



Dr Diane Dumashie, FRICS FIG President

**Council Work Plan 2023- 2026
Serving Society;
Benefitting People and the Planet**

Tackling the Global Challenges

**FIG Working Week, Orlando, USA
29th May 2023**



1. FIG: Serving People and Planet

2030 AGENDA



FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

It is all about People!

- **The 2030 Agenda:** agreed and united global policy to transform the social, economic and environmental **dimensions of humanity and our planet**

FIG Work Plan agenda 2023- 2026:

- The need for a sustainable profession that
 - delivers sustainable services
 - addresses the global sustainability 2030 agenda,
 - including acting now to address the Climate agenda

Overview

1. Context for our mandate

2. Opportunity

3. Shaping the Future

4. Workplan Aims

5. Final Word



Overview

1. Context for our mandate

2. Opportunity

3. Shaping the Future

4. Workplan Aims

5. Final Word



1. This Decade: Act on the Trends

The SDGs were the crowning global achievement of 2015 (and 2030 is close);

Land professionals act
Globally; but deal in Local realities.

Are we still relevant?

Are we fit for the future?

If you want to understand the future, you need to start with the challenging five forces that are shaping our world.....

'Tackling the Global Challenges'

The Future is here....

1. Climate action
 2. Technology and digital revolution
 3. Globalisation and communication
- + (Settlements and (Rapid) urbanisation)

Society's needs (and benefits):

4. Transformational **societal** changes and expectations
5. Profound changes in longevity and **demography**

LYNDA GRATTON
THE SH/FT
The future
of work is
already
here

Have you made the crucial shifts for success?

Prof Gratton:
www.lyndagrattton.com

Global Trendsand a series of Crisis

- Faced with this magnitude of these changes,
 - How do we make sense of them? and
 - Are we able to do the very best we can over the coming decades?

- Mind the Gap:

Requires a

Purposeful and evolutionary Shift

in How our profession operates, and

How we maintain our relevance in society

It is all about People!



www.pexels.com/ Eberhard Grossgasteiger

What does relevance look like?

We

- Are relevant to society for **Their** benefit
- **Bridge the gap** between high level strategy/ policy and actions on the ground
- Are recognised as a profession that is **trusted**, with high ethics and standards,

And

- Lead and contribute to sustainable development

Overview

1. Context for our mandate

2. Opportunity (Resolve)

3. Shaping the Future

4. Workplan Aims

5. Final Words



2. Opportunity....

John F. Kennedy



Oval Office portrait, 1963

“Beware of the Danger; but recognise the opportunity” JF Kennedy

- **Work plan rational** [Evolution not Revolution]
- **Eye on the ball:**
 - Maintaining our relevance
 - Contributing to sustainable development in all that we do,
 - and responding to climate change
- **FIG Purpose:** To ensure Members visibility and good standing in the eyes of the world and society...this is in our collective hands

Collective, Collaboration & Contribution

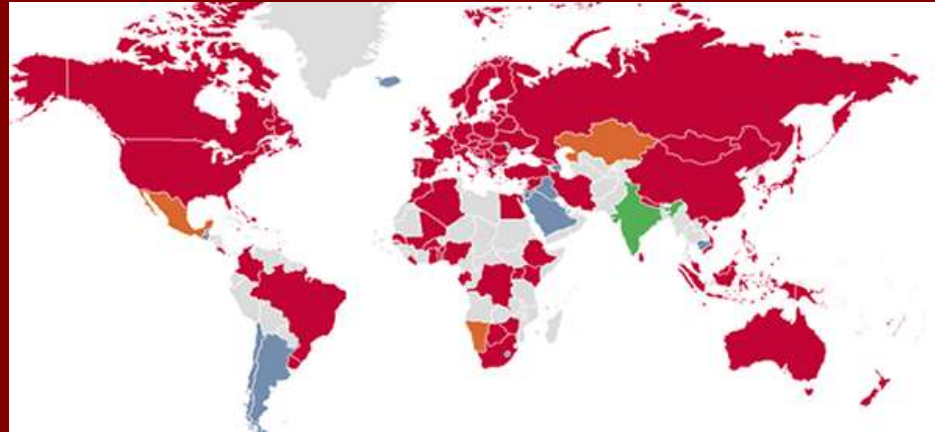


FIG Leadership:

- Clarity and collaboration- listening and action approach
- Purpose and reliability – a visible approach
- Action and Courage – working together to deliver

And, FIG Contribution:

- **Professional, Institutional & Global Development**
 - **Our work plan aims to deliver, and.....**

&..... Demonstrate our resolve



..... Step up to remain relevant

Vision:

- **Serving Society, benefitting people and the planet**

Theme:

- **Tackling the Global Challenges**
(Trends and crisis)

- How? Ambitious plan:

to Shape and to Action.....

Overview

1. Context for our mandate

2. Opportunity

3. Shaping the Future (How)

4. Workplan Aims

5. Final Word



3. The Future to Shape

UN Habitat Sustainable development Agenda 2030:

- People
- Partnership
- Peace
- Planet
- Prosperity

Drawing from these 5P's.....



How: The Future We want to shape

FIG 2030 Sustainability Agenda

Drawing from UN Habitat 5P Agenda this:

- Sustainability cuts across all that we do
- Provides a framework to guide our work plan

Our Vision to ‘serve’ supports,
“Leaving no one behind”

Articulates our Theme:

Tackling the Global Challenges



How: Depth of experience



Action:

Engagement, Collaboration, Activity and outputs, 'in our collective hands'

- Sustainability runs throughout our work plan
- Executed through the coordinated efforts of activities in
 - Council, Commission, Task Forces, Networks and our Permanent Institutions
 - Thanks to You & Your engagement!

Overview

1. Context for our mandate

2. Opportunity

3. Shaping the Future

4. Workplan Aim (Pillars)

5. Final Word



4. Work Plan Aims and Pillars



FIG Aims:

- Planet
 - People
 - Partnership
 - Governance and Communication
-
- Task Forces are our Pillars and focussed to unpack our Relevance & Societal benefit
 - FIG Commissions and FIG community working together achieves our Theme
- Above all,
- Sustainability runs throughout our work

Pillar i: Planet

Sustainability aim is making sure:

- We make the best use of land and marine resources, and
- Our cities and settlements are resilient and adaptive
- Play a more prominent role in the climate agenda



Planet: Task Force

TF: 2030 Agenda & SDG's

- **Chair: Paula Dijkstra**
- **Critical Question;** Build the Knowledge, Network and Practice (Kadaster 2023)



TF: Climate Compass:

- **Co Chairs: Roshni Sharma & Clarissa Augustinus**
- **Critical Question:** to change the conversation, deliver more impact; How we navigate the agenda to develop knowledge and bring about that change



Pillar ii: People

- Sustainability is about making sure we demonstrate Equity, Diversity & Inclusion, leaving no one behind in our profession.....
- And maintaining our societal relevance

Contribution professional and institutional development

- Supporting ACCO/ Encouraging Members
- Professional skills and standards



People and Profession: Task Force

TF: Role in Trends and Geospatial Information Ecosystems

Chair: Abbas Rajabfard

Critical Question: Improve our professional role in geospatial market: incl big data, IoT, AI,...

Aim to Demonstrate, Anticipate, Translate and Aggregate

TF: Evolutionary Diversity and inclusion in the Surveying Profession

- **Chair:** Stephen Djaba
- **Critical question:** Four generations in the work place, and the ascendance of Gen Y, Z and their work beliefs



Pillar iv: Partnerships

FIG Members Associations Corporates Academics Affiliates Correspondents Honorary Presidents Honorary Members Honorary Ambassadors



Sustainability is about making sure that both internal and external partnerships are working effectively and cultivating stronger engagement



Our relationships;

- Effective (All) member engagement
- Building mutual benefit with external partners, and
- Providing Institutional capacity development

FIG Working Weeks-

Build on Pillars

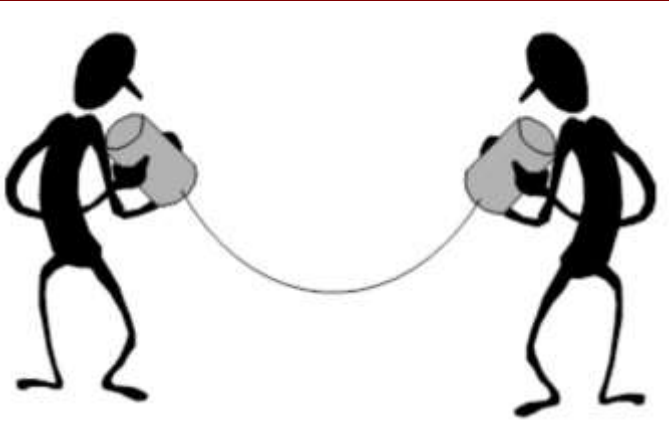
- **2023 Orlando – Sustainability & Climate**
 - Protecting our world Conquering New Frontiers
- **2024 Accra – Planet & Resources**
 - Building resilient environment
- **2025 Brisbane – Geospatial/ People**
 - Collaboration, Innovation and Resilience: Championing a Digital Generation

And.....,

- **Congress - 2026 Cape Town**



Pillar iv: Governance and Communication



Sustainability is about making sure that FIG is organizationally effective and efficient. And that we are responsive and agile to changing economic trends

Free image: Communication clip art
tumundografico - Clipartix

Council Working Groups:

- Review the FIG *knowledge Base and infrastructure* to determine our policy and develop a strategy
- Produce a publication to mark FIG *150th anniversary*

5. The Future We want to shape

Sustainable and holistic development

Aims:

- **People**
- **Planet**
- **Partnership**
- **Governance & Communication**

And, actively mindful of

- **Peace**
- **Prosperity**

**A Purposeful and Continuing Shift in how we operate
In our collective hands**



2023- 2026 Theme: Tackling the Global Challenges



- Faced with the magnitude of change in our World, on our Planet:
- - We can make sense of them
 - If we do the very best we can over the coming decades

Our professional relevance to society, is in our collective hands

Our Journey is far reaching!



Thank You

- www.fig.net
 - President
- FIG: Dr D Dumashie
- ddd@dumashie.co.uk

