

# GIM

INTERNATIONAL

# SUMMIT 2016

## OUTCOMES AND PRIORITIES

Sponsors and partners





# About

- 10-12 February 2016 Amsterdam
- Members of international geospatial community engaged with experts from other domains
- New concept: keynotes and workshops
- One declaration drawn up by delegates
- Looking 'from the outside in'
- Global Challenges
- Focus on Future Development

# Angle for Africa

- Conditions that apply or requirements to meet?
- More topics where geospatial information can make the difference than just land administration – also in Africa
- Summary & recommendations for UN-GGIM HLF 2016



# Required: facts and realism!

- Morten Jerven, author of *'Africa: Why Economists Get It Wrong'*: ...

'get your numbers right'

'geomatics help to validate and improve statistical data'

- Vanessa Watson, prof at Cape Town University in City Planning:

'get realism in your plans'

'from top-down to bottom-up'

'geo-information to back these plans'





# Land Administration

- Fit-for-purpose mindset
- Time, cost and quality constraints must drive data capture, design and implementation



# Food Security

- Access for actors to right location information at the right time
- Ability to visualise, monitor and adapt food strategies
- Usage cloud, crowd and apps



# Urban Environments

- Location information needs to guide plan-making
- Design and visualisation!
- Top-down to bottom-up



# Climate Change

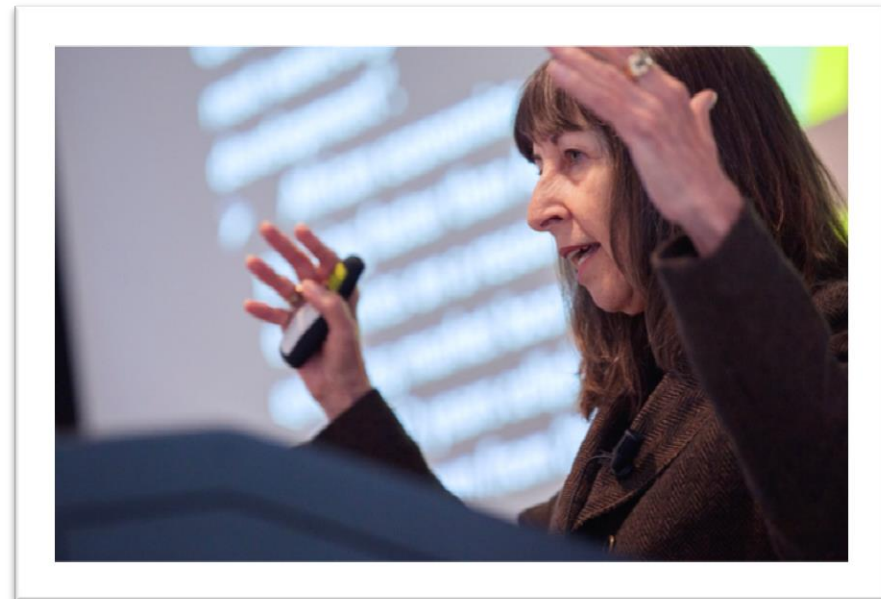
- Responding needs a geo-informed society
- Visualize, simplify and present reliable climate-based location and time information





# Migration

- Responding demands knowledge of the spatial element
- Social, economic and political drivers causing mass movement
- Insights in points of departure, arrival points and everything in between should be better integrated



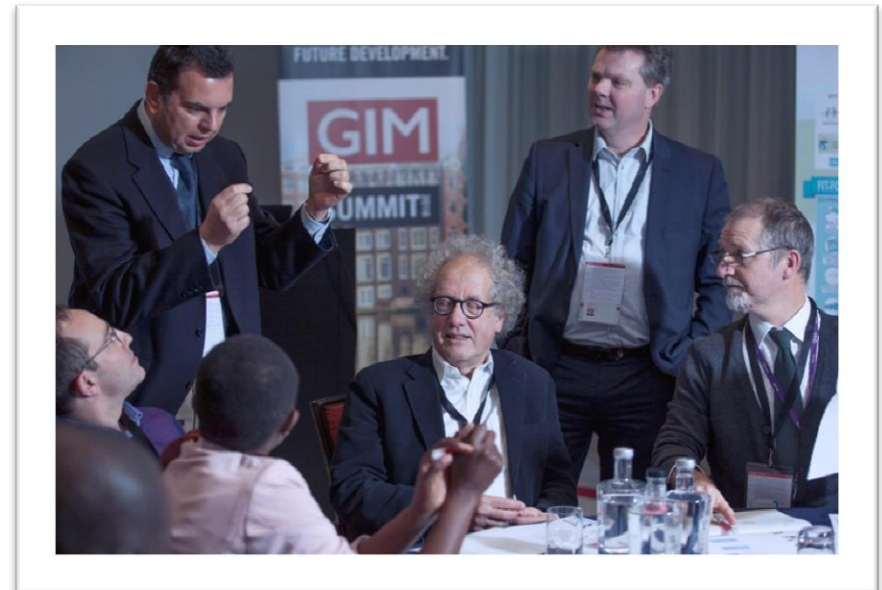
# Social Justice

- Local actors need to be equipped with location information about disputes, justice points and services
- Geospatial framework for land disputes
- Spatial component makes social justice evidence-based



# Recommendations for UN-GGIM HLF 2016

- Find a shared language and reach out proactively;
- Visualise and simplify to explain the value of location information ;
- Respond to user needs;
- Remember the people;
- Engage, listen and act!



# Thanks!

- Outcomes & Priorities Summary – see flyer
- Keynotes, presentations and more on [www.gim-international.com](http://www.gim-international.com)

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