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**Chapeau**

We, the World Future Council, as part of the peoples of the United Nations, are determined to safeguard future generations from the consequences of the triple planetary crisis, wars, armed conflicts and gender inequality. We affirm the rights of the child and human rights and welcome this once-in-a-generation opportunity to renew the multilateral system, trust and solidarity between people, countries and generations, as mentioned in the Common Agenda report.

The World Future Council recognises that the UN system has integrated Future Generations into their decision-making programmes, like adopting the principles of Future Generations for all to the UN systems and to repurpose the Trusteeship Council to include Future Generations in decision-making.

*(Add your concise, concrete, and action-oriented language for the Chapeau)*

**Chapter I. Sustainable development and financing for development**

*(Add your organization's concise, concrete, and action-oriented recommendations for Chapter 1)*

**Chapter II. International peace and security**

*(Add your organization's concise, concrete, and action-oriented recommendations for Chapter 2)*

### **Chapter III. Science, technology and innovation and digital cooperation**

*(Add your organization's concise, concrete, and action-oriented recommendations for Chapter 3)*

### **Chapter IV. Youth and future generations**

The World Future Council endorses the work the UN has done for the last 10 years to establish a UN Special Envoy for Future Generations, as proposed in the UN SGs Our Common Agenda Report in 2021 and included in the UN SGs Policy Brief issued March 2023 in connection with the Un Summit of the Future 2024 - which the WFC fully supports and has been advocating for since 2007.

The World Future Council recommends the establishment of Representatives of Future Generations at regional, national and local levels with authority to review policy in order to uphold the rights of future generations including a sustainable environment.

The World Future Council recommends the strengthening of legal obligations to protect future generations including through the campaign to take climate change to the International Court of Justice.

The World Future Council recommends advancing core goals to 'save succeeding generations from the scourge of war' through better use of UN common security mechanisms to prevent wars and to achieve a sustainable peace.

The World Future Council calls for a commitment to achieving the global elimination of nuclear weapons, which threaten current and future generations, no later than 2045, the 100th anniversary of the United Nations.

*(Add your organization's concise, concrete, and action-oriented recommendations for Chapter 4)*

### **Chapter V. Transforming global governance**

*(Add your organization's concise, concrete, and action-oriented recommendations for Chapter 5)*