



## FACTORY OF THE FUTURE Wednesday 21 February

All participants. Special focus on the UCLG network and the GTF

Day 3 of the 2024 UCLG Annual Retreat is dedicated to showcasing, sharing and interacting among the ecosystem of local and regional governments and their partners. We will put forth all the current and planned contributions to the Pact for the Future, which give the network its strength and constitute the backbone and structure of the Factory of the Future. Diverse sceneries and session formats will allow for participants to select the most fitting opportunity to hear about or present their own initiatives, such as through a Policy Lab, a Market Place, a Plenary Session and an Interactive Dialogue. We welcome you to Day 3 to zoom into the core of the work of our ecosystem and to discuss and tackle localization trends as well as the New Agenda for Peace.

### Zoom in: Lampedusa Charter Policy Lab 9:00-10:30

Among its seven fundamental principles, the Lampedusa Charter states that "It is not the migratory process that defines the vulnerabilities, but the discriminations and human rights violations that certain groups of the population endure across the journey". This encompasses the dignified treatment of the people whose migratory endeavors fail or end in tragedy - including deaths, disappearance of migrants and the mourning processes of their families.

In this framework, and under the leadership of the Municipality of Lampedusa, the first Human Mobility Policy Lab will bring together actors from different levels of government and different spheres of civil society, international organizations, academia and associations of migrants and their families to discuss concrete ways to address the challenges linked to the dignified treatment of people and their families in the context of failed migratory journeys.

### Market Place 10:45-13:00

As part of the Factory of the Future, this workshop will present how different parts of the network and partners are developing actions and products for the future: local policies, alliances and initiatives that aim to accomplish and are implementing the Pact for the Future principles, caring for the future of People, Planet and Government.

The session will have a format of a Marketplace as an interactive space for "speed dating" sessions with the aim of sharing practices, initiatives and tools developed by different parts



of the network and partners that contribute, co-create and construct ways to unfold the new social contract and the Pact for the Future.

<b>Plenary Presentation of Initiatives</b>	<b>Round 1</b>	<b>Round 2</b>	<b>Round 3</b>
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**Lunch break**  
13:00-14:00

**Localization Trends: Fostering a Theory of Change**  
14:00-15:30

This session will put a magnifying glass on localization trends that have to be taken into account on the road towards the achievement of the SDGs. From longstanding localization trends such as addressing informalities, protecting nature and providing local public services to emerging trends such as care, artificial intelligence and heating cities, emphasis will be placed on guaranteeing these are included in the constituency's work and advocacy efforts.

In this era of global shocks and interconnected challenges, trends are equally interlinked between them, connecting sectors and fields for enhanced collaboration, partnerships and enabling frameworks. The session will reflect this interconnectedness by creating dialogues of trends in an interactive discussion.

<b>Setting the scene</b>	<b>Dialogue 1: Demography and Human Mobility</b>	<b>Dialogue 2: Accessibility, Youth, and the Future of Work</b>	<b>Dialogue 3: Artificial Intelligence and Hate Speech</b>
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**Localizing the New Agenda for Peace**  
15:30-17:00

The session will build on the UCLG Future Envisioning Exercise on the Building Blocks for Peace to bring about a conversation about the New Agenda for Peace, the UN Pact for the Future chapter 2, and how local and regional governments are key leaders to unfold some of the key features contained in this new global framework for peace. By nurturing sustainable development at the grassroots level, localizing the SDGs becomes a powerful catalyst for building resilient, peaceful societies. The discussion aims to identify the local building blocks of the New Agenda for Peace, which will allow local governments to connect with partners to explore how local transformative action is at the center of bringing about peace globally.

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**Stocktaking Plenary**  
17:00-17:30