UNITED NATIONS NON-GOVERNMENTAL LIAISON SERVICE (NGLS)



HIGHLIGHTS I SEPT 2023-SEPT 2024 (DURING 78TH SESSION OF THE UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY)

The **Non-Governmental Liaison Service (NGLS)** in the UN Department of Global Communications supported civil society participation in High-Level UN meetings & events in collaboration with OPGA, EOSG, DESA, and other UN-system partners:



ENHANCED CIVIL SOCIETY
PARTICIPATION & ENGAGEMENT
IN HIGH-LEVEL MEETINGS



COORDINATED
SPEAKING
OPPORTUNITIES



MANAGED SPECIAL ACCREDITATION & REGISTRATION



DEVELOPED
COMMUNICATION,
ADVOCACY & OUTREACH

SUPPORTED 16 HIGH-LEVEL EVENTS AT UNHQ AND GLOBALLY

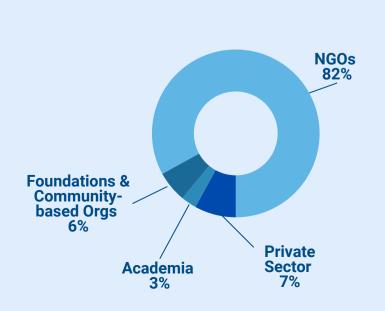
1,950
Accreditations

NGLS Accredited 1,950 Civil Society Organisations

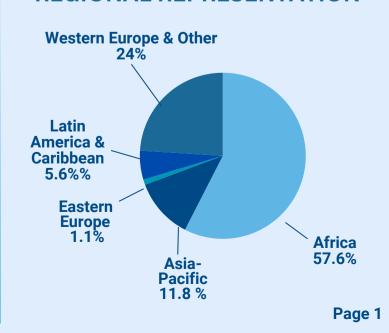
6,897
Registrations

NGLS Registered 6,897 Civil Society Representatives

STAKEHOLDER TYPE



REGIONAL REPRESENTATION



NGLS SECURED CIVIL SOCIETY VOICES IN HIGH-LEVEL MEETINGS

NGLS called for & received civil society statements for inclusion in High-Level events as well as securing civil society speaking roles at these events.



1,836
Civil Society
Statements
reviewed



260+
Civil Society
Statements
recommended



98
Civil Society
Speakers
selected

CIVIL SOCIETY PARTICIPATION TRENDS & INSIGHTS



36.5%

YOUTH PARTICIPATION

36.5% of participants across all high-level events were youth (ages 18-34)



49.5%

GENDER DISTRIBUTION

49.5% of participants were female (self-identified), reflecting an equal gender distribution.

REPRESENTATION



57.6%

21.5%

• 57.6% of participants were from Africa.

 21.5% of participants were from Small Island Developing States (SIDS) & Least Developed Countries (LDCs)