

Partnerships to Implement to FAO Voluntary Guidelines

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VOLUNTARY GUIDELINES

CFS-LED INTERGOVERNMENTAL NEGOTIATIONS

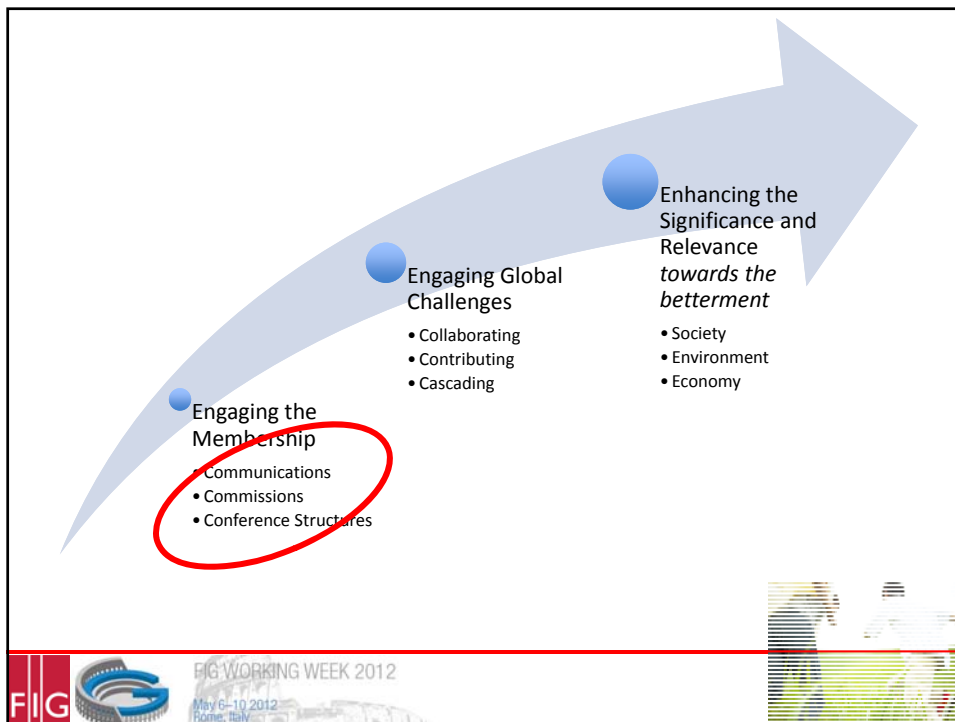
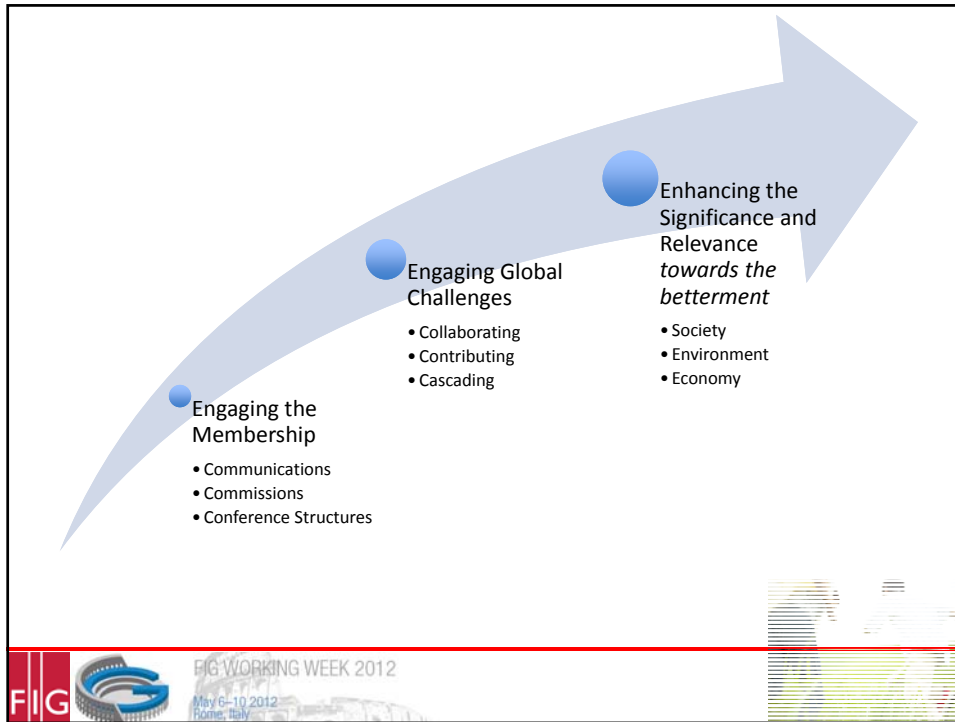
The Final Draft of the Voluntary Guidelines is now available in: English | español | français | русский | العربية | 中國的

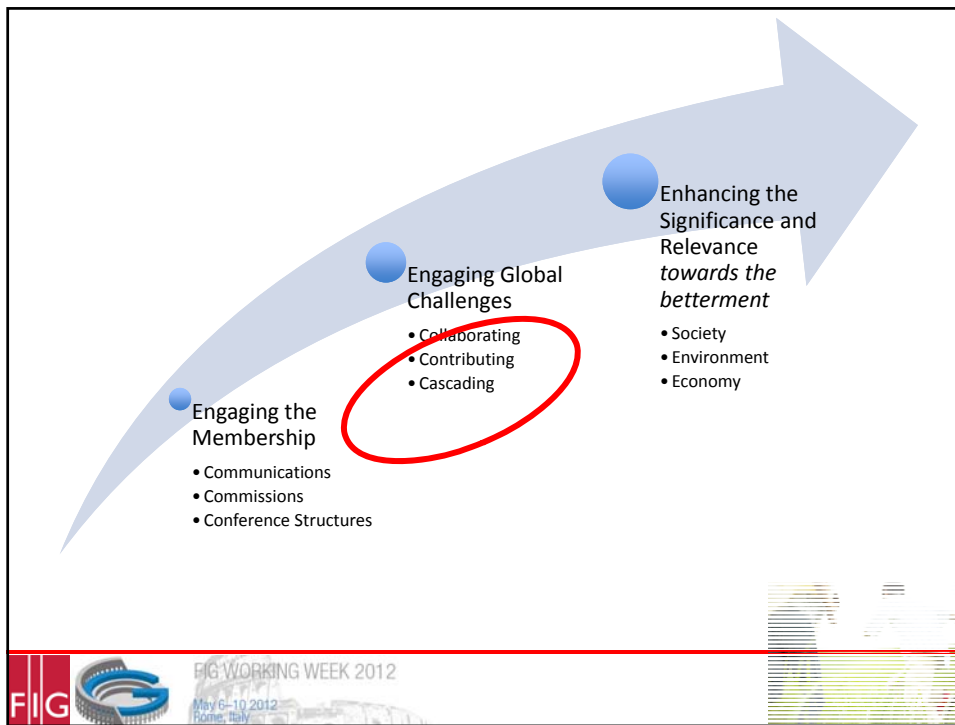
Final Letter by the Chair of the Open-Ended Working Group: [English](#)

The Voluntary Guidelines will be considered for endorsement during the 38th Special Session of CFS in Rome on 11 May.

The intergovernmental negotiations on the Voluntary Guidelines on the Governance of Tenure of Land, Fisheries and Forests in the context of National Food Security have been successfully finalized on Friday 9 March 2012. About 96 member countries along with civil society organizations, UN agencies and other international organizations, farmers associations, and private sector representatives took part in three rounds of negotiations led by an Open Ended Working Group of the Committee on World Food Security (CFS). The final round of negotiations was held at FAO's headquarters in Rome 5-9 March. The negotiations took place in a positive, constructive and inclusive atmosphere and a great sense of ownership was felt by all participants.

As a next step the Voluntary Guidelines will be considered for final endorsement during the 38th Special Session of CFS in Rome on 11 May. Upon the endorsement, the focus will shift to the implementation of the Voluntary Guidelines.





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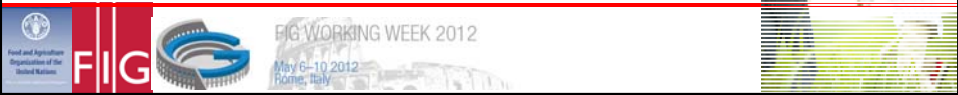


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