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# **Introduction Day 4**

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## **SDG 16: Peace, Justice, Strong Institutions**

- **Overview of SDG 16**
- **Global Governance, Metagovernance and Mindsets for the SDGs**
- **Capacity Development for Public sector Performance Improvement: Success Stories and Examples**
- **Country Report: Nigeria**
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**16** PEACE, JUSTICE  
AND STRONG  
INSTITUTIONS



**Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels**

# 16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS



TARGET 16-1



TARGET 16-2



TARGET 16-3



TARGET 16-4



TARGET 16-5



TARGET 16-6



TARGET 16-7



TARGET 16-8



TARGET 16-9



TARGET 16-10



TARGET 16-A



TARGET 16-B





TARGET 16-1



REDUCE VIOLENCE EVERYWHERE

TARGET 16-2



PROTECT CHILDREN FROM ABUSE, EXPLOITATION, TRAFFICKING AND VIOLENCE

TARGET 16-3



PROMOTE THE RULE OF LAW AND ENSURE EQUAL ACCESS TO JUSTICE

TARGET 16-4



COMBAT ORGANIZED CRIME AND ILLICIT FINANCIAL AND ARMS FLOWS

TARGET 16-5



SUBSTANTIALLY REDUCE CORRUPTION AND BRIBERY

TARGET 16-6



DEVELOP EFFECTIVE, ACCOUNTABLE AND TRANSPARENT INSTITUTIONS

TARGET 16-7



ENSURE RESPONSIVE, INCLUSIVE AND REPRESENTATIVE DECISION-MAKING

TARGET 16-8



STRENGTHEN THE PARTICIPATION IN GLOBAL GOVERNANCE

TARGET 16-9



PROVIDE UNIVERSAL LEGAL IDENTITY

TARGET 16-10



ENSURE PUBLIC ACCESS TO INFORMATION AND PROTECT FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMS

TARGET 16-A



STRENGTHEN NATIONAL INSTITUTIONS TO PREVENT VIOLENCE AND COMBAT TERRORISM AND CRIME

TARGET 16-B



PROMOTE AND ENFORCE NON-DISCRIMINATORY LAWS AND POLICIES

# Examples of SDG 16 Targets and Indicators

## SDG Target 16.2

End abuse, exploitation, trafficking and all forms of violence against and torture of children

## SDG Indicator 16.2.2

Number of victims of human trafficking per 100,000 population, by sex, age and form of exploitation



**SDG Target 16.6:** Develop effective, accountable and transparent institutions at all levels

## SDG Target + Indicator 16.6.2

Proportion of the population satisfied with their last experience of public services



PROMOTE PEACEFUL AND INCLUSIVE SOCIETIES FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT, PROVIDE ACCESS TO JUSTICE FOR ALL AND BUILD EFFECTIVE, ACCOUNTABLE AND INCLUSIVE INSTITUTIONS AT ALL LEVELS

BEFORE COVID-19

EVERY DAY,  
100 CIVILIANS ARE KILLED  
IN ARMED CONFLICTS



DESPITE PROTECTIONS  
UNDER INTERNATIONAL LAW

COVID-19 IMPLICATIONS

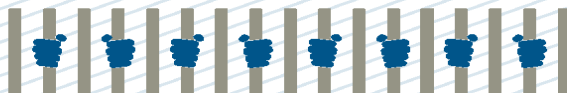
COVID-19 IMPLICATIONS FURTHER THREATEN  
GLOBAL PEACE AND SECURITY



ALREADY IN 2019, THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE FLEEING WAR, PERSECUTION AND CONFLICT EXCEEDED 79.5 MILLION, THE HIGHEST LEVEL EVER RECORDED



127 COUNTRIES  
HAVE ADOPTED  
RIGHT-TO-INFORMATION  
OR  
FREEDOM-OF-INFORMATION  
LAWS



60% OF COUNTRIES HAVE PRISON OVERCROWDING,  
RISKING THE SPREAD OF COVID-19

# Progress towards the SDGs: Report of the UN SG

<https://undocs.org/en/E/2020/57>

- **1. Violent forms of discipline targeted towards children were widespread.** In 69 countries (mostly low- and middle-income ones) with available data from 2012 to 2019, nearly **8 in 10 children 1 to 14 years of age** were subjected to some form of **psychological aggression and/or physical punishment** at home in the previous month.
- **2. The number of countries with binding laws and policies giving individuals a right to obtain access to information held by public authorities** (the right to information) has continued to **rise**, reaching 127 in 2019. At least **43 countries have adopted such guarantees in the past 10 years, 40 per cent of them in Africa.**



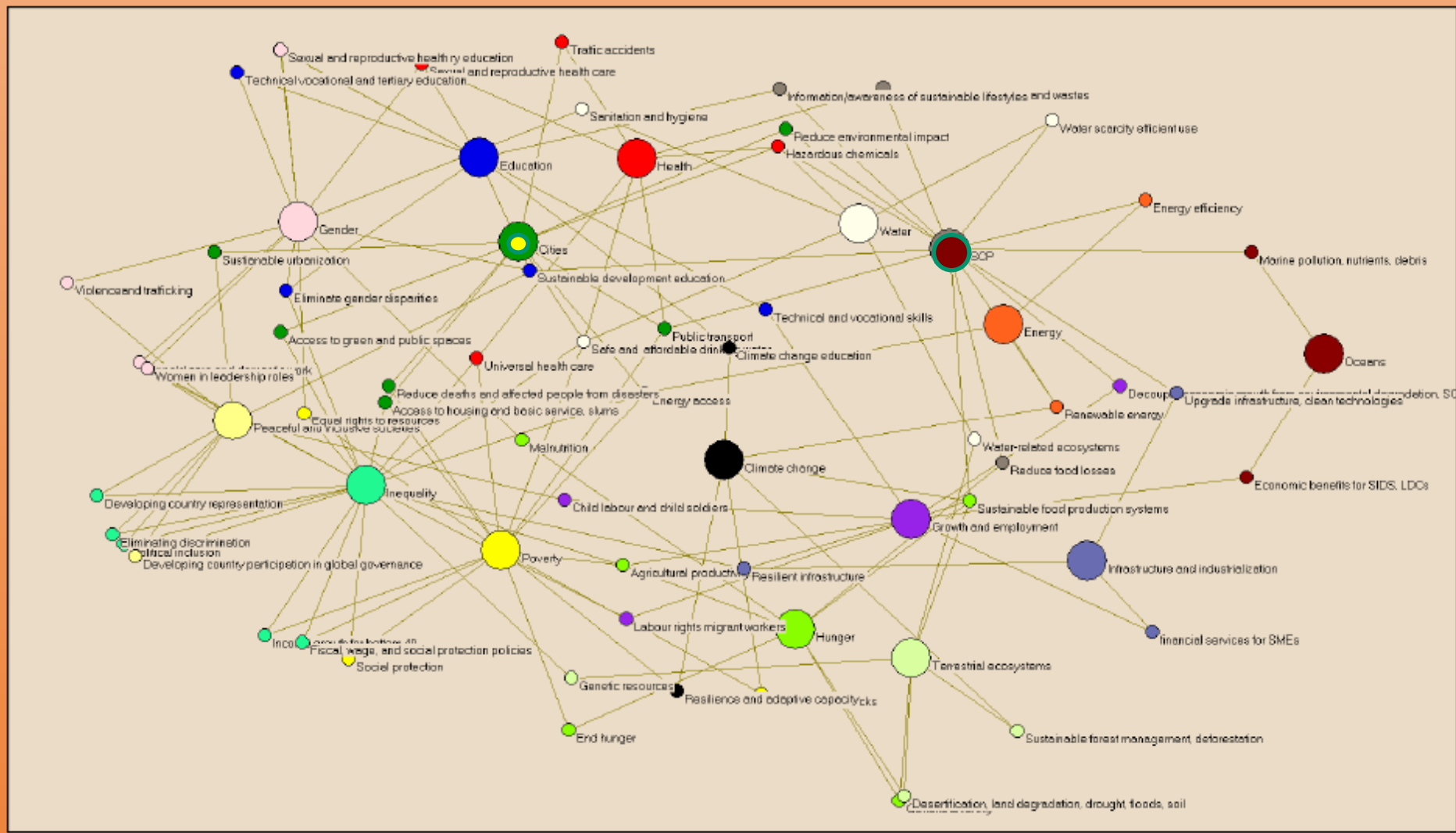
# **SDG Report 2020: SDGs and Covid 19**

- 1. Mixed or moderately negative impact**
- 2. Increased pressure on governments to mitigate the health and economic consequences of the pandemic**
- 3. Pressure to increase accessible health care in countries that have not yet achieved universal health coverage**
- 4. Increased public deficits and debt**
- 5. Disruption of legislative processes and public debates**
- 6. Suspension of freedom-of-information laws and transparency policies**

# **Gearing up for a decade of action and delivery**

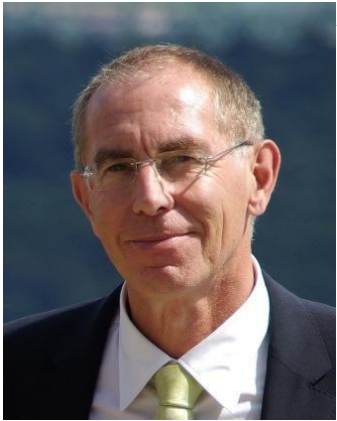
**“The Political Declaration commits Member States and the UN system to enhancing national implementation, investing in data for the SDGs, and strengthening institutions for more integrated solutions to ensure policy coherence for the SDGs among other accelerators for the Decade of Action.”** (Quote from the Concept Note, 2020/21 ETC)

# Integrated Objectives of SDGs



Source: David Le Blanc, "Towards Integration at Last? The SDGs as a Network of Targets", Rio+20 Working Paper 4.





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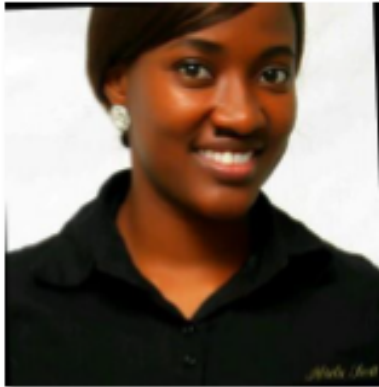




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