Collective action for sustainable development: Navigating the labyrinth

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The BSDC is creating a database of collective action initiatives which have impact in sustainable development

i. This document is a simple guide aimed at showcasing some of the most dynamic public-private collective action initiatives which are aimed at delivering the Global Goals*

ii. It covers the four systems identified in the BSDC report ‘Better Business, Better World’ (Health, Food, Energy & Materials and Cities & Mobility). It also covers Capital Markets (in terms of sustainable finance)

iii. This work will be expanded upon in Q1 2017 and will include more detail and more sectors; a database will be available on the BSDC website

iv. The WEF, the WBCSD, UNGC and ICC all provide comprehensive cross-sectoral platforms, with local and regional chapters for shaping better markets and strengthening corporate citizenship

* There are many collective action initiatives. The following slides are examples of well performing initiatives; they are not completely exhaustive and do not show all collective action initiatives in these systems
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<td>GAVI Alliance</td>
<td>Create equal access to new &amp; underused vaccines / immunisation for children living in the world’s poorest countries</td>
<td>Hundreds of members from industrialised and developing country governments, civil society, pharmaceutical companies, and academic bodies</td>
<td>In 2015 alone, over 65 million children were immunised with GAVI-supported vaccines</td>
<td>In 2015, GAVI’S committed funding over $1.4 billion (via innovative finance and direct contributions)</td>
<td><a href="mailto:info@gavi.org">info@gavi.org</a></td>
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<td>Global Health Workforce Network (previously GHW Alliance from 2006-2016)</td>
<td>Share best practices and foster accountability on Human Resources for Health (HRH) goals as linked to UN SDGs and universal health coverage goals</td>
<td>Over 400 members from professional associations, labour unions, private sector, civil society, NGOs, academic institutions, foundations</td>
<td>Promotion of high-level dialogue on HRH in multiple forums at global and regional levels</td>
<td>Funding from member and partner organisations</td>
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<td>The Global Fund</td>
<td>Accelerate the end of AIDS, tuberculosis and malaria as epidemics</td>
<td>Hundreds of members and implementing partners from government donors, private sector, NGOs and civil society</td>
<td>There are 1/3 fewer deaths from AIDS, TB and malaria where the Global Fund invests</td>
<td>$33 billion cumulative and fully paid contributions by 2015 (since 2002)</td>
<td><a href="mailto:privatesector@theglobalfund.org">privatesector@theglobalfund.org</a>, <a href="mailto:info@theglobalfund.org">info@theglobalfund.org</a></td>
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<td>Every Woman, Every Child (EVEC)</td>
<td>Improve the health of women, children and adolescents everywhere, and promote the Global Strategy for Women’s and Children’s Health</td>
<td>Over 300 organisations having made commitments to advance the Global Strategy for Women’s and Children’s Health via EWEC</td>
<td>In 49 priority countries there have been 870 000 new health workers and a 25% increase in skilled birth attendance</td>
<td>There are 1/3 fewer deaths from AIDS, TB and malaria where the Global Fund invests</td>
<td><a href="http://www.everywomaneverychild.org/about/frequently-asked-questions/">http://www.everywomaneverychild.org/about/frequently-asked-questions/</a></td>
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<td>Medicines for Malaria Venture (MMV)</td>
<td>Reduce burden of malaria in disease-endemic countries by discovering, developing &amp; delivering new, effective &amp; affordable antimalarial drugs</td>
<td>Over 400 partners in &gt; 50 countries from private sector, public sector, NGOs and clinical centres</td>
<td>Thanks to MMV, at least 9 new medicines entered clinical development prioritising eradication of malaria</td>
<td>Total funding received/pledged from 1999 to 2020 is $893 million</td>
<td><a href="http://www.mmv.org/about-us/contact-us">http://www.mmv.org/about-us/contact-us</a></td>
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<td>Uniting to Combat Neglected Tropical Diseases</td>
<td>Support achievement of the WHO 2020 goals in respect to 10 Neglected Tropical Diseases (NTDs)</td>
<td>Private sector, international organisations, public sector</td>
<td>Delivered 1.1 billion treatments in 2014 and donated 2.4 billion tablets from pharmaceutical companies in 2015</td>
<td>Over $785 million to be provided by 2020</td>
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## Collective action in the Food and Agriculture system (1)

### Organisation name

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### Objective(s)

- Build alliances between governments, business and civil society to find and deliver solutions to the complex problem of malnutrition
- Coordinate collaborative sector level approach to improve rural livelihoods, mitigate impact of climate change, sustainably manage natural capital, contribute to global food and nutrition security and accelerate SDG progress
- Facilitate sharing of knowledge and best practices to support development and implementation of sustainable agriculture practices throughout food value chain
- Harness power of agriculture to drive food security, environmental sustainability and economic opportunity
- Share a public and private sector commitment to achieve sustained, inclusive, agriculture-led growth in Africa

### Members

- Civil society, government, academia, business, international organisations (e.g. UNICEF), innovative finance organisations
- Private-sector alliance made up of 41 agribusiness organisations from across value chain (food and non-food crops)
- Over 90 members who are stakeholders throughout the food value chain
- 32 companies lead 350 organisations across private sector, government, international organisations, civil society and farmer associations
- Multiple African country governments, private sector, civil society organisations and development partners

### Select achievements

- From July 2014 to June 2015, GAIN reached an estimated 845 million people through its programs
- Formation of GAA was very recent (Sept 2016)
- Launch of new Principles for Sustainable Beef Farming in 2013, the most complete guidelines developed for beef production to date
- Over 3.6 million smallholder farmers reached to date
- Private investments reached 8.2 million smallholders and created more than 21,000 jobs in 2014, over half of which were for women

### Funding (data where available)

- Funding from governments and donor agencies
- Funding from member and partner organisations
- Funding from member and partner organisations
- Funding from governments and donor agencies, over $10 billion in investment commitments
- As of 10 May 2014, 10 countries had committed $8 billion

### Contact / membership info

- [http://www.gainhealth.org/contact/](http://www.gainhealth.org/contact/)
- [http://www.saiplatform.org/join-sai-platform/become-a-member](http://www.saiplatform.org/join-sai-platform/become-a-member)
- [https://www.weforum.org/projects/new-vision-for-agriculture](https://www.weforum.org/projects/new-vision-for-agriculture)
- [https://new-alliance.org/faq](https://new-alliance.org/faq)

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## Collective action in the Food and Agriculture system (2)

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<th>Tropical Forest Alliance 2020</th>
<th>CocoaAction</th>
<th>Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO)</th>
<th>Consumer Goods Forum (CGF)</th>
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#### Objective(s)

- Reduce tropical deforestation associated with sourcing commodities like palm oil, soy, beef, paper and pulp. Envisions success through a series of multi-stakeholder initiatives.

- Align world’s leading cocoa & chocolate companies, origin governments, and key stakeholders on regional priority issues in cocoa sustainability. CocoaAction convenes the sector to leverage scale and efficiency through collaboration.

- Unite stakeholders from the palm oil industry to develop and implement global standards for sustainable palm oil.

- Pursue positive change to benefit shoppers, consumers & the world - without impeding competition.

#### Members

- 36 civil society organisations, 14 country governments, 37 private sector companies

- World Cocoa Foundation members: Barry Callebaut, Blommer, Cargill, Ferrero, Hershey, Mars. Incorporated, Mondelez International, Nestlé, and Olam

- 2,500 members from oil palm producers, processors or traders, consumer goods manufacturers, retailers, banks/investors, and environmental and social non-governmental organisations (NGOs)

- 400 retailers, manufacturers, service providers, and other stakeholders across 70 countries

#### Select achievements

- E.g. Africa Palm Oil initiative which targets implementation of regional principles for responsible palm oil development in West and Central Africa

- CocoaAction made substantial progress on designing supply and delivery models for distribution of improved planting material

- All members have committed to produce, source and/or use sustainable palm oil certified by the RSPO

- Agreed resolutions to achieve zero-net deforestation by 2020 and halve food waste of each of its 400 members by 2025

#### Funding (data where available)

- Funding from member and partner organisations

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#### Contact / membership info

- To become a partner, contact TFA 2020 Secretariat associate, Shawn Walker from Meridian Institute via email at shawnwalker@merid.org

- http://www.worldcocoafoundation.org/about-wcf/cocoaaction/

- http://www.rspo.org/members/apply

- http://www.thecustomergoodsforum.com/member-benefits/how-to-become-a-member

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### Collective action in the Energy, Metals & Mining system (1)

#### Energy Transitions Commission (ETC)
- **Objective(s):** Identify pathways for change in our energy systems to ensure both better growth and a better climate
- **Members:** 29 Commissioners from different sectors and geographies
- **Select achievements:** Entering a 4 month consultation period with private and public stakeholders, based on initial findings
- **Funding (data available):** Funding from member and partner organisations
- **Contact / membership info:** [http://www.energy-transitions.org/contact-us](http://www.energy-transitions.org/contact-us)

#### Oil and Gas Climate Initiative (OGCI)
- **Objective(s):** Use collective resources to accelerate actions that mitigate GHG emissions from oil & gas industry’s operations, whilst still meeting the world’s energy needs
- **Members:** Led by the CEOs of 10 oil and gas member companies
- **Select achievements:** 20% less combined greenhouse gas emissions (GHGs) from the companies’ operations since 2005
- **Funding (data available):** Funding from member companies
- **Contact / membership info:** [contact@oilandgasclimateinitiative.com](mailto:contact@oilandgasclimateinitiative.com)

#### World Energy Council (WEC)
- **Objective(s):** Promote an affordable, stable and environmentally sensitive energy system for the greatest benefit of all
- **Members:** Network is active in over 90 countries and is made up of over 3000 organisations (7% government, 38% business, 25% experts, 30% other)
- **Select achievements:** Recently launched a report at COP22 which highlights significant achievements in energy efficiency despite recent global economic crisis
- **Funding (data available):** Funding from international development agencies
- **Contact / membership info:** [https://www.worldenergy.org/contact/](https://www.worldenergy.org/contact/)

#### World Future Energy Summit (WFES)
- **Objective(s):** Event/exhibition to advance the use of renewable energy, energy efficiency and clean technology
- **Members:** In 2016, the WFES exhibition brought together 600 companies from 32 countries and more than 30,000 attendees from 150 countries
- **Select achievements:** Celebrating 10 years of exhibition bringing together government leaders, private sector, entrepreneurs, policymakers and multiple other energy stakeholders
- **Funding (data available):** Funding from member and partner organisations
- **Contact / membership info:** [http://www.worldfutureenergysummit.com/contact-us#](http://www.worldfutureenergysummit.com/contact-us#)

#### Sustainable Energy for All
- **Objective(s):** Empower leaders to broker partnerships and unlock finance to achieve universal access to sustainable energy
- **Members:** 70 governments, companies, institutions, financiers, development banks, unions and communities, entrepreneurs and civil society
- **Select achievements:** Expediting creation of a tracking tool to chart in improving access to sustainable energy global progress over the years leading to 2030
- **Funding (data available):** Funding from member and partner organisations
- **Contact / membership info:** [Info@SEforALL.org](mailto:Info@SEforALL.org)

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<td>International Council on Mining and Metals (ICMM)</td>
<td>Identify common challenges and establishing a safer and more sustainable industry</td>
<td>23 of world's leading mining &amp; metals companies as well as 34 national and regional mining associations and global commodity associations</td>
<td>Position statement on water stewardship in Jan 2017 which binds ICMM members to apply transparent water governance/management</td>
<td>Funding from member organisations</td>
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<td>Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative (EITI)</td>
<td>EITI is a global standard to promote the open and accountable management of oil gas and mineral resources</td>
<td>49 implementing countries, supported by a coalition of government, companies, and civil society</td>
<td>EITI disclosure requirements create publicly accessible available information on resource management</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td><a href="mailto:secretariat@eiti.org">secretariat@eiti.org</a></td>
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<td>Responsible Mineral Development Initiative</td>
<td>Increase recognition of mining's potential role in development</td>
<td>Mining companies, NGOs and governments in 13 countries</td>
<td>Creating summary guidance of key challenges for mineral stakeholders in to pursue developmental goals</td>
<td>WEF - affiliated</td>
<td><a href="https://www.weforum.org/reports/responsible-mineral-development-initiative">https://www.weforum.org/reports/responsible-mineral-development-initiative</a></td>
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<td>Voluntary Principles on Security and Human Rights</td>
<td>Set of principles to guide oil, gas and mining companies in running operations that respect human rights</td>
<td>28 multinational oil, gas, and mining companies, 10 governments, 10 international NGOs, 8 other mining stakeholders</td>
<td>Helps members companies to develop systems for reporting and investigating allegations of human rights abuses</td>
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<td>Initiative for Responsible Mining Assurance (IRMA)</td>
<td>Improve ESG performance of mining operations through development of best practice standards and implementation</td>
<td>Mining companies, jewellery retailers, environmental and human rights non-profits, organisations representing affected communities, labour organisations</td>
<td>IRMA is designing a Responsible Mining Assurance System package with six integrated elements</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<td>Business and Biodiversity Offsets Program (BBOP)</td>
<td>Test and develop best practice on biodiversity offsets and conservation banking worldwide</td>
<td>80 leading organisations and individuals including companies, financial institutions, government agencies and civil society organisations</td>
<td>Developed set of Principles and a Standard for best practice biodiversity offsets through on-the- pilot project experiences</td>
<td>Funding from member and partner organisations</td>
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<td>Global Platform for Sustainable Cities (GPSC)</td>
<td>Create a collaborative knowledge platform for cities, networks and institutions to advance the urban sustainability agenda</td>
<td>27 participating cities across 11 countries, and multiple private &amp; public sector organisations to support with implementation</td>
<td>Formation of GPSC was very recent (March 2016)</td>
<td>The GPSC is designed as part of the Sustainable Cities Integrated Approach Pilot which has $150 million funds available</td>
<td><a href="http://www.worldbank.org/en/topic/urbandevelopment/brief/global-platform-for-sustainable-cities">http://www.worldbank.org/en/topic/urbandevelopment/brief/global-platform-for-sustainable-cities</a></td>
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<td>100 Resilient Cities</td>
<td>Supports adoption and incorporation of a view of resilience that includes not just natural shocks (earthquakes, fires, floods) but also other stresses</td>
<td>100 cities and multiple private &amp; public sector organisations to support with implementation</td>
<td>Giving 100 cities support and access to financial, professional and technical support to become resilient</td>
<td>Funded by the Rockefeller Foundation</td>
<td><a href="http://www.100resilientcities.org/pages/contact/contact-us#/-_/">http://www.100resilientcities.org/pages/contact/contact-us#/-_/</a></td>
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<td>Coalition for Urban Transitions</td>
<td>Support decision makers to unlock power of cities for enhanced national economic, social, and environmental performance to reduce the risk of climate change</td>
<td>Global Commission on the Economy and Climate, think-tanks, research institutions, city networks, international organisations, infrastructure providers, strategic advisory companies and business leaders</td>
<td>Help urban areas to achieve the Paris climate goals</td>
<td>Funding from member and partner organisations</td>
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<td>C40</td>
<td>Network of world’s megacities committed to addressing climate change - C40 supports cities to collaborate, share knowledge and drive meaningful action</td>
<td>C40’s global network consists of 80+ megacities (represents &gt; 600 million urban citizens), and strategic partners (think tanks and public/private sector)</td>
<td>75% of C40 cities are taking new, better or faster climate actions as a result of participating in C40 networks</td>
<td>Funding from member and partner organisations</td>
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<td>EMBARQ at World Resources Institute</td>
<td>Catalyse environmentally, socially, and financially sustainable urban mobility solutions to improve quality of life in cities</td>
<td>Connects more than 200 experts in Brazil, China, India, Mexico, Turkey and the United States</td>
<td>Began public consultation process on traffic congestion mitigation in Beijing</td>
<td>Funding from various organisations</td>
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<td>Partnership for Clean Fuels and Vehicles (PCFV)</td>
<td>Promote cleaner fuels and vehicles in developing and transition countries</td>
<td>72 organisations representing developed and developing countries, fuel and vehicle industries, civil society, and leading world experts</td>
<td>Work on the global phase-out of leaded petrol; in large part due to their work there are less than 20 countries around the world still using leaded petrol</td>
<td>Funding from member and partner organisations</td>
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<td>Sustainable Shipping Initiative</td>
<td>Achieve a vision of a shipping industry that is both profitable and sustainable by 2040</td>
<td>19 leading companies from across the industry and around the world with NGOs Forum for the Future and WWF</td>
<td>In 2016, SSI launched its Roadmap; a set of key milestones and priorities to be met to create a sustainable shipping industry by 2040</td>
<td>Funding from member and partner organisations</td>
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<td>Partnership on Sustainable Low Carbon Transport (SLoCaT)</td>
<td>Promote integration of sustainable transport in global policies on sustainable development and climate change</td>
<td>Multi-stakeholder partnership of over 90 organisations (governments, development banks, NGOs, private sector, academia). Supported by the SLoCaT Foundation</td>
<td>Contributed to COP22 declaration on accelerated action on adaptation in transport</td>
<td>Funding from member and partner organisations</td>
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<td>Global Road Safety Partnership</td>
<td>Create multi-sector road safety partnerships that are engaged with front-line good practice road safety interventions in countries and communities throughout the world</td>
<td>Development agencies, governments, businesses and civil society organisations.</td>
<td>Building capacity of city level road safety stakeholders in South America</td>
<td>Funding from member and partner organisations</td>
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<td>Principles for Responsible Investment (PRI)</td>
<td>Work to understand investment implications of ESG factors and support its investor signatories in incorporating them into decisions</td>
<td>Signatories include asset owners, investment managers and professional service partners</td>
<td>New engagement in 2015 attracted 96 signatories and $11 trillion in assets</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td><a href="https://www.unpri.org/about/becoming-a-signatory">https://www.unpri.org/about/becoming-a-signatory</a></td>
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<td>Sustainable Stock Exchanges Initiative (SSE)</td>
<td>Explore how collaboration between investors, regulators, and companies can enhance corporate transparency on ESG issues</td>
<td>58 national-level stock exchanges</td>
<td>12 exchanges currently incorporate reporting on ESG into their listing rules and 15 provide formal guidance to issuers</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td><a href="http://www.sseinitiative.org/sse-partner-exchanges/become-a-partner-stock-exchange/">http://www.sseinitiative.org/sse-partner-exchanges/become-a-partner-stock-exchange/</a></td>
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<td>Global Impact Investing Network (GIIN)</td>
<td>Accelerate development of impact investing industry by building critical infrastructure and supporting activities that help advance the development of impact investing industry</td>
<td>Asset owners, asset managers, professional service partners</td>
<td>Publication of multiple public resources which provide training on and standardise impact investing principles</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td><a href="mailto:info@thegiin.org">info@thegiin.org</a></td>
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<td>Equator Principles (EP)</td>
<td>The Equator Principles (EPs) are a risk management framework to provide a minimum standard for risk decision-making</td>
<td>88 financial institutions in 37 countries have adopted the EP</td>
<td>Multilateral development banks and export credit agencies increasingly drawing on same standards as the Equator Principles (EP)</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td><a href="http://www.equator-principles.com/index.php/adoption/application-membership">http://www.equator-principles.com/index.php/adoption/application-membership</a></td>
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<th>FSB Taskforce for Climate-related Financial Disclosures (FSB TCFD)</th>
<th>Insurance Development Forum (IDF)</th>
<th>UNEP Finance Initiative (UNEP FI)</th>
<th>Prince’s Trust (A4S)</th>
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<td>Objective(s)</td>
<td>Direct $8 billion in total commitments toward high-impact sustainable investments</td>
<td>Develop voluntary, consistent climate-related financial risk disclosures for use by companies in providing information to financial stakeholders</td>
<td>Optimise use of insurance to build resilience and protection for communities, businesses, and public institutions vulnerable to disaster and associated economic shocks</td>
<td>Promote sustainable finance, encourage country-level dialogue between finance stakeholders and promote financial sector involvement in global climate negotiations</td>
<td>Inspire action by finance leaders to drive a fundamental shift towards resilient business models and a sustainable economy</td>
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<td>Members</td>
<td>9 leading financial institutions and investors</td>
<td>Multiple financial stakeholders – including data users and data preparers</td>
<td>14 insurance companies NS 3 IGO / NGOs</td>
<td>Over 200 financial institutions, including banks, insurers and investors work with UNEP</td>
<td>CFOs and finance teams, accounting community, Investors, capital markets &amp; wider finance community, governments, regulators &amp; policy makers, academia</td>
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<td>Select achievements</td>
<td>Helping to advance new investment opportunities in clean energy as well as other sustainable development goals</td>
<td>Simultaneously released its Recommendations Report and a 60-day public consultation period in Dec 2016</td>
<td>Formation of IDF was very recent 2016</td>
<td>Incubation and successful spin-off of the UN-backed PRI, the Portfolio Decarbonisation Coalition and Natural Capital Declaration</td>
<td>Co-founding a global coalition, the International Integrated Reporting Council (IIRC), to improve the way businesses report activities to investors</td>
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<td>Funding (data where available)</td>
<td>Over $8 billion in commitments as of April 2016</td>
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Collective action which cuts across sectors to encourage innovation: The XPRIZE

- **What is it?** XPRIZE creates financially-incentivised competitions to solve the world’s ‘grand challenges’ which are often sustainability focused (e.g. water abundance and health diagnosis are current XPRIZE topics).

- **How does it encourage collective action?** XPRIZE encourages a large number of groups to work in parallel, rather than a single entity, prizes ultimately allow society to reap the benefits of more minds working on a problem from many different angles.

- **What has it achieved?** Example achievements include an XPRIZE which asks competitors to develop a medical device which will diagnose medical conditions within 24 hours (http://tricorder.xprize.org/)

- For partnership and sponsor opportunities, visit http://www.xprize.org/about/contact

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Collective action which cuts across sectors to encourage women’s empowerment: UN Panel on Women's Economic Empowerment

- **What is it?** The panel considers the best ways to unlock the power of women to work and achieve their financial independence. The panel includes gender equality actors, economics experts, academics, trade union leaders, and business and government representatives. It is funded by DfID

- **How does it encourage collective action?** The High-Level Panel will be informed by consultations with key stakeholders around the world

- **What has it achieved?** Initial report published in Sept 2016, second in March 2017

- For more information, email empower.women@unwomen.org

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Guideline criteria for inclusion
- Large-scale multi-stakeholder, international initiatives
- Strong private sector collaboration or leadership
- Aiming to find innovative approach to common market (in sector) problems
- Focuses on system approaches
- Public-private partnership favoured

Guideline criteria for exclusion
- Exclusively donation- or relief-based initiatives
- Business association only (unless there is a specific initiative that meets inclusion criteria)
- Initiatives which are almost entirely public sector, international organisation (e.g. WHO) or NGO led. Must include strong private sector collaboration.
- Indexes which benchmark industry behaviour
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