



Building New Coalitions by Linking Governments to CSOs: Identify best practices and ways and means to scale- up engagement

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OUTLINE

- Examples of what has worked
- Why did they work
- Scaling up

EXAMPLES

- Women's Taskforce for a Gender Responsive Peace Recovery and Development Plan
- The Uganda 1325 Coalition
- The Gender Is My Agenda Campaign



STRATEGIES

- Evidence based advocacy – systematic research and documentation
- Building capacity to collect data
- Engaging constructively with government and receive feedback
- Addressing emerging issues

SCALING UP



- Identify CSO platforms and engage with them
- Map out areas of interest
- Strengthen the relationship between CSOs and government to provide a conducive work environment for CSOs that enables collaboration
- Both CSOs and governments must engage at the conceptualization phase of any initiative in order to build consensus at the onset.