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Foundation for Global Governance and Sustainability

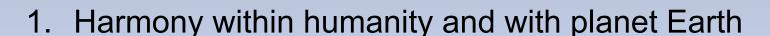
OUR MISSION

- To develop and promote a Grand Narrative of hope, for a people-centred, planet-friendly, inclusive and sustainable globalisation in a rapidly evolving world;
- To help address major global challenges through a revamped global governance system and engaged, responsible and informed global citizens;
- To ensure that the rapid and transformative technological and digital advances contribute to a more just and equitable world, with a better life for all people.

THE FOGGS HEXALOGUE

A Grand Narrative

To explain, challenge and bind the world



- 2. States and international organisations at the service of people
- 3. Human diversity and tolerance, mobility and restraint
- 4. The economy at the service of humanity
- 5. Science and technological progress linked to society
- 6. Engaged global citizens

OUR PHILOSOPHY



1. Global Governance:

Reconnecting global governance institutions to realities on the ground for people and the planet, and to that end promoting normative, structural and procedural transformations

2. Global Sustainability:

Building bridges between ambitious global goals and the daily lives of people around the world, ensuring that good practices are broadly shared towards human resilience and well-being

3. Global Citizenship:

Challenging people through education and training to inform themselves and become agents of change to ensure a positive future for humanity and our planet



GLOBAL GOVERNANCE

UN2100 [UNto100]

Disruptive alternatives for a modern, effective, ethical and people-centered United Nations

Since April, FOGGS has convened a series of Chatham House Rule brainstorming sessions, leading to a number of papers and proposals:

- Proposals for a modern, effective, ethical and people-centered United Nations: Discussion Paper
- Strengthening the UN system: The case of a Committee of the Heads of Governing Bodies: Proposal
- Operating the UN system under crisis conditions: Insights Paper
- The UN system and the world post COVID-19: Action Plan
- The United Nations and the COVID-19 global emergency: Discussion Paper
- Pushing the Agenda advocating for a Global Resilience Council for the people and the planet: Proposal
- Pushing the Agenda advocating for A Narrative of Hope and Resilience for human dignity and well-being:
 Proposal



UN75+25 Alliance

- In the context of the 75th anniversary of the United Nations, FOGGS and partners are bringing together older and younger generations through the UN75+25 Alliance.
- We strive to create a new narrative of hope and ensure implementation of the 2030 Agenda and the SDGs. Here is a short video explaining the idea of the Alliance.
- We ask people of all generations to take an active part in the UN75+25 Alliance by sending a 800-word article with their views for publication in the Dialogue section of <u>Katoikos.world</u>, the FOGGS online communitybuilding magazine.



GLOBAL SUSTAINABILITY

Sustainable Development Fora

Partnerships with local civil society to review the state of SDG implementation in countries around the world, identify gaps and promote good practices

- Hellenic Forum for Sustainable Development (ELFOVA)
 with the Hellenic Foundation for European and Foreign Policy (ELIAMEP)
 and other partners, Greece
- Forum for the Sustainable Development of India (FSDI)
 with the Eco Foundation for Sustainable Alternatives (EFSA)
 and other partners, India (report under preparation)



GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

COVIDEA – The COVID Education Alliance

- Leverage digital technologies to better prepare people for a rapidly changing world in the digital age
- Ensure that learners at all levels obtain the skills, competencies and knowledge needed for happy and productive lives in a sustainable future
- Build on the opportunities new technologies offer, as well as on the latest advances in education and related disciplines
- Contribute to the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) as they relate to universal education, life-long learning, promoting innovation, and beyond

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Other Activities

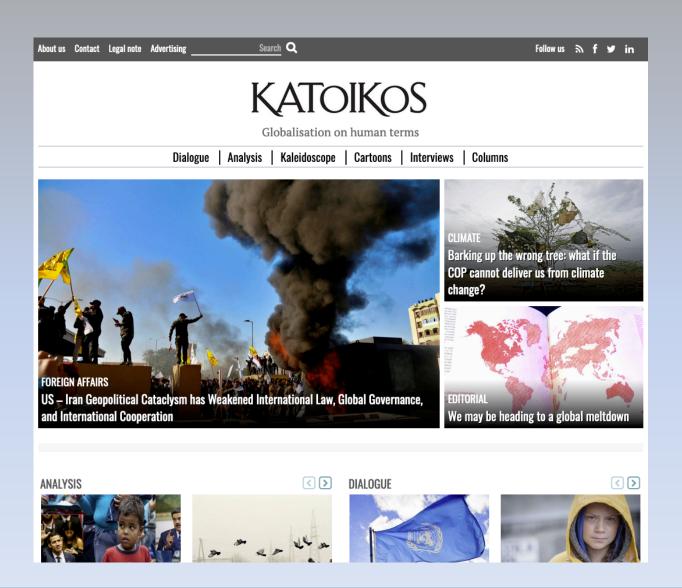
- #Engage4Better petition addressed to the UN Secretary-General and the leaders of all countries for a "Better world after COVID-19" launched in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic
- Recently started series of interviews entitled "Changemakers Around the World": individuals and organisations who embody the Hexalogue and the Grand Narrative in their efforts to make the world a better place through strong social and/or technological impact, posted on our YouTube Channel



OUTREACH

Oureach and Communication

- FOGGS Website
- Katoikos.world
- Newsletter/Update
- Reports
- Events
- Webinars/ Online debates
- Networks
- Friends of FOGGS



Katoikos

- <u>Katoikos.world</u> is FOGGS' online community-building magazine
- Through its five main sections (Dialogue, Analysis, Citizen Correspondent, Art and Editorials), we try to encourage each and every *katoikos*, each citizen of the world, from the youngest to the oldest, no matter what gender s/he may have, what language s/he may speak, what religion or cultural tradition s/he may follow, to submit articles and express their views on our world

Webinars

FOGGS has organized a number of online public discussions/debates:

- Webinar on the <u>#Engage4Better</u> petition (a <u>petition</u> addressed to the United Nations and all governments for a better future after COVID-19): 13/05/2020
- Webinar on "A guaranteed income for all", as part of the #Engage4Better petition: 30/06/2020
- Online discussion on "<u>A Model UN for a Model World, UN75+25 Alliance</u>": 21/09/2020, co-organized with The Dais
- Online debate on "<u>A new Narrative of Hope and a Global Resilience Council for UN75+25</u>": 23/09/2020
- Online debate on "<u>For the Betterment of the World: Different Perspectives on Moving Forward</u>": 23/10/2020
- Online discussion on "<u>We the People of the UN: between reality and myths</u>": 24/10/2020, co-organized with The Dais
- Key supporting partner in the organization of <u>The Dais Global Voices Program</u>: August-October 2020

Who We Are

- An explosively creative mix of experience and youth!
- Executive Board, Secretariat and Advisory Board:
 - Former United Nations officials
 - Civil society activists
 - Established and aspiring academics
 - Experts from diverse sectors
- Most of the above volunteering their time and expertise

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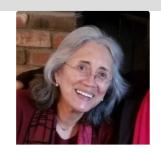
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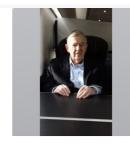
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