



GLTN
GLOBAL LAND TOOL NETWORK

Partnerships and Innovation



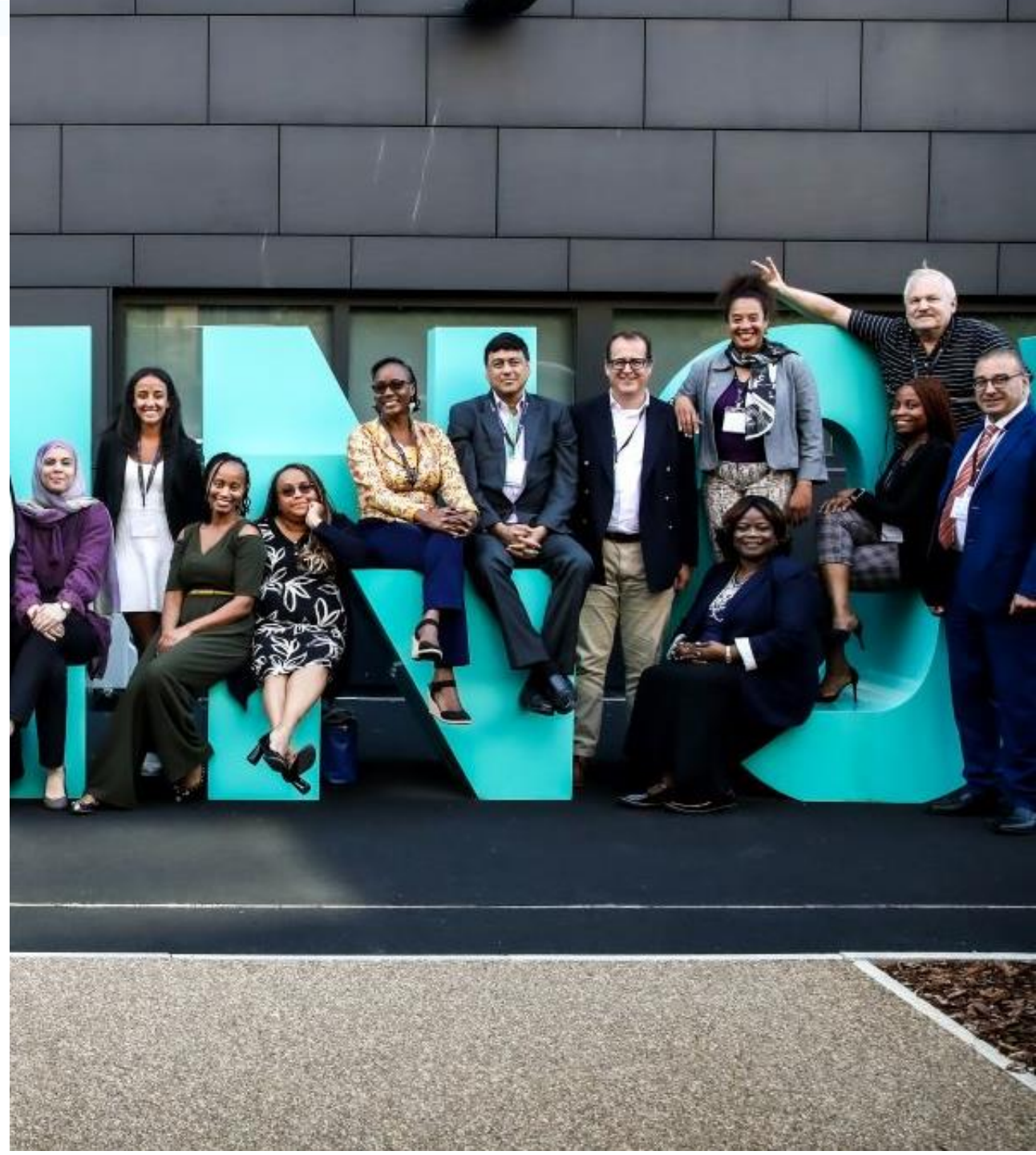
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WHAT IS GLTN?



The Global Land Tool Network (GLTN) is a **dynamic and multisectoral alliance** of international partners committed to increasing **access to land** and ensuring **secure tenure** for all.





PARTNERS AND MEMBERS

87

Implementing partners

4

clusters

2,000

individual registered members



FOUR CLUSTERS

1. International Professional Bodies
2. Training and Research
Institutions
3. Urban International Civil Societies
4. Rural International Civil Societies



Importance of partnerships when dealing with land issues



Land is Multifaceted, Multidisciplinary & Multisector.



Emerging global issues i.e. climate change, protracted conflicts.



Financial crisis and limited resources to support land reform.



SDGs' Principles



Reporting on land tenure security across the SDG's targets.

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WHAT DO WE DO?



What we do



We use an **inclusive approach in the development of our land tools**, which are practical, innovative methods to solve problems related to land tenure.



We develop, test, demonstrate and disseminate our land tools through **our Network**.



We **build knowledge** on land tenure and broader development outcomes.



We **develop capacity of land actors** to apply our innovative approaches.

GLTN INTERVENTIONS

Zambia

Uganda

Namibia

Democratic Republic of the Congo

Kenya

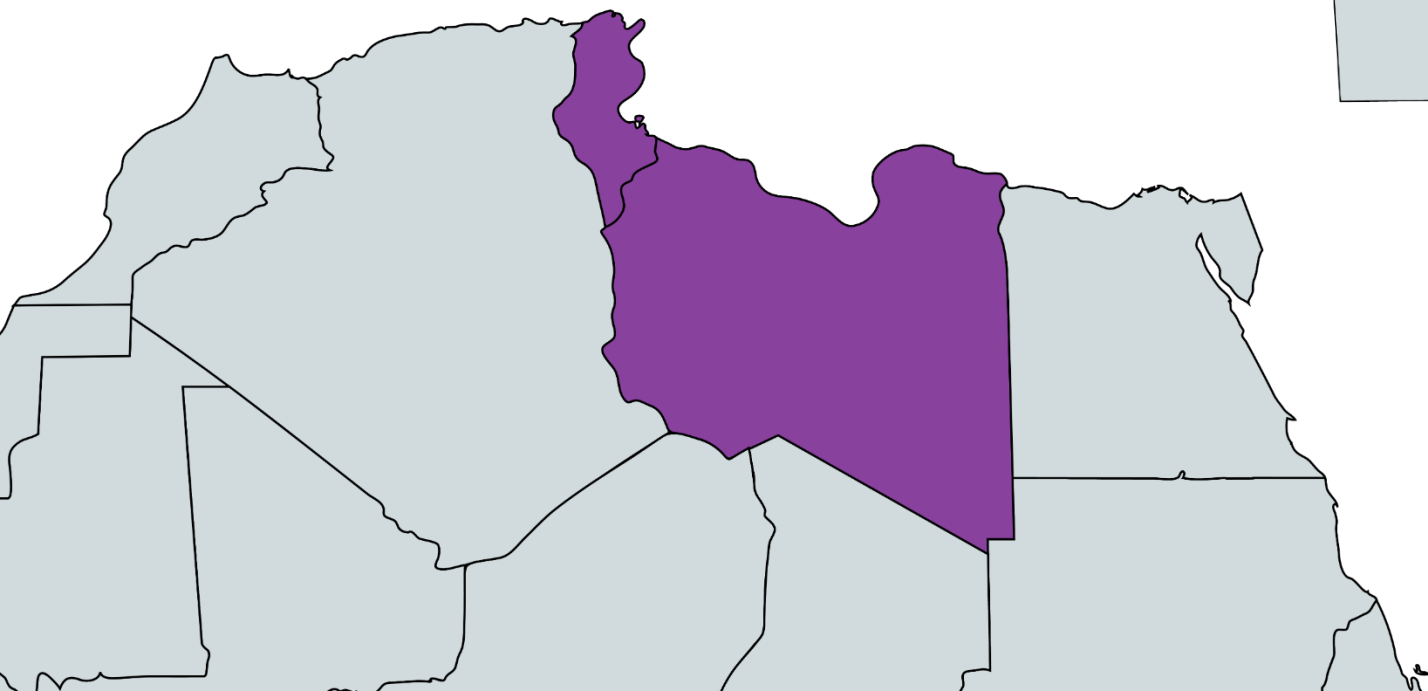
Sudan

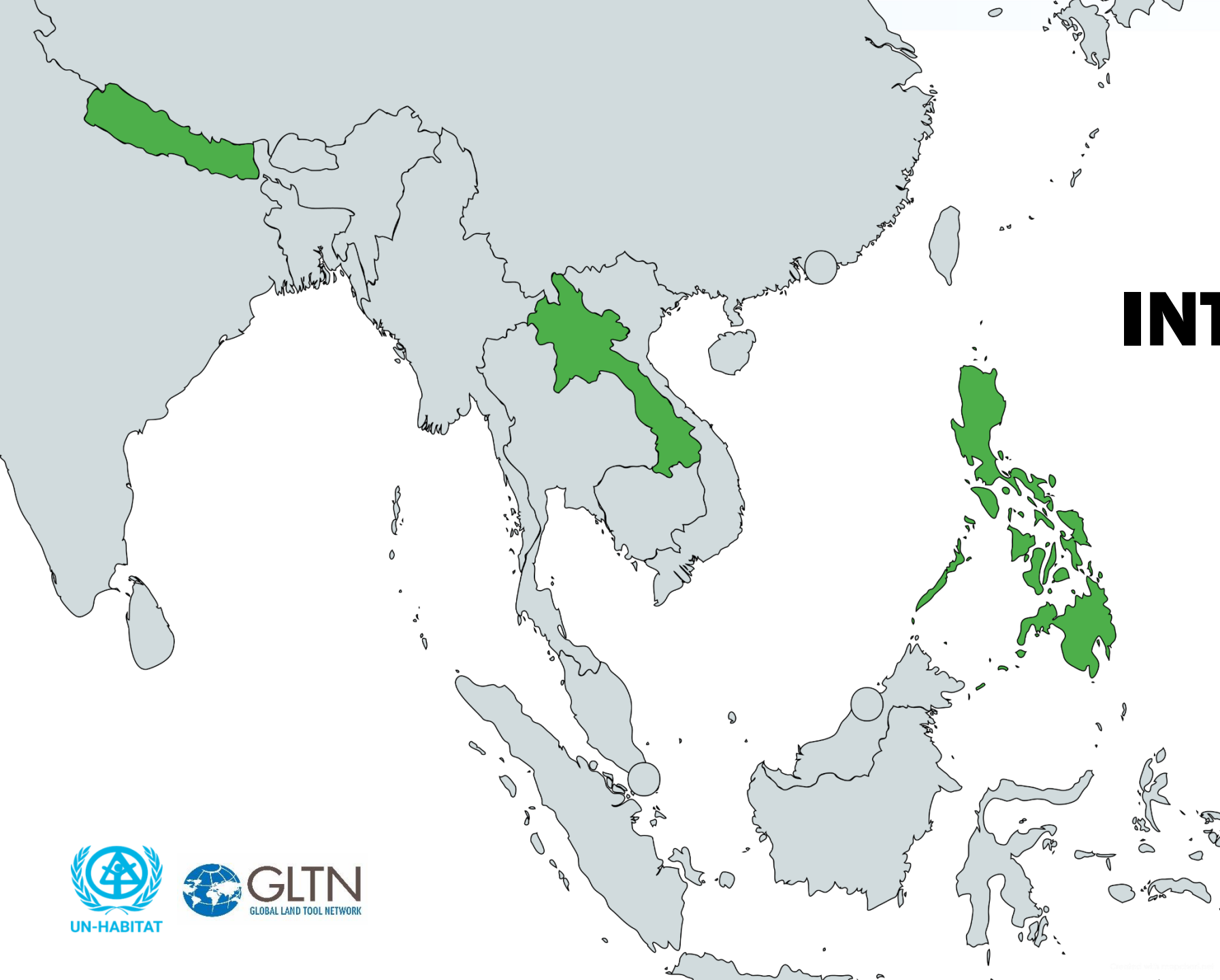


GLTN INTERVENTIONS

Tunisia
Libya
Iraq
Yemen

Syria
Palestine
Jordan
Lebanon





GLTN INTERVENTIONS

Nepal
Laos
Philippines



Our Innovative Approach



We have shown how dealing with land tenure land in conflict contexts can be harmonized among key actors from development and humanitarian sectors.



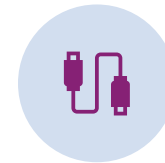
Our tools are able to address land along urban and rural nexus.



We have influenced governments and customary authorities to recognize the importance of women's land rights in customary tenure contexts.



Our research demonstrates that land tenure insecurity is directly and indirectly increased by vulnerability to climate change



The Continuum of Land Rights approach has provided powerful vehicle for understanding the wide and complex spectrum of land rights



GLTN's Global Land Indicators Initiative (GLII) introduced the concept of 'perception of tenure security' into monitoring of land governance, and the measurement of perception of tenure security in the SDGs (Indicator 1.4.2)

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LAND TOOLS





WHAT IS A LAND TOOL?

A Land Tool is a **practical way to solve a problem in land administration and management.**

It is a method of putting principles, policies and legislation into practice to achieve the desired objective (e.g., tenure security). implementing principles, policies and legislation

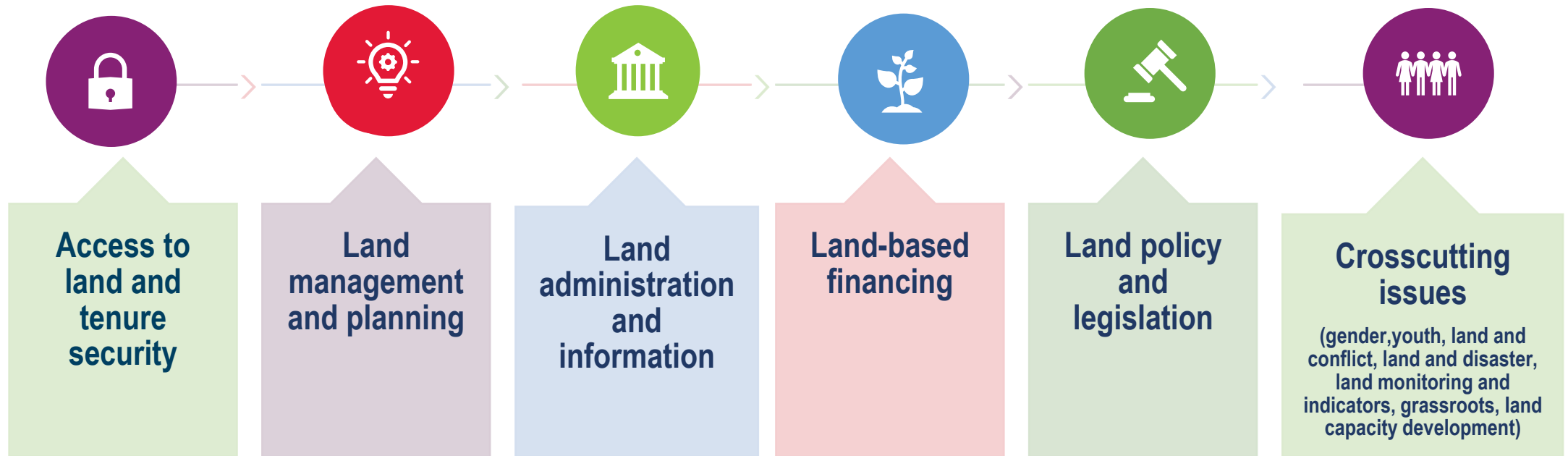
Land tool development

Involves reviewing, developing, documenting, implementing, disseminating, evaluating and monitoring the tools.

Land tools can be guides, criteria, software, training packages, manuals, guidelines, frameworks, e-learning.



Our tools address the following:



Land
Governance

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Capacity
Development

3

Conflict/
Disaster

5

Gender

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Youth

4

Islamic
Aspects

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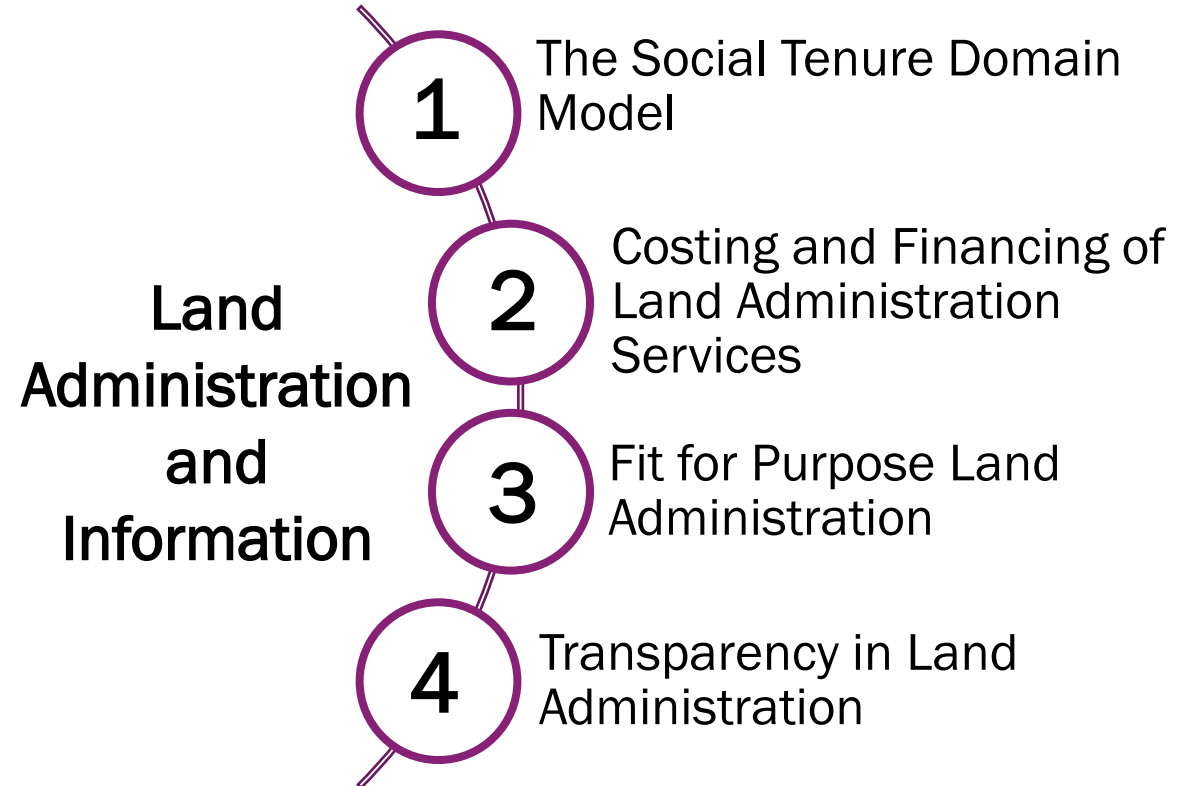
Environment

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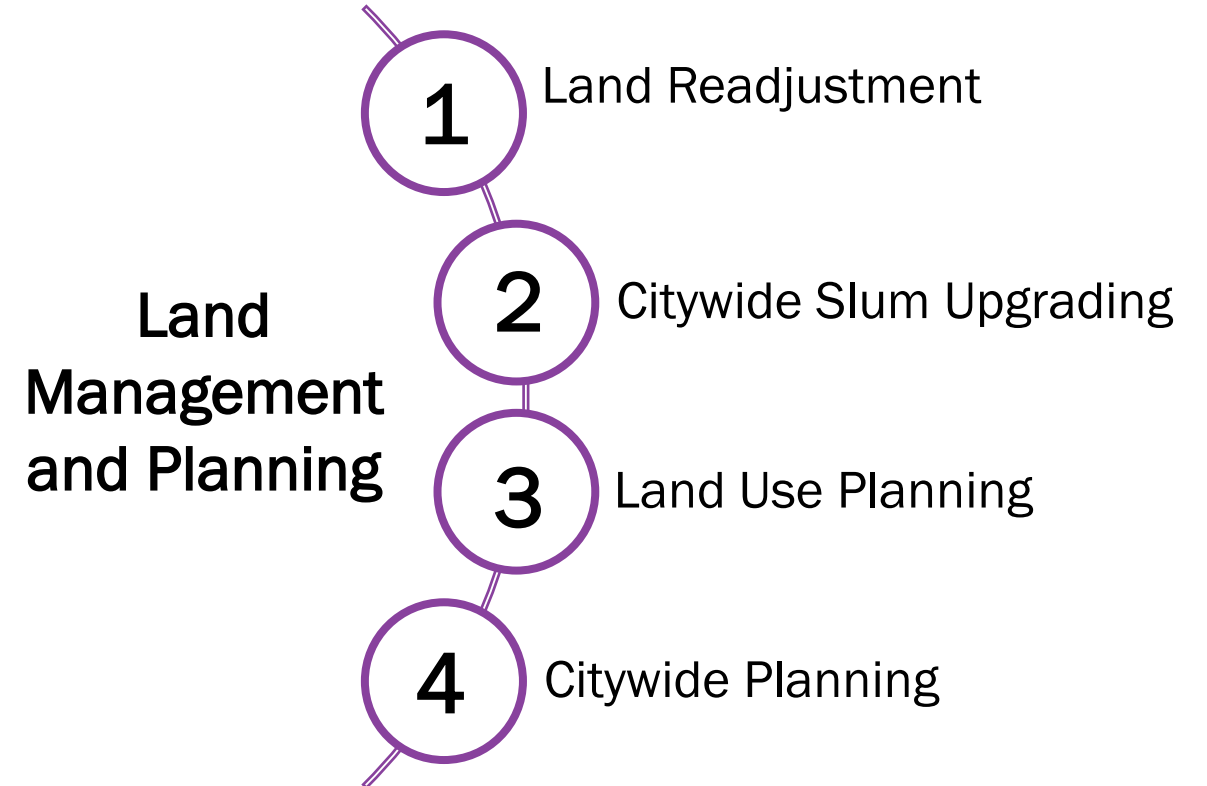
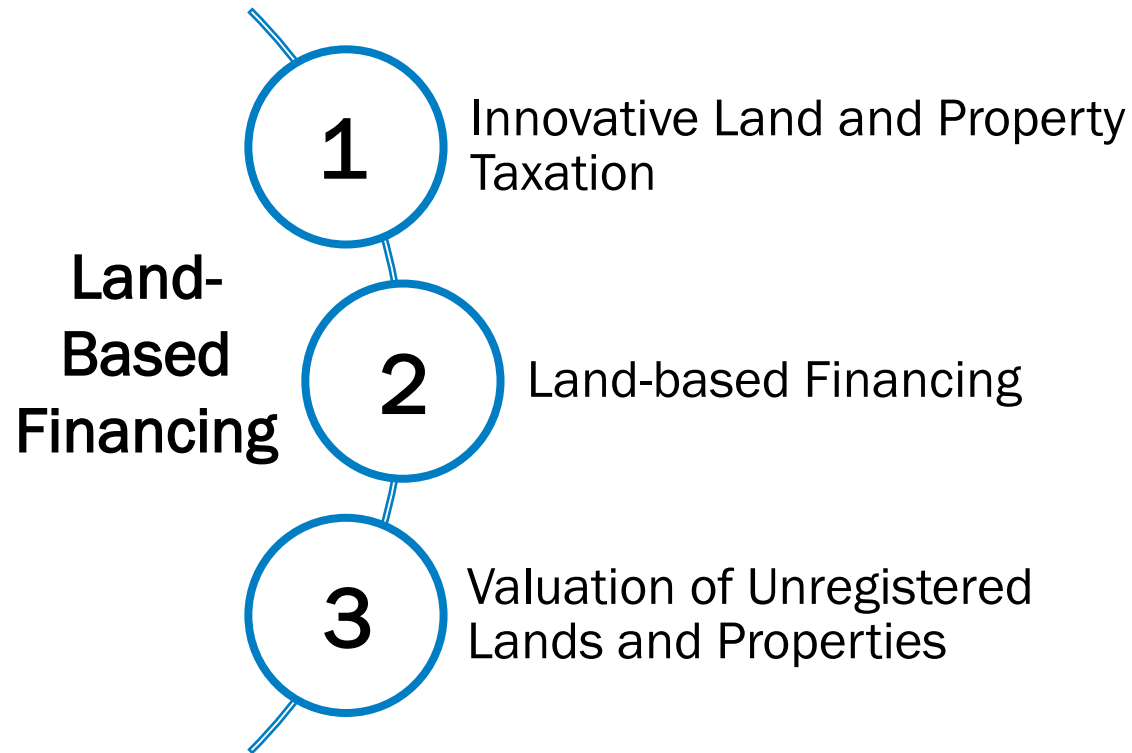
Grassroots

**EIGHT
CROSS-
CUTTING
ISSUES**

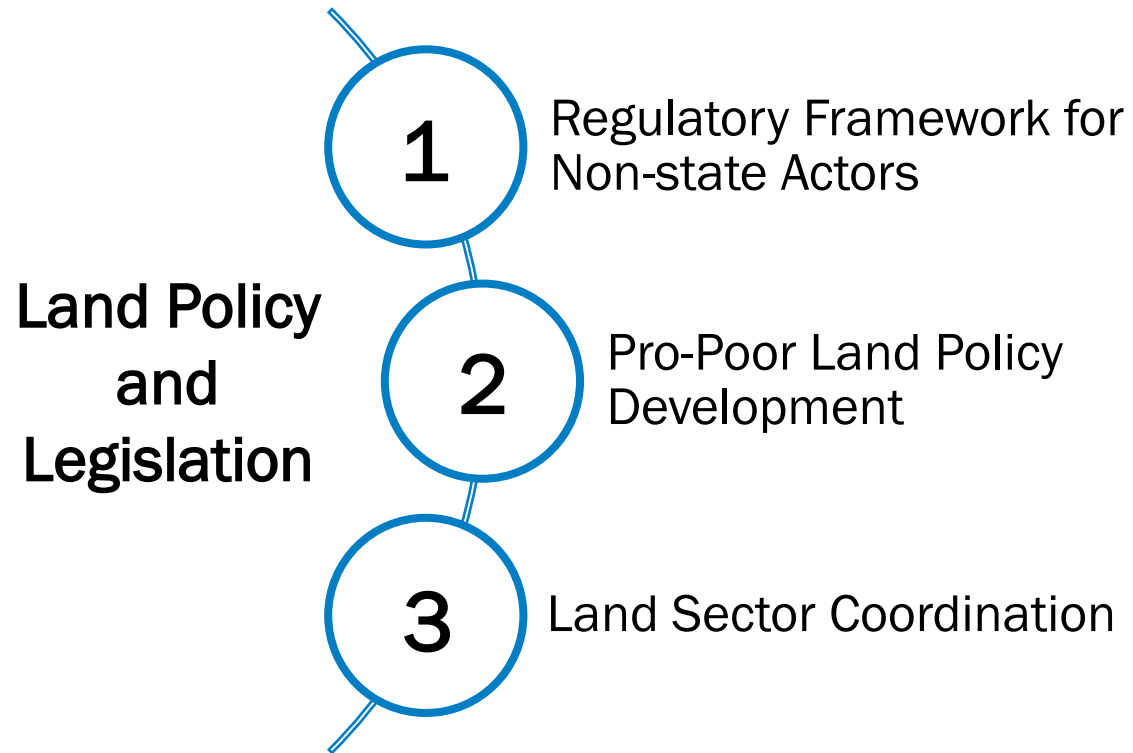
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RESULTS & ACHIEVEMENTS



OBJECTIVE 1

9 countries engaged in implementing inclusive policy frameworks and land policies.

Improving tenure prospects **for 329 million** people through land policy reforms

45 international institutions have implemented fit-for-purpose land strategies

388 thousand households have improved tenure security through GLTN programs.

3 regional initiatives: ALPC, NELGA, Arab Land





Objective 2

- **In Uganda**, digital certificates of customary ownership endorsed and gazetted by government.
- **Nepal** land information system, rolled out to over 700 municipalities
- **Namibia**, STDM based LAS used by ministry to give 500 land titles
- **In Iraq**, Yazidi Land Rights recognized by Legal Decree

Objective 3



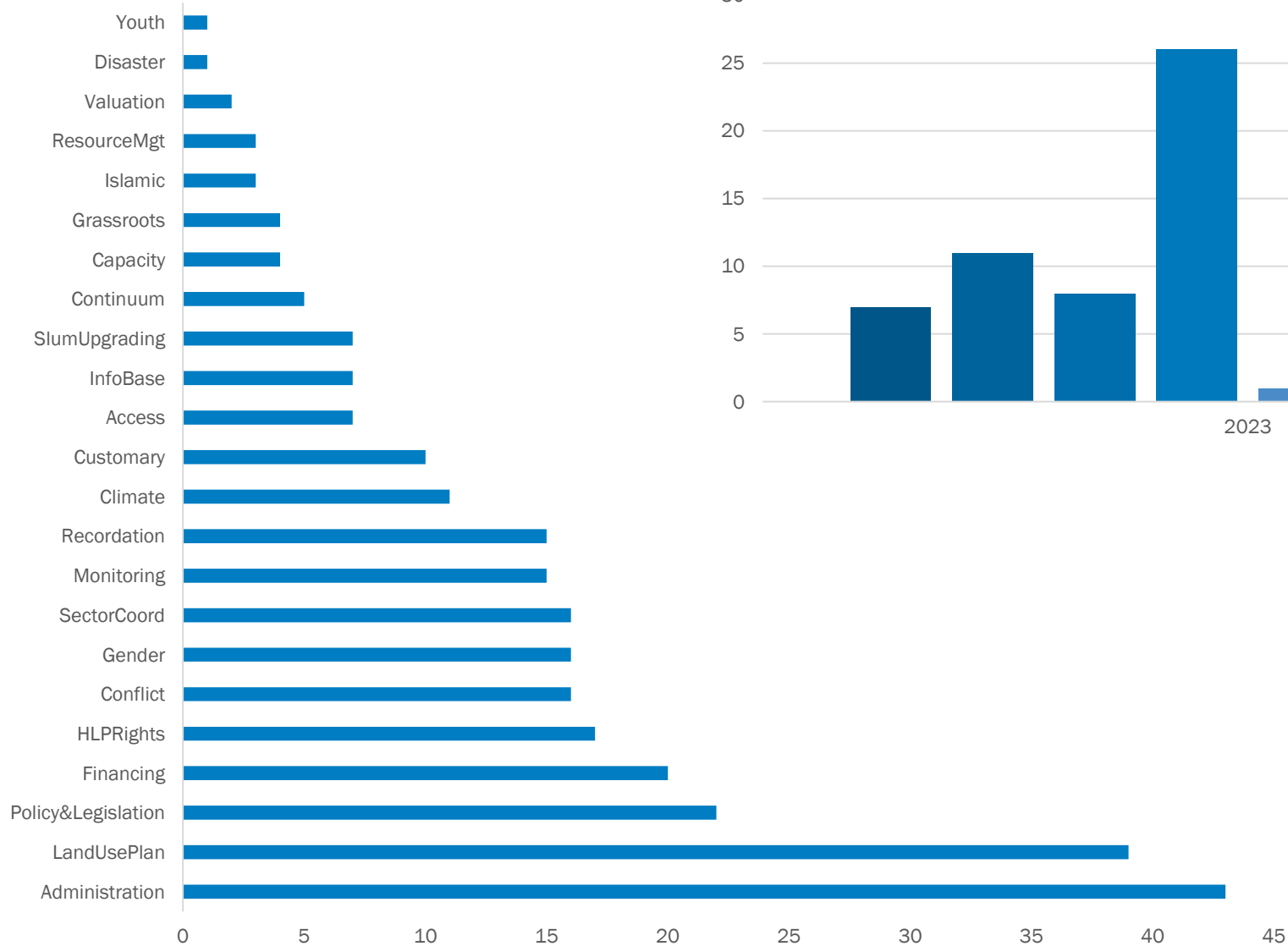
- Collaboration with Custodian Agencies to develop 8 monitoring tools and methodologies, endorsed.
- Technical advise, capacity building to 29 countries to monitor and connect data to policy.
- 64 countries collecting/reporting SDG 1.4.2 and 5.a data
- E-learning course for measuring SDGs on land tenure



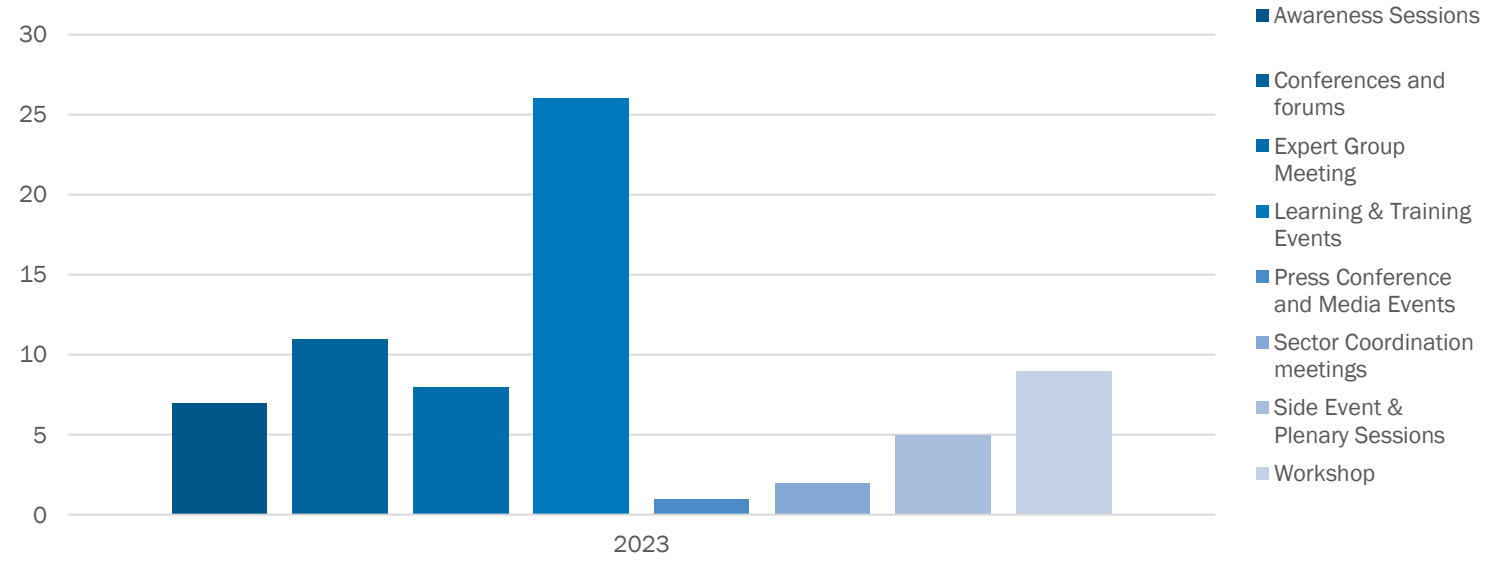
Objective 4

- Over 163 capacity development events (training, learning,, etc)
- 124 awareness events conducted (EGMs, conferences)
- GLTN e-learning platform operationally
- 15 partner academic institutions teaching coursed on tenure security
- Over 75 research publications referencing GLTN tools
- A network of over 2121 experts from 50 organization under the Arab Land Initiative

Events by topic



Type of Events



THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

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