



# NGO Committee on Sustainable Development-NY

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## UN75 Dialogue Overview: Plans of Action for 2021 & Beyond

Monday, Dec. 21, 2020  
12:30pm to 2:30pm {Eastern Time}  
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We all pivoted when the COVID-19 pandemic impacted every aspect of our global community. We invite you to join us to set in motion Plans of Action for 2021 & Beyond to build back better & stronger for the "Future We Want and the UN We Need." We will look at the UN75 Political Declaration, the People's Declaration, the UNSG's Climate Agenda, and the Decade of Action for the SDGs. We will strive to be better prepared and we agree that the UN must be more inclusive of CSOs. During this pandemic we have utilized various innovative communication platforms and technologies with other stakeholders for greater outreach. We are working in partnership with Member States to the UN, UN Agencies – UN/DGC & UN/DESA, UN-Habitat and others including the private sector along and our CSO partners to take on the new challenges ahead in 2021 to achieve the SDGs so we "Leave No One Behind."

Our CSO Partners: NGO Committee on Sustainable Development-NY, UN2020, Together First, Soroptimist International, World Federalist Movement-Canada, SDG Impact Awards Community, Global Family, Humanitarian Focus Foundation, Salvation Army International Social Justice Commission, Consortium for Sustainable Urbanization, Debate for Peace, Huairou Commission, Youth for a Better World:/Montessori Model UN, Youth Impact! Forum, Global Assembly of Partners, NGO/MG Urban Cluster, Global Family for Love & Peace, ICW, CoNGO, and UNA-USA Council of Organizations.

### Welcome:

- Margo LaZaro, President & Chair of NGOCSD-NY, Co-Founder/CSO of the SDGIA Community & Soroptimist International, NGO/MG Urban Cluster & UN2020

### Plans of Action for 2021 & Beyond

- Hawa Taylor-Kamara Diallo Chief of the Civil Society Unit: Civil Society, Advocacy and Special Events Section United Nations Department of Global Communications
- Prof. Jan Dash, PhD, Editor of the World Scientific Encyclopedia of Climate Change (2020)
- Jeffery Huffines, Senior Advisor of UN2020 & Together First
- Courtney Bickert, Executive Director of the EBW Foundation, its lead initiative COVIDxNOW
- Dr. Andrise Bass, Founder of Humanitarian Focus Foundation & Climate Reality Leader

### NGOCSD-NY Executive Board Election:

- Aaron Etra, Chair of UNA-USA Council of Organizations & Chair of the 2020 NGOCSD-NY Executive Board Nomination Committee

### Introducing:

- Katherine Kline, Co-Chair of the Older Persons for the General Assembly of Partners
- Mary Muia, Soroptimist International, UN Representative to UNEA in Nairobi, Kenya
- Theodore Liebman, Vice President of the Consortium of Sustainable Urbanization
- David Michael Terungwa, Climate Reality Project Leader & Social Entrepreneur in Nigeria
- Steven Aiello – Founder and Director of Debate for Peace in Israel
- Carly Kraybill – Global Engagement Senior Specialist on Advocacy for Habitat for Humanity

### Open Mics & Cameras for our Dialogue Exchange:

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