on Effective National to Local Governance for SDG Implementation (For NAOG Trainers)	
Time	Agenda
The TOT Workshop on “Effective National to Local Public Governance for SDG Implementation aims to strengthen public institutions to facilitate more coherent implementation of SDGs while supporting greater integrated public governance, including through planning, policymaking and finance practices, between national and local authorities.	
07:45-08:00	<b>Good Morning</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check-in</li> <li>• Guest speakers log on to the Zoom meeting room by 15 minutes before the start of the Workshop for final connection check.</li> </ul>
08:00-08:30	<b>Facilitator: Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b> , Programme Management Expert, UN Project Office on Governance, UNPOG/DPIDG/ UN DESA  <b>Curriculum on Governance for the SDGs</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Ana Cristina Thorlund</b>, Governance and Public Administration Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> <li>• <b>Video on Curriculum on Governance for the SDGs</b></li> </ul>
08:30-09:00	<b>Introduction of Toolkit on Effective National to Local Governance for SDG Implementation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>
09:00-10:00	<b>Activity on Governance Self-Assessment</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>
10:00-10:20: Health Break	
10:20-11:00	<b>Vertical Integration for SDG Implementation using Cross-cutting analysis</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>
11:00-12:00	<b>Activity on Strategic/Cross-cutting Vertical Integration Response</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>
12:00-13:30: Lunch Break	
13:30-15:00	<b>Strengthening Stakeholder Engagement for the SDGs &amp; Activity on Setting up a Stakeholder Engagement Plan</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>
15:00-15:20: Health Break	
15:20-16:30	<b>Governance and Coordination for SDG Financing at the Local Level</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>
16:30-17:00	<b>Wrap-up &amp; Reflection</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>

Thursday 08 June - Setting the Scene & Institutional Arrangements and Governance Capacities for Policy Coherence	
Time	Agenda
<p>On Day 2, participants will gain an understanding of the Principles of Effective Governance, Mongolia's vision to achieve the SDGs and learn to develop the governance capacities and institutional arrangements for policy coherence.</p> <p><b>Objectives:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increase awareness and understanding of Principles of Effective Governance, Mongolia Vision 2050, and UNSDCF 2023-2027.</li> <li>• Understand the relevance of policy coherence and how the core dimensions of policy coherence and coordination are intrinsically linked to the implementation of multisector public policy challenges.</li> <li>• Recognize systems thinking as a framework of thought, and its importance when dealing with complexity.</li> <li>• Conduct an institutional needs' assessment to identify the key gaps that would require strengthening to enhance institutional coherence at the national level.</li> </ul>	
07:45-08:00	<p><b>Good Morning</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check-in</li> <li>• Guest speakers log on to the Zoom meeting room by 15 minutes before the start of the Workshop for final connection check.</li> </ul>
08:00-08:30	<p><b>Facilitator: Ms. Ana Thorlund</b>, Governance and Public Administration Expert, UN Project Office on Governance, UNPOG/DPIDG/ UN DESA</p> <p><b>Opening Sessions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Dr. Surenchimeg Dulamsuren</b>, Rector, National Academy of Governance (NAOG), Government of Mongolia (5 mins)</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Tapan Mishra</b>, Resident Coordinator, United Nations, Mongolia (5 mins)</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Juwang Zhu</b>, Director, Division for Public Institutions and Digital Government (DPIDG), United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN DESA) (5 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>Photo Session</b> (Online and Offline)</p>
08:30-09:10	<p><b>Setting the Scene: Workshop Introduction</b></p> <p><b>Introduction of Speakers and Participants; Programme Overview; Icebreaker Activity by UNPOG</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA (20 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>Curriculum on Governance for the SDGs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Veronique Edith D Verbruggen</b>, Senior Inter-Regional Advisor, DPIDG/UN DESA (15 mins)</li> <li>• Video on Curriculum on Governance for the SDGs (5 mins)</li> </ul>
09:10-10:00	<p><b>Sustainable Development Goals in Mongolia</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Mr. Samuel Danaa</b>, Associate Capacity Development Expert, UN Project Office on Governance, DPIDG/UN DESA</p> <p><b>Asia and the Pacific SDG Progress</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Dayyan Shayani</b>, Statistician, Statistics Division, ESCAP (10 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>Mongolia's vision to achieve the SDGs</b></p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mungunsukh Batchuluun</b>, Director of the Social Development Policy Division, Ministry of Economy and Development (<i>10 mins</i>)</li> </ul> <p><b>United Nations Sustainable Development Cooperation Framework (2023-2027) Mongolia</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Doljinsuren Jambal</b>, Head of UN Resident Coordinator's Office (<i>10 mins</i>)</li> </ul> <p><b>Q&amp;A Discussion</b> (<i>20 mins</i>)</p>
<b>10:00-10:20: Health Break</b>	
<b>10:20-11:00</b>	<p><b>Why Functional Institutional Arrangements for Policy Coherence to implement the SDGs Matter?</b> (<i>40 mins</i>)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Veronique Edith D Verbruggen</b>, Senior Inter-Regional Advisor, DPIDG/UN DESA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➢ Introduction to policy coherence: <i>how the core dimensions of policy coherence and coordination are linked to the implementation of multisector public policy challenges such as the SDGs</i></li> <li>➢ Video on Policy Coherence</li> <li>➢ Steps to take towards a joint Action Plan for Coherent and effective national to local governance for SDG Implementation</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>11:00-12:30</b>	<p><b>Readiness assessment of institutional arrangements for policy coherence and UNEP integrated indicator framework for policy coherence</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Veronique Edith D Verbruggen</b>, Senior Inter-Regional Advisor, DPIDG/UN DESA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➢ UNEP Indicator 17.14.1 on policy coherence</li> <li>➢ Readiness assessment on institutional arrangements for policy coherence towards sustainable development</li> <li>➢ Breakout session to fill out building block 1 on political commitment</li> <li>➢ Feedback and discussion re. the institutional system in place, structures and decision-making realities and how they shape the starting point to move towards policy coherence</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>12:30-13:30: Lunch Break</b>	
<b>13:30-15:00</b>	<p><b>Systems Thinking and Policy Coherence</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Veronique Edith D Verbruggen</b>, Senior Inter-Regional Advisor, DPIDG/UN DESA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➢ Systems Thinking to leverage Policy coherence</li> <li>➢ Presentation on the basics of systems thinking and approaches</li> <li>➢ Presentation by <b>Ms. Aneta Nikolova</b>, Environmental Affairs Officer, UN ESCAP</li> <li>➢ Presentation by <b>Ms. Aida Karazhanova</b>, Economic Affairs Officer, UN ESCAP</li> <li>➢ Lessons learned on the extent to which the above approach could be expanded to the broader SDG framework? Discussion and Q&amp;A</li> <li>➢ Breakout session: Readiness assessment Building Block 3 on Systems Thinking and Policy Linkages</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>15:00-15:15: Health Break</b>	
<b>15:15-16:55</b>	<p><b>Coherent Planning for SDG Implementation: Inter-ministerial Collaboration for national development planning and priority setting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Veronique Edith D Verbruggen</b>, Senior Inter-Regional Advisor, DPIDG/UN DESA</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Mungunsukh Batchuluun</b>, Director of the Social Development Policy Division, Ministry of Economy and Development (MED) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➢ National development planning process &amp; inter-ministerial collaboration &amp; priority setting: presentation of a qualitative approach of systems thinking</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Breakout session: Readiness assessment building block 4 on Organizational Processes for Inter-ministerial collaboration</li> <li>➤ Feedback session to discuss building block 4 with the MED in terms of state of play and challenges</li> <li>➤ Take away points and actions to take forward re inter-ministerial collaboration</li> </ul>
<b>16:55-17:00</b>	<p><i>Wrap-up &amp; Reflection</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Ana Thorlund</b>, Governance and Public Administration Expert, UN Project Office on Governance, UNPOG/DPIDG/ UN DESA</li> </ul>

<b>Friday 09 June - Effective National to Local Governance for SDG Implementation</b>	
<b>Time</b>	<b>Agenda</b>
<p>On Day 3, participants will discuss often-expressed challenges of strengthening national to local government coordination and institutional effectiveness for the SDGs and break these barriers for more effective achievement of the SDGs and highlight the role of local government.</p> <p><b>Objectives:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn how to achieve policy coherence across levels of governance.</li> <li>• Understand data governance in support of policy coherence.</li> <li>• Learn to align efforts to accelerate SDG implementation across national, provincial and city government levels – vertical integration.</li> </ul>	
<b>07:45-08:00</b>	<p><b>Good Morning</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check-in</li> <li>• Guest speakers log on to the Zoom meeting room by 15 minutes before the start of the Workshop for final connection check.</li> </ul>
<b>08:00-09:00</b>	<p><b>Policy Coherence and Multi-level Governance: From Local to National to International</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Veronique Edith D Verbruggen</b>, Senior Inter-Regional Advisor, DPIDG/UN DESA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Background and Tools for Vertical Integration</li> <li>➤ Good practice case</li> <li>➤ Breakout session: Readiness assessment building block 7</li> <li>➤ Feedback and discussion</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>09:00-10:00</b>	<p><b>Data Governance and Data Management</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Veronique Edith D Verbruggen</b>, Senior Inter-Regional Advisor, DPIDG/UN DESA</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Wai Min Kwok</b>, Senior Governance and Public Administration Officer, DPIDG/UN DESA</li> <li>• <b>Ms. Aida Karazhanova</b>, Economic Affairs Officer, UN ESCAP</li> <li>• <b>Ms. Narantuya Judger</b> Associate Professor, Department of Public Administration, NAOG</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Ariunbold Shagdar</b>, Director General, Census and Data Analysis Department, National Statistics Office</li> <li>• Data management to support evidence-based policymaking</li> <li>• Science-policy interface</li> <li>• Good practice cases</li> <li>• Breakout session: Readiness assessment building block 6</li> <li>• Feedback discussion &amp; comments from National Statistics Office on data management</li> <li>• Key learning points and actions to consider on data management and multi-level governance to include in the action plan.</li> </ul>

10:00-10:20: Health Break	
10:20-11:05	<p><b>Accelerating SDG Implementation at the Local Level</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Ms. Ana Thorlund</b>, Governance and Public Administration Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</p> <p><b>Mainstreaming SDGs into Local and Regional Development Planning: Trends and Emerging issues</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Dr. Bernadia Irawati Tjandradewi</b>, Secretary General, United Cities and Local Governments Asia Pacific (UCLG ASPAC) (10 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>Strengthening Local and National Coordination for the SDGs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Ms. Carol Pollack</b>, Inter-Regional Adviser, Division for Sustainable Development Goals, UN DESA (10 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>SDG Localization into Mongolia Context Progress, Challenges and Opportunities</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Ms. Munkhtseren Sh.</b>, Head of Department of Sectoral Policy coordination, Cabinet Secretariat of Government of Mongolia (10 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>Q&amp;A Discussion (15 mins)</b></p>
11:05-12:00	<p><b>Effective National to Local Governance for SDG Implementation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> <li><b>Video on Toolkit</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Activity on Governance Self-Assessment</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>
12:00-13:20: Lunch Break	
13:20-14:05	<p><b>Multi-level Governance for SDG Localization</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Mr. Samuel Danaa</b>, Associate Capacity Development Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</p> <p><b>Principles of Effective Governance for Sustainable Development and its Importance for SDG Implementation at the Local level</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Ms. Veronique Edith D Verbruggen</b>, Senior Inter-Regional Advisor, DPIDG/UN DESA (10 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>Multi-level Governance and Subnational Finance in Asia and the Pacific</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Mr. Courtenay Wheeler</b>, Policy Analyst, Centre for Entrepreneurship, SMEs, Regions and Cities, OECD (10 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>Korea's COVID-19 Response Framework and Practices</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Mr. Jae Heum Kim</b>, Director General, National Civil Defense and Disaster Management Training Institute, Republic of Korea (10 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>Q&amp;A Discussion (15 mins)</b></p>
14:05-15:00	<p><b>Activity on Vertical Integration for SDG Implementation using Cross-cutting Analysis (55 mins)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>
15:00-15:20: Health Break	
15:20-16:30	<p><b>Activity on Strategic/Cross-cutting Vertical Integration Response (70 mins)</b></p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>
<b>16:30-17:00</b>	<p><i>Wrap-up &amp; Reflection</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Samuel Danaa</b>, Associate Capacity Development Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>

<b>Monday 12 June - Effective National to Local Governance for SDG Implementation</b>	
<b>Time</b>	<b>Agenda</b>
<p>On Day 4, participants will discuss setting up the stakeholder plan, learn governance and coordination mechanisms and key issues related to transparency, accountability and ethics in public institutions.</p> <p><b>Objectives:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn to frame the strategic purpose of consultations; set up a process to identify stakeholders to be consulted; means; techniques and methods for consultation and how the consultation process will be documented.</li> <li>• Learn to enhance coherence of existing governance arrangements for financing SDG implementation and close gaps where needed.</li> <li>• Strengthen public institutions by promoting transparency, accountability, and ethics for implementing the SDGs.</li> </ul>	
<b>07:45-08:00</b>	<p><b>Good Morning</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check-in</li> <li>• Guest speakers log on to the Zoom meeting room by 15 minutes before the start of the Workshop for final connection check.</li> </ul>
<b>08:00-08:50</b>	<p><b>Effective Stakeholder Engagement for the 2030 Agenda</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Mr. Samuel Danaa</b>, Associate Capacity Development Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</p> <p><b>Multi-stakeholder Partnerships to Implement the 2030 Agenda in Asia and the Pacific</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Ganbold Baasanjav</b>, Head, UN ESCAP East and North-East Asia Office (<i>10 mins</i>)</li> </ul> <p><b>Strengthening Stakeholder Engagement for Accelerating the SDG Implementation in Mongolia</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Sangwon Lim</b>, Development Coordination Officer – Economist, UN Resident Coordinator’s Office (<i>10 mins</i>)</li> </ul> <p><b>Stakeholder Engagement for SDG Implementation in the Philippines</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Rosemarie G. Edillon</b>, Undersecretary, National Economic and Development Authority, Philippines (<i>10 mins</i>)</li> </ul> <p><b>Q&amp;A Discussion</b> (<i>20 mins</i>)</p>
<b>08:50-10:00</b>	<p><b>Activity on Setting up a Stakeholder Engagement Plan</b> (<i>70 mins</i>)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>
<b>10:00-10:20: Health Break</b>	
<b>10:20-11:10</b>	<p><b>Financing for SDG Localization</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Ms. Ana Thorlund</b>, Governance and Public Administration Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</p> <p><b>Financing Mechanisms for SDG Localization in Mongolia</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Delgermaa Begz</b>, UNDP Mongolia SDG Finance Expert (<i>15 mins</i>)</li> </ul>

	<p><b>Governance and Coordination for SDG Financing at the Local Level</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA (15 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>Q&amp;A Discussion</b> (20 mins)</p>
11:10-12:00	<p><b>Transparency, Accountability and Ethics in Public Institutions to Achieve the SDGs</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Mr. Samuel Danaa</b>, Associate Capacity Development Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA (3 mins)</p> <p><b>The Essentials of Ethics and Public Integrity</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Ana Thorlund</b>, Governance and Public Administration Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA (7 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>Strengthen Anti-Corruption Policies Legislation and Strategies</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Annika Wythes</b>, Anti-Corruption Adviser, UNODC Southeast Asia and the Pacific (10 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>National Anti-Corruption Strategy and the Role of Ethics in the Fight against Corruption</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Dorjsuren Dulamsuren</b>, Head of the office for the Implementation of the National Anti-Corruption Strategy, Commissioner in Charge (10 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>Q&amp;A Discussion</b> (20 mins)</p>
12:00-13:30: Lunch Break	
13:30-15:00	<p><b>Approaches and Tools for Accountable, Ethical, Transparent, and Inclusive Societies</b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Ms. Ana Thorlund</b>, Governance and Public Administration Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</p> <p><b>Good Practices and Tools for Accountable, Ethical, Transparent and Inclusive Societies</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Christinanna Pangalos</b>, Learning Portfolio Manager, United Nations System Staff College (10 mins)</li> </ul> <p><b>Group Activity: Promoting Transparency, Accountability and Ethical Behaviour in Public Institutions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants and facilitators (60 mins)</li> <li>• Report back (20 mins)</li> </ul>
15:00-15:20: Health Break	
15:20-16:30	<p><b>Developing an Action Plan for Accelerating Change</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Ana Thorlund</b>, Governance and Public Administration Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul> <p><b>Group Activity:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants and facilitators (50 mins)</li> <li>• Report back (20 mins)</li> </ul>
16:30-17:00	<p><b>Wrap-up &amp; Reflection</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Ana Thorlund</b>, Governance and Public Administration Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul> <p><b>Workshop Evaluation</b></p>



Tuesday 13 June - National Workshop for Media Officials on Risk-informed Communication for Reporting on Emergencies and Disaster Risk Reduction	
Time	Agenda
<p>On Day 5, participants will discuss and share insights on the concepts and strategies of promoting risk-informed communication, prevention, preparedness, and mitigation against disasters.</p> <p><b>Objectives:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Strengthen the capacities of media officials to promote risk-informed communication for reporting on emergencies and disaster risk reduction.</li> <li>Develop an action plan for follow-up</li> </ul>	
08:30-09:00	<p><b>Good Morning</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check-in</li> <li>Guest speakers log on to the Zoom meeting room 15 minutes before the start of the Workshop for a final connection check.</li> </ul>
09:00-09:20	<p><b>Moderator: Ms. Ana Cristina Thorlund</b>, Governance and Public Administration Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</p> <p><b>Opening Remarks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Ms. Sodontogos Erdenetsogt</b>, Director General, MONTSAME – Mongolian National News Agency</li> <li><b>Mr. U. Zolbayar</b>, Spokesperson and Head of the Media Department of the Office of the President, Mongolia</li> <li><b>Mr. Kyu Chang Ko</b>, Head of Office, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> <li><b>Photo Session</b></li> </ul>
09:20-10:00	<p><b>Moderator: Mr. Samuel Danaa</b>, Associate Capacity Development Expert, UN Project Office on Governance, DPIDG/UN DESA</p> <p><b>Setting the Scene</b></p> <p><b>Workshop Introduction</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participants; Programme Overview; Icebreaker Exercise by UNPOG</li> </ul> <p><b>Introducing</b></p> <p><b>Curriculum on Governance for the SDGs and the DRR Toolkit: Focus on accelerating Progress on the SDGs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Mr. Samuel Danaa</b>, Associate Capacity Development Expert, UN Project Office on Governance, DPIDG/UN DESA</li> <li><i>Video on the Curriculum on Governance for the SDGs and DRR Toolkit</i></li> </ul> <p><b>Key concept on DRR and Resilience</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Mr. Sanjaya Bhatia</b>, Head of Office, UN Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNDRR ONEA &amp; GETI)</li> </ul>
10:00-10:20: Health Break	
10:20-11:20	<p><b>Moderator: Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</p> <p><b>The Media Environment and Historical Setting in Mongolia</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Ms. Sodontogos Erdenetsogt</b>, Director General, MONTSAME – Mongolian National News Agency</li> </ul> <p><b>Risk-informed Communication: Strategies, challenges, and policy measures for managing multi-faceted crises, DRR, and climate action.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Mr. Samuel Danaa</b>, Associate Capacity Development Expert, UN Project Office on Governance, DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>

	<b>Q&amp;A and Discussion</b>
<b>11:20-12:00</b>	<p><b>Strengthening evidence-based policymaking and disaster risk management systems for Disaster Risk Reduction in achieving the SDGs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Colonel Demberelnyam Baasansuren</b>, Director of Disaster Risk Management Department, National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA), Mongolia.</li> </ul> <p><b>Q&amp;A and Discussion</b></p>
<b>12:00-13:30: Lunch Break</b>	
<b>13:30-14:00</b>	<p><b>Moderator: Mr. Samuel Danaa</b>, Associate Capacity Development Expert, UN Project Office on Governance, DPIDG/UN DESA</p> <p><b>The Role of Media in Nation Building and Early Warnings and Climate Action</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Natalia Ilieva</b>, Asia-Pacific Broadcasting Union (ABU) Secretary – General Strategic Advisor, Global Project Manager of WBU/UNDRR Media Saving Lives Initiative.</li> </ul> <p><b>Q&amp;A and Discussion</b></p>
<b>14:00-14:20</b>	<p><b>Group Activity Session and Simulation Exercises on Reporting on Crises and DRR: Focus on earthquakes, fire outbreaks, floods etc</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Samuel Danaa</b>, Associate Capacity Development Expert, UN Project Office on Governance, DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>
<b>14:20-15:00</b>	<p><b>Group Activity on developing Action Plans for follow-up.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Samuel Danaa</b>, Associate Capacity Development Expert, UN Project Office on Governance, DPIDG/UN DESA</li> </ul>
<b>15:00-15:20: Health Break</b>	
<b>15:20-16:00</b>	<p><b>Moderator: Mr. Prabin Maharjan</b>, Programme Management Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</p> <p><b>Leveraging on Information and Communication Technology (ICT) and Frontier Technologies for Risk Informed Reporting on Crisis and Disasters: Science-based approach in Managing the COVID-19 Pandemic</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Dr. Maria Regina Estuar</b>, Director, Ateneo Center for Computing Competency and Research (ACCCRe) and Full Professor at the Ateneo de Manila University's (ADMU) School of Science and Engineering, The Philippines</li> </ul> <p><b>Experiences and Lessons Learned from the Strategies and Challenges on Reporting on Crises and DRR to accelerate progress on the SDGs.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Thomas Naadi Bitlegma</b>, Senior Reporter, British Broadcasting Corporation (BBC), West Africa Correspondent, Ghana</li> </ul> <p><b>Q&amp;A and Discussion</b></p> <p><b>Wrap-up and closing</b></p>
<b>16:00-16:30</b>	<p><b>Moderator: Ms. Ana Cristina Thorlund</b>, Governance and Public Administration Expert, UNPOG/DPIDG/UN DESA</p> <p><b>Way Forward and Replication of the Workshop</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>NAOG &amp; MONTSAME</i></li> <li>• <i>Reflection from the participants</i></li> </ul>

<p><b>16:30-17:00</b></p>	<p><i>Closing Session</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Kyu Chang Ko</b>, Head of Office, UN Project Office on Governance/DPIDG/UN DESA</li> <li>• <b>Dr. Surenchimeg Dulamsuren</b>, Rector, National Academy of Governance (NAOG), Government of Mongolia</li> <li>• <b>Ms. Sodontogos Erdenetsogt</b>, Director General, MONTSAME – Mongolian National News Agency</li> <li>• <b>Workshop Evaluation</b></li> </ul>
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