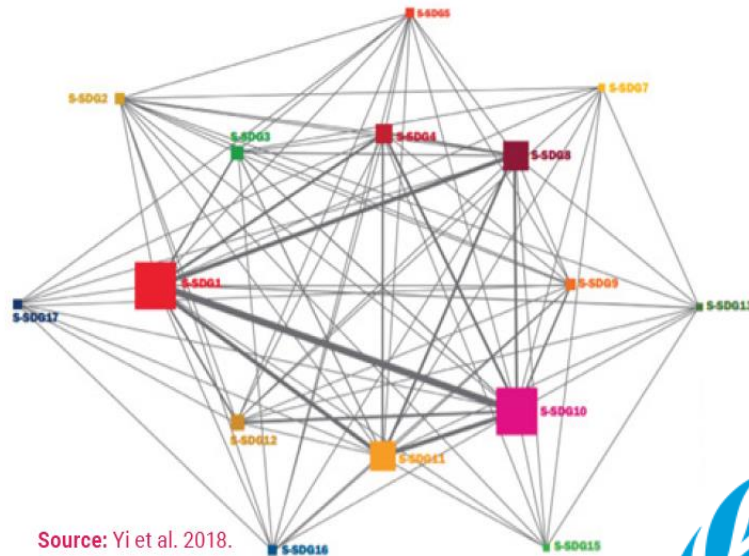


Social and Solidarity Economy

Figure 1

How Seoul's SSEOs contribute to the SDGs: Tracing the pathways



Source: Yi et al. 2018.

5 mini case studies

Germany
Spain
Brazil
Argentina
Senegal

Figure 2

How SSE relates to the other NESD concepts



Source: Authors

UN Task Force on SSE estd. 2013



UN Resolution on the SSE
"Promoting SSE for Sustainable
Development"

1. Road to the UN resolution: brief history

- **UN Inter-Agency Task Force on SSE, established in 2013; Priorities:**
 - enhance the recognition of the role of SSE enterprises and organizations in sustainable development.
 - promote knowledge of SSE and consolidate SSE networks.
 - support the establishment of an enabling institutional and policy environment for SSE.
 - ensure coordination of international efforts and create and strengthen partnerships.
- **A UN resolution was identified to serve the priorities.** To promote the resolution, side events were organized in July and December 2022, with participation from ministers and the 2nd Vice President from France. The inter-agency task force provided substantive support to the core group led by Chile, Senegal and Spain as cofacilitators, to draft and negotiate [the resolution, which was adopted on 18 April 2023](#) by the UNGA.

2. SSE resolution implications for the UN System

- **Directly: Operative paragraphs 2 and 4.**
- **OP2. *Encourages* UNDS entities, incl. UNCTs, to consider SSE in their planning and programming instruments, part. UNSDCF, to support States (based on requests & mandates), **to identify, formulate, implement and assess coherent and enabling policy measures and frameworks for developing SSE as a tool for achieving the SDGs** (in this regard **acknowledges the work of the UNTFSSE**)**
- **OP4: (Ilcheong; TF reporting role): requires documenting successes, challenges & lessons learned**
- **Indirectly: operative paragraphs 1 and 3.**
- **OP1. Support to Member States**
 - to promote and implement **strategies, policies, programs and legal frameworks for supporting and enhancing SSE** as a model for sustainable economic and social development and **make SSE contribution visible**;
 - **compilation of national statistics**;
 - **providing fiscal and public procurement incentives**;
 - acknowledging SSE in **education curricula and capacity-building** and research initiatives;
 - reinforcing entrepreneurship and business support; by facilitating **SSE entities access to financial services/funding**;
 - and encourages the participation of SSE actors in the policymaking process;
- **OP3: collaborate with IFIs & MDBs, to support SSE, (through existing and new financial instruments/mechanisms adapted to all development stages**;