

Members

The forums membership comprises of CSOs with diverse backgrounds and focus areas. Currently the forum has 25 members, and continues to grow.

1. ACTION AID
2. ADTS (Association pour le Développement et la Transformation Sociale)
3. AJPRODHO
4. ARBEF
5. Benishyaka
6. CARE Rwanda
7. CESTRAR
8. CLADHO
9. COPORWA
10. Family Magazine
11. Great Lakes Initiative for Human Rights Development
12. Haguruka
13. Health Developments Initiative (HDI)
14. Human Rights First Rwanda Association
15. Legal Aid Forum
16. Never Again Rwanda
17. Pax Press
18. Poor Women Development Network (PWDN)
19. Pro-Femmes Twese Hamwe
20. Réseau des Femmes Ouevrant Pour Developpement Rural
21. RWAMREC
22. Rwanda Association of University Women (RAUW)
23. Rwanda Development Organization (RDO)
24. Rwanda Women's Network (RWN)
25. Transparency International Rwanda
26. Tubibe Amahoro
27. Umuryango Nyarwanda w'Abagore Bafite Ubumuga (UNABU)
28. Young Women Christian Association (YWCA)

RWANDA CSO SDG5 FORUM



Gender is My Agenda

Who We Are

The Rwanda CSO SDG5 Forum is a collective of 28 Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) working on diverse human rights issues in Rwanda under the cross-cutting theme of gender and women's empowerment. The forum's role is to contribute to the implementation of the 2030 Global agenda for the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) that aims towards the realization of sustainable development globally: economic prosperity, social welfare, political development and environmental sustainability. The forum provides a platform for CSOs to enhance their engagement with various development partners and grassroots communities in order to successfully deliver on the ambitious targets of the SDGs and ensure that no one is left behind.

The forum was established in recognition of the need to:

- Increase peer learning and sharing on SDGs, women and gender issues in line with the national agenda.
- Strengthen CSO advocacy efforts through collectively identifying pertinent advocacy issues.
- Create an actionable agenda in tracking Rwanda's progress in the domestication of the SDGs and in particular SDG 5.

Our Vision

A Rwanda where development is gender transformative and sustainable. Our Mission Effective participation of CSOs in, engendering the domestication, implementation and accountability of the SDG5 and SDGs processes.

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Our Objectives

1. Create a platform for collaboration and capacity strengthening through knowledge sharing and learning between various stakeholders on the implementation and domestication of SDG 5 and the SDGs.
2. Monitor and track the engendering of the SDGs implementation process.
3. Influence, advocate and support a collective voice on SDG 5 and related issues towards shaping national, regional and international policies and planning and action.

Our Clusters

The Rwanda CSO SDG5 Forum works under three thematic clusters in line with the National Strategy for Transformation (NST1); Economic, Social, Governance. Subsequently the forums work will be based on the different SDGs as informed by the clusters.

Our Work

The Forum's work will include; Learning and Sharing: knowledge transfer and capacity building through trainings, information and experience sharing Lobbying and Advocacy: create platforms to effectively engage and influence policy at national level. Research and Documentation: using evidence based initiatives to inform the work of the forum