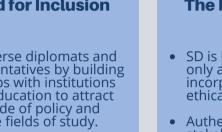
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Stakeholder Takeaways



- beyond the scope of one discipline's ability.
- Strengthen science communication for effective messaging across diverse audiences.



- Work with local communities and support regional initiatives.
- Use language that is accessible
- Incorporate local, traditional, and indigenous knowledge into decision-making processes on SD and in the implementation of SDGs.
- Foster avenues for citizen science.



The Relevance of Trust Building

- SD is based on trust that is not only about rationality but also incórporates empathy and ethical engagement.
- Authentically engage with stakeholders, especially local community members.
- Reflect on history of science and acknowledge shortcomings.
- Be open and transparent about interests and values.
- Build common ground and engage in open discourse.
- Diversify expert groups and intentionally foster intersectional representation.

Remaining Challenges:

- Cementing UN core values including universality, neutrality, integrity, • and evidence-based decision-making.
- Fostering academic freedom and science exchange in authoritarian and non-democratic societies.
- Making higher education accessible and affordable to cultivate global citizens.
- Ensuring the role of applied science institutions is equally recognized. •
- Incentivizing leaders to promote community engagement from the top-• down.
- Balancing interest-based & value-based SD; recognizing geo-strategic • competition.

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