

# Creating an Open Government Agenda for Cabo Verde

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Partnership

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About the Open Government  
Partnership (OGP)

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**“By helping to fight corrupt practices, improve health, education and ensure civic participation, open government helps leaders deliver for their citizens between and beyond elections.”**

- *Sanjay Pradhan, Chief Executive Officer, OGP*





**Open government is all about giving citizens spaces to have a say and to influence issues that affect their lives such as climate change, gender equality, education, health, water and sanitation.**



# Who We Are



## Our Origin

- + Founded in 2011 by government leaders and civil society advocates



## Our Values

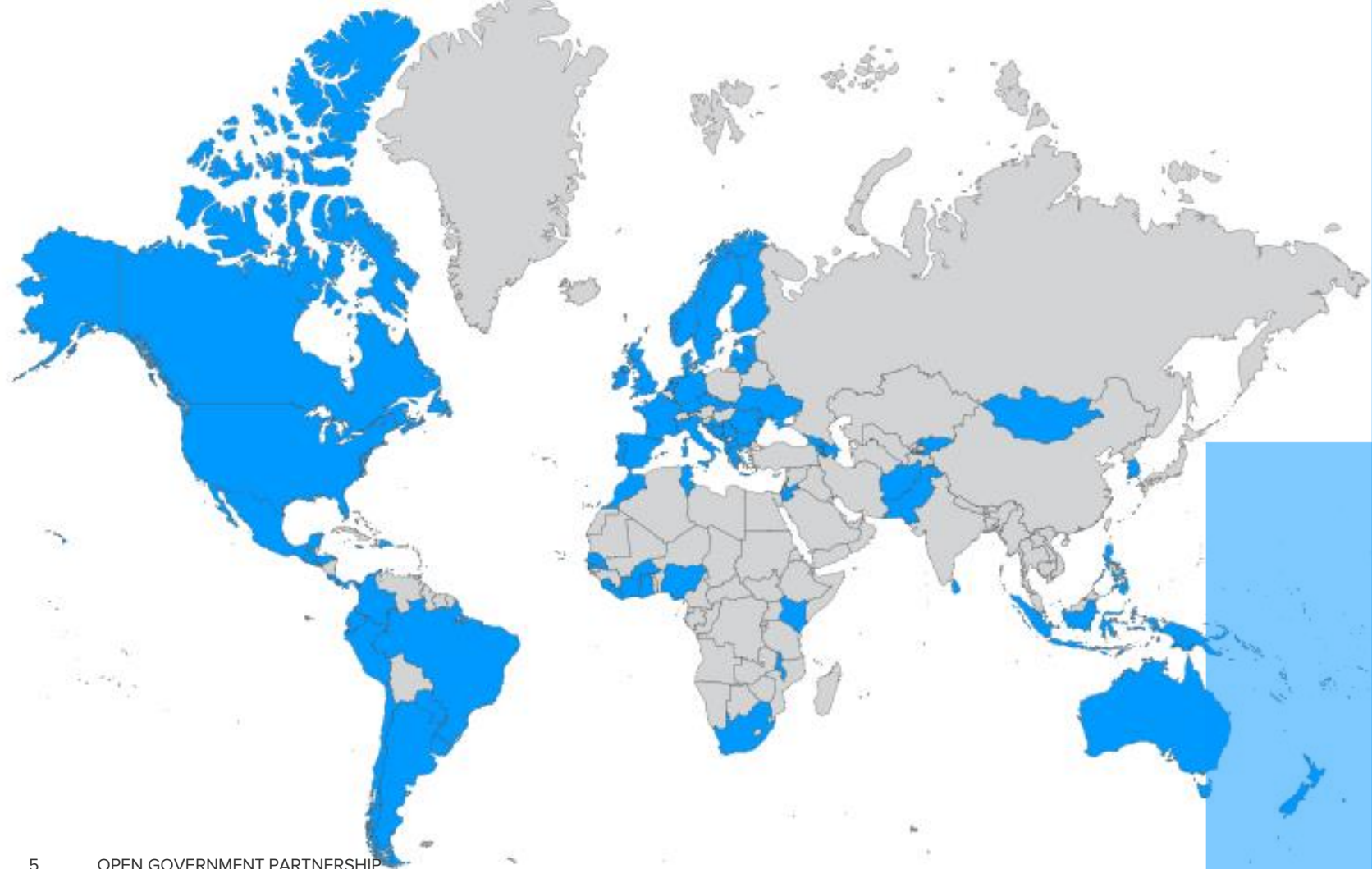
- + Transparency
- + Accountability
- + Participation
- + Inclusion



## Our Members

- + 78 countries
- + Growing number of local governments
- + Thousands of civil society organizations, academic professionals, and private businesses





# How OGP Works



## Action

- + Governments and civil society co-create two-year action plans with concrete reforms or commitments
- + 4,000+ commitments made to date



## Community

- + OGP members engage in peer learning and exchange.




## Accountability

- + The OGP Independent Reporting Mechanism (IRM) monitors all action plans to ensure governments follow through on commitments.
- + Members conduct self-assessments



# Issues country are addressing through the Open Government Partnership

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- A photograph of three individuals seated at a conference table. On the left is a woman with dark hair wearing a black and white striped top. In the center is a man with glasses and a dark suit. On the right is another man with glasses and a dark suit. Behind them are several national flags, including the Canadian flag and the Mexican flag. The background also features a map of the Americas.
- + Guarding Civic Space
  - + Including All Voices
  - + Fighting Corruption
  - + Granting Access to Justice
  - + Promoting Better Public Services
  - + Protecting Natural Resources
  - + Improving Digital Governance
  - + Opening Budgets
  - + Obtaining the Right to Information

A young woman with dark, curly hair is the central figure. She is wearing a long-sleeved sweater with horizontal rainbow stripes. Her arms are raised, and her hands are behind her head. She has a small tattoo on her left forearm. She is looking directly at the camera with a neutral expression. The background consists of a blue corrugated metal wall and a textured grey wall to the left. The overall lighting is bright and natural.

**Including All Voices**

**Elevating Vulnerable Voices:**

**In Costa Rica, the government through OGP restart consultations with indigenous communities on service delivery which created a relationship that resulted in better health and education services.**

A photograph of a classroom full of young students. In the foreground, a boy and a girl are smiling and pointing towards the camera. They are wearing green school uniforms with yellow stripes on the sleeves. Other students are visible in the background, some looking at the camera and others looking away. The classroom has green walls and windows in the background.

**Schools become transparent to improve quality and efficiency**

**The Kigoma Ujiji Municipal Council publishes data on school funding and expenditures, student and staff numbers, school labor needs, school building infrastructure and test results to help identify and target unequipped and underperforming schools.**

A female doctor with long dark hair, wearing a white lab coat and a small earring, is leaning over a young boy. She is adjusting his glasses. The boy is sitting at a desk with a laptop, looking at the screen. He is wearing a dark blue and yellow patterned sweater. The background is a plain, light-colored wall. The image is partially covered by a blue overlay on the right side.

**Providing health services for citizens.**

**Buenos Aires created a comprehensive and public database containing information on the availability of sexual and reproductive health services, and a geolocation map of the centers to increase access to their services.**

# Citizens participating in budgets.

Côte d'Ivoire engaged women's groups in participatory budgeting to help set priorities and fund public services that better respond to their needs.



**Partnership to provide sanitation facilities**

**Sekondi-Takoradi Government, Ghana is bringing together landlords, private sector and citizens to improve sanitation by building toilets in all properties.**

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