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United Nations Global Geospatial Knowledge and Innovation Centre (UN-GGKIC)

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Where is the UN-GGKIC?

Deqing, China, province of Zhejiang, 200 km west of Shanghai
Key Milestones establishing the UN-GGKIC

- **2018 Nov.**
  - **Moganshan Declaration**, announced at the first United Nations World Geospatial Information Congress

- **2019 April**
  - **Memorandum of Intent**, signed between the Government of China and the United Nations in Beijing

- **2022 May**
  - **Formal establishment**
Vision and Mission of the UN-GGKIC

...Where geospatial solutions shape our world

1. Vision
   - To strengthen geospatial capacity, knowledge, and innovation to shape countries and accelerate the implementation and achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals

1. Mission
   - To develop, promote and support the required geospatial innovation, leadership, coordination, and standards to assist countries in their efforts

5 Principles
   - Innovation
   - Digital
   - Equity
   - Accessible
   - Stakeholder

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Strategic Plan 2024 – 2026 of the UN-GGKIC

5 MAIN GOALS

- Developing leadership and collaboration
- Addressing national priorities, accelerating the goals
- Fostering geospatial knowledge
- Enabling innovation and technology
- Enhancing communication and awareness

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Structure and bodies of the UN-GGKIC

23 international geospatial experts to provide substantive guidance on the development and implementation of the annual programme of work.

Provide strategic advice on the UN-GGKIC annual programme of work and its implementation including the usage of funds.

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UN-GGKIC IAC meeting on 17 to 18 April 2024, Deqing, China

European delegates from Belgium, Germany, Slovenia, United Kingdom
Outcome and findings
UN-GGKIC IAC meeting on 17 to 18 April 2024, Deqing, China

• Terms of Reference reviewed, discussed and adopted
• Co-Chairs elected:
  • Maroale Mimi Martha Chauke
  • Antonius Wijanarto
• Draft Strategic Plan and Draft Work Programme discussed
What comes next?

- **Initial draft Strategic Plan**
  - 11 April 2024
- **Meeting of IAC Deqing, China**
  - 17-18 April 2024
  - Recommendations on the Strategic plan by The IAC
- **First revised draft Strategic Plan**
  - 12 May 2024
- **Meeting of IAC Online**
  - 16 May 2024
  - Welcome draft, with suggestions/comments
- **Second revised draft Strategic Plan**
  - 12 June 2024
- **Meeting of IAC Online for Adoption of the Strategic Plan**
  - 3 July 2024
- **Strategic Plan at UN-GGIM**
  - 5-9 August 2024
Thank you for your attention!

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