A time to Improve Land Governance: How can Land Professionals support the implementation of the VGGT

FIG Working Week, Christchurch New Zealand, Thursday 5 May 11:00–12:30
Roundtable Objectives/Output

- To discuss challenges, ideas that lead to solutions/opportunities for land professionals to improve governance of tenure at all levels

- From our deliberations: An action statement of the role of surveyors to improve governance of tenure as it applies to the use of the VGGT’s
Facilitated by

- Chair: Diane Dumashie
- Rapporteur: Robin McLaren
Introducing our Panellists

- Paul Munro-Faure, Chair FAO Task Force Implementing the Voluntary Guidelines, FAO
- Mr Ganesh Prasad Bhatta, Deputy Director General, Survey Dept, Nepal
- Mr Henry Pacis, Assistant Director, Land Management Bureau DENR, Philippines
- Chethna Ben, Assistant Lecturer and Researcher, University South Pacific
Setting the Scene

Global Game Changers

Paul Munro– Faure

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Question set One

In the context of The VGGT’s,

- Was this process ever envisaged as a game changer for land professionals/ surveyors in their contribution to improving land governance?

Q & A
Question set Two

Taking as our lead, headings from within the VGGT’s: Consider Challenges and solutions

- Response to emergencies, specifically natural disaster management

- And, ..........
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- Legal recognition and allocation of tenure rights, specifically in a Customary scenario
Question set Three

What is the relevance to surveyors in cross cutting themes, i.e. practical ideas and next steps?

- The opportunity to implement by drawing from a diverse generational base, i.e. the youth

- And.....
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- Opportunity for government to drive programs WITH multiple Stakeholder

- And............
What are the necessary requirements for an effective follow-up and review of land professionals input and roll-out of the VGGT within their country levels
1 Minute on each....

- What are the necessary requirements for an effective follow-up and review of land professionals input and roll-out of the VGGT within their country levels?

- What is the potential contribution of FIG and partners to the follow-up and review of implementing the VGGT?
Rapporteur – Robin McLaren

- Purpose
- Clarity
- Action
Proposed Actions

What has been heard

- X
- X
- X
- X
Next Steps

- VGGT’s Academic Forum
  - Today at 14.00hrs

- VGGT’s at the Africa FIG Regional Network Workshop November 2016

- Reports from You and Your activities over the upcoming 12 months??

- At the next FIG Working week, Finland?
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