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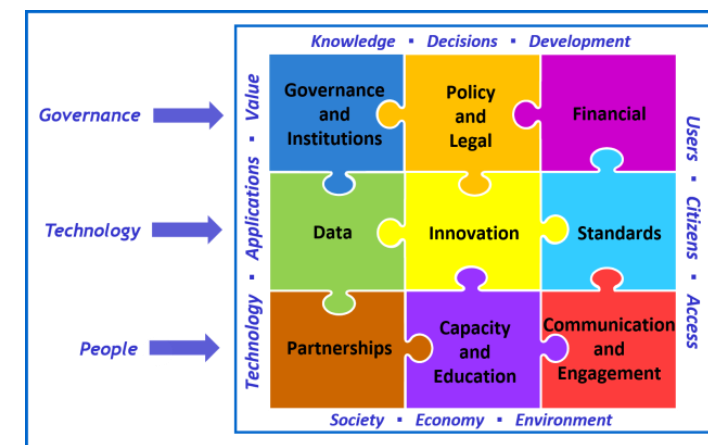
Priority Activity #1

Continue the series of virtual conversations on the strategic pathways of the UN-IGIF, with the aim of sharing and disseminating implementation experiences, as well as expanding knowledge about this important Framework.



Associated Needs

- ▶ Need support from the Secretariat in the dissemination of these talks to broaden interest and encourage participation.



Priority Activity #2

Conduct an annual and detailed survey of the Member States of the Americas regarding the status of the implementation of the UN-IGIF, with the aim of identifying needs and gaps that may impact the work and priorities of the Regional Committee.



Associated Needs

- ▶ Need coordination with the Working Group of the HLG-IGIF to align with any potential global consultations on the UN-IGIF that may be conducted in the short or medium term.



Priority Activity #3

Hold quarterly meetings between the various regional working groups on the UN-IGIF to align efforts, replicate successful activities, and improve coordination.



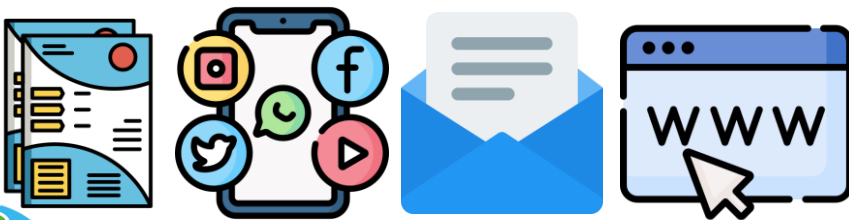
Associated Needs

- ▶ Need the support from the HLG-IGIF to set any formal mechanism that ensures that this coordination remains sustainable over time.



Priority Activity #4

Promote and communicate actions that support countries in implementing and understanding the UN-IGIF through quarterly informational brochures, social media posts, email communications, and updates on the UN-GGIM: Americas website.



Associated Needs

- ▶ Need support from the Secretariat and ECLAC by providing information and updates related to the UN-IGIF implementation process, with the purpose of incorporating them into dissemination efforts.
- ▶ The HLG Communication Working Group should strengthen a closer and more effective relationship with the secretariats of the regional committees, in order to enable them to disseminate and communicate to the countries the resources developed by this working group.



Priority Activity #5

ECLAC will continue supporting Member States in activities related to the implementation of the UN-IGIF through technical meetings, as well as national and subregional workshops. Additionally, it will evaluate the possibility of assisting countries that have not yet completed their processes under the framework of the SDG Data Alliance Project, to help them finalize these efforts.

Associated Needs

- ▶ Need for support and collaboration from the HLG-IGIF through capacity-building materials, use cases, and other related resources, as well as support for in-person or online activities.



Other Priority Activity



- Promote the strengthening of geospatial leaders' capacities across various regions by providing them with effective skills and tools to support and facilitate the implementation of the UN-GIF in their respective countries.
- Hold a virtual interregional meeting on the implementation of the UN-IGIF, aimed at disseminating and discussing the results of the UN-IGIF Global Survey at the regional level, as well as exchanging best practices and challenges in its implementation. This is part of an action proposal within the framework of the 2025 Interregional Work Plan of the UN-GGIM Regional Committees.

Associated Needs

- ▶ That the UN-GGIM Secretariat and the HLG successfully mobilize the necessary resources to implement global actions and activities aimed at strengthening tools and developing the capacities of geospatial leaders.

Associated Needs

- ▶ Support from UN-GGIM and HLG secretariat to organize this meeting.





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