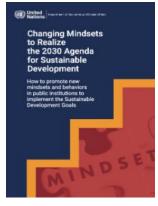
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Report on Changing Mindsets to Realize the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

This publication is inten-ded as a companion docu-ment to the Curriculum on Governance for the Sustainable Development Goals and its Toolkit on Changing Mindsets in Public Institutions to Implement the 2030 Agenda for Sustai-nable Development, deve-loped by UN DESA/ DPIDG. It aims to support countries in building



their capacities to realize 2030 Agenda. It does so by providing key recommendations on how to promote public servants' mindsets, competencies, and behaviors to foster effectiveness, accountability, and inclusiveness in the public sector. For more information, click on https://unpan.un.org/node/1476 or click directly on the Report and Toolkit.



A 2022 briefing session of the UN Public Service Awards (UNPSA) was held virtually on 14 October 2021 to provide an overview of the programme and share past winners' insight on the impact of the Award and how it has helped to promote innovation in their local and national governments. For more information, click on https://unpan.un.org/node/1485



The Inter-ministerial Technical Workshop on Implementing the One-Door-Service Centers (ODSCs) in Lao People's Democratic Republic (PDR) was organized by the Ministry of Home Affairs (MOHA), Lao PDR, in partnership with UN DESA through DPIDG and UNPOG, the Resident Coordinators Office (RCO) and UNDP in Lao PDR on 27-28 October 2021. For more information click on https://unpan.un.org/node/1530







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In 2019 APRM together with UN DESA, UNECA and AUDA-NEPAD organized a Regional Workshop on Effective Governance for Sustainable Development: Putting Principles into Practice in Pretoria, South Africa (30 October to 1 November 2019). The workshop supported countries in their efforts to foster coherence by encouraging alignment of institution-building efforts related to the 2030 Agenda with the objectives of Agenda 2063. UN DESA and APRM organized a follow-up three-day workshop on Accelerating the Implementation of the 2030 Agenda and AU Agenda 2063 in Africa: Building Resilient Institutions for the SDGs in the time of COVID-19. For more information, click on https://unpan.un.org/node/1488



Launch of the Curriculum on Governance for the Sustainable Development Goals. The Curriculum, developed by UN DESA/DPIDG, is a comprehensive set of Training of Trainers Capacity Development Toolkits, which contain ready-to-use and customizable training material on key governance dimensions needed to advance the implementation of the SDGs. The Curriculum can be accessed hereal/beauty-to-uses/



UN DESA / DPIDG, through its Project Office on Governance (UNPOG), and in collaboration with the Ministry of the Interior and Safety (MOIS) of the Government of the Republic of Korea, organized the **5th Regional Symposium on Effective Public Governance and Digital Transformation for Building Back Better** on 16 - 18 November 2021. For more information, click on https://unpan.un.org/node/1521



A series of virtual capacity development training workshops on **How to Promote Resilience and**

Recovery from the COVID-19 Pandemic in Africa Through Sound Policymaking were organized by UN DESA in collaboration with the APRM and the support of Resident Coordinators Offices. The workshops took place respectively on 16 November 2021 (with a focus on Risk Management), 8 December 2021 (with a focus on Strategic Planning & Foresight) and 17 January 2022 (with a focus on Policy Coherence). For more information, click on each webinar: 16 Nov., 8 Dec. and 17 Jan.



Inter-ministerial Technical Workshop on Implementing the One-Door-Service Centers (ODSCs) in Lao People's Democratic Republic (PDR)

UN DESA/DPIDG and the Ministry of Home Affairs (MOHA), Lao People's Democratic Republic, in collaboration with the Resident Coordinator Office in Lao PDR and UNDP, organized on 22 November 2021 a virtual Inter-Ministerial Policy Workshop on One-Door-Service Centers (ODCSs). This was a follow-up to the Inter-Ministerial Technical Workshop, which was attended by senior officials from 18 ministries, including the Prime Minister's Office, and was held on 28 October 2021. For more information, click on https://unpan.un.org/node/1544

The 2020-2021 Report of Capacity Development Workshops and Pilot Testing of the Curriculum on Governance for the Sustainable Development Goals

(SDGs) Toolkits was prepared by the UN DESA / DPIDG and UNPOG. The Report contains key infor-mation about the 36 webi-nars conducted in 2020-2021 to pilot test the toolkits. Curriculum's The Curriculum on Governance for the SDGs is a comprehensive set of Training of Trainers Capacity Development Toolkits



deve-loped by UN DESA/DPIDG. For more information, click on https://unpan.un.org/node/1550 or click directly on the report.



UN DESA/DPIDG in collaboration with UN ESCWA and ARADO organized a **capacity development webinar to** launch the Curriculum on Governance for the Sustainable Development Goals in the Arab region. The webinar aimed to raise awareness of methodologies and approaches to strengthen effective governance and public institutions in the Arab region. The webinar also aimed at generating interest in mainstreaming the Curriculum in the trainings of the Schools of Public Administration in the different countries of the Arab region. For more information, click https://unpan.un.org/node/1553



2022 UNPSA Call for Nominations

The United Nations called for nominations for the 2022 United Nations Public Service Awards (UNPSA). The UNPSA promotes and rewards innovation and excellence in public services in support of the realization of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and the principle of leaving no one behind. For more information, click on https://unpan.un.org/node/1482



A virtual capacity development training workshop on how to promote resilience and recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic in Africa through sound

policymaking, was organized by UN DESA in collaboration with APRM and with the support of Resident Coordinators Offices. This workshop aimed at developing the capacities of national governments to promote sound policymaking, with a particular focus on **strategic planning and foresight**. It was held virtually on 8 December 2021. For more information, click on https://unpan.un.org/node/1566



The UNPSA Ceremony 2021 was organized by UN DESA/DPIDG and hosted by the Government of the United Arab Emirates. The winning initiatives from the 2020 and 20201 editions of the UN Public Service Awards (UNPSA) programme, which highlights excellence in Public Service Delivery to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), were recognized. The Awards Ceremony was held in Dubai, the United Arab Emirates, on 13 December 2021. For more information, click on https://unpan.un.org/node/1569

UNPAN Members' Activities



The 4th Western Balkan (WB6) Digital Summit was organized from 11 to 13 October 2021 in hybrid platform, in Podgorica, Montenegro. The WB6 Digital Summit 2021 aimed at showcasing good practices in the Western Balkans, highlighting the achievements and

outcomes of the Digital Agenda and exploring possibilities of building partnerships with the private sector, in the context of the digital transformation process. For more information, click on https://un-pan.un.org/node/1476



The African Association for Public Administration and Management (AAPAM) held a training programme on **Leadership, Public Service for National development: A Continental Approach** from 15 to 19 November 2021 at the Kenya School of Government, Mombasa Campus. For more information, click on https://aapam.org



The XXVI International Congress of CLAD on the Reform of the State and Public Administration, cataloged as the most important annual event in Ibero-America, at the level of State Reform and Public Administration, was held from 23 to 26 November 2021 in Colombia.

