



# LAND

**WE LIVE ON IT.  
WE GROW FROM IT.  
WE DRINK FROM IT.  
WE BUILD OUR FUTURES UPON IT.**

**INTERNATIONAL  
LAND  
COALITION**

# THE CURRENT SITUATION

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## NEW RESEARCH TELLS US

**70%**  
OF THE WORLD'S  
AGRICULTURAL LAND  
IS UNDER THE CONTROL  
OF A MERE



**1%**

OF LANDOWNING  
CORPORATIONS  
AND INDIVIDUALS.





# WHAT'S AT STAKE

**WE'RE WORKING TO GET LAND RIGHTS  
RECOGNISED AS A SOLUTION TO  
MULTIPLE GLOBAL CRISES**

**DEMOCRATIC DEFICIT  
AND CLOSING CIVIC SPACE**

**CLIMATE AND  
ENVIRONMENTAL CRISES**

**LAND**  
CONNECTS EVERYTHING

**UNSUSTAINABLE  
FOOD SYSTEMS**

**EXTREME  
INEQUALITY**

# WHAT WAS PROMISED



## 2015

193 world leaders pledged to  
*'leave no one behind'*, ensuring  
a better world in 2030?

**THAT WON'T HAPPEN IF FARMERS, PASTORALISTS  
AND INDIGENOUS PEOPLE - WHO ARE ACTUALLY  
ON THE LAND - AREN'T **AT THE CENTER OF  
MAKING DECISIONS** THAT IMPACT THEIR LIVES  
AND HEALTH OF THE LAND. OUR MEMBERS CALL  
THIS **PEOPLE-CENTRED LAND GOVERNANCE.****

**EQUITABLE LAND RIGHTS  
ARE THE KEY TO PROGRESS**

**ON HUMAN RIGHTS, FLOURISHING  
AND HEALTHY SOCIETIES,  
AND A SUSTAINABLE PLANET.**

# OUR MISSION

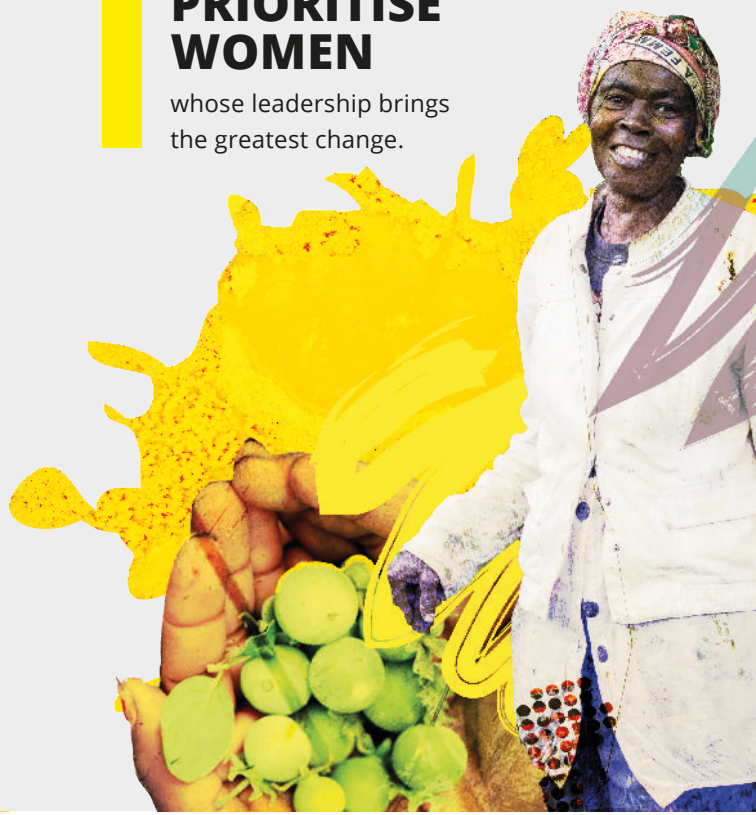
IT IS SIMPLE YET **AMBITIOUS**:

## SECURE LAND RIGHTS

responding to the needs and protecting the rights of those who live on and from the land, and more progress will follow.

## PRIORITISE WOMEN

whose leadership brings the greatest change.



# WHAT MAKES US UNIQUE

Over the last six years, ILC almost doubled its membership to become one of the foremost land rights networks, with **MORE THAN 300 MEMBERS** covering **84 COUNTRIES**. Nearly half of these are organisations belong to land users, such as farmers, pastoralists, indigenous peoples, women and youth. Together, these organisations in the ILC membership directly represent over 70 Million land users.

**ILC IS THE LARGEST AND MOST DIVERSE COALITION WORKING ON LAND RIGHTS IN THE WORLD.**

We are a coalition of equals. Instead of focusing on our differences, we work to find the common ground. We work together on the basis of *trust*, *mutual respect* and *shared leadership*.

## OUR IMPACT 2016-21:

- **83 PEOPLE-CENTRED POLICIES** and laws on land rights **IN 29 COUNTRIES**.
- **40+ MILLION HECTARES** worldwide and land rights **FOR 1.7+ MILLION PEOPLE** secured.



# 2030 STRATEGY

To tackle these global challenges, the **2030 STRATEGY SHIFTS** :

## **POWER BACK TO PEOPLE**

*Systems change is about shifting power.*

Only by putting the power into the hands of people whose lives depend on land can we achieve inclusive and sustainable development that “leaves no one behind.”

## **ATTENTION TO LAND RIGHTS**

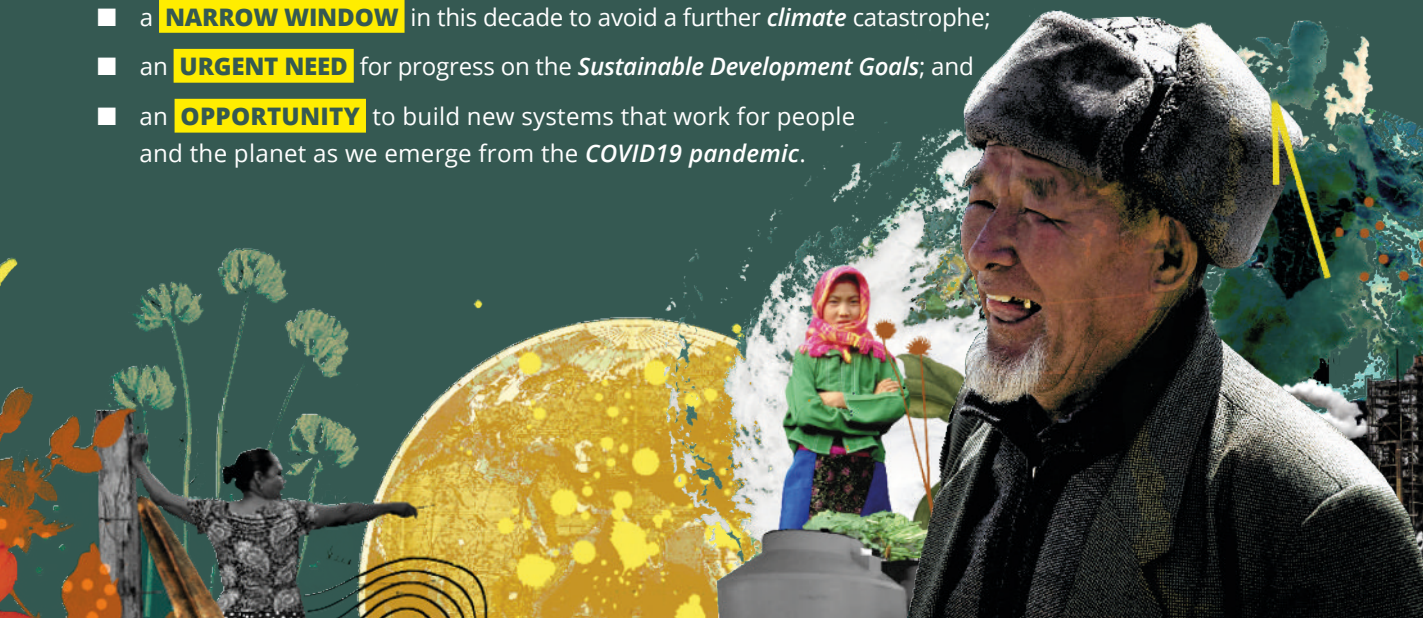
ILC unblocks lack of progress to SDG land indicators in 30+ countries because *land rights are essential to achieving 13 of the goals, 59 targets and 65 indicators.*

## **FOCUS ON DATA-DRIVEN ADVOCACY FOR ACCOUNTABILITY**

because *what doesn't get measured, doesn't get done*, ILC supports its members to gather people's data on land governance and use it to monitor and hold governments accountable.

This strategy coincides with a **DECISIVE MOMENT IN OUR HISTORY:**

- a **NARROW WINDOW** in this decade to avoid a further *climate* catastrophe;
- an **URGENT NEED** for progress on the *Sustainable Development Goals*; and
- an **OPPORTUNITY** to build new systems that work for people and the planet as we emerge from the *COVID19 pandemic*.





# A MULTIPLIER EFFECT

Donor partners include:

- *International Fund for Agricultural Development*
- *The European Union*
- *Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation*
- *The German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ)*
- *The Ford Foundation*
- *Wellspring Philanthropic Fund*

**"THESE TANGIBLE RESULTS ARE WHY WE CONTINUE TO STRONGLY SUPPORT THE ILC, AS AN INNOVATIVE PARTNERSHIP THAT CROSSES THE MULTILATERAL/ CIVIL SOCIETY DIVIDE. DIVERSITY IS ILC'S GREATEST STRENGTH."**

**Gilbert Hougbo,**  
President, International Fund  
for Agricultural Development

## BUDGET

ILC works with a **TARGET TRIENNIAL BUDGET** of **42 MILLION USD**, of which:

- **21 MILLION USD** is core contributions through a basket fund hosted by IFAD to support the implementation of the strategy
- **AT LEAST 21 MILLION USD** is leveraged for specific initiatives led by members under the umbrella of Strategy 2030

ILC's core budget directly leverages additional funds on at least a 1:1 basis.

### ILC IS A MULTIPLIER

We catalyse larger processes with a much wider impact than we could directly reach under our own budget alone.

### SPACE FOR 1 TO 2 DONOR PARTNERS

A group of strategic partners (EC, IFAD, SDC, BMZ, and Wellspring) are committed to covering most of the core ILC budget to 2030. However, ILC still seeks additional partners to join up for about one-third of the budget that is not yet funded.

## SHARED GOALS, SHARED VALUES, JOIN US!

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