

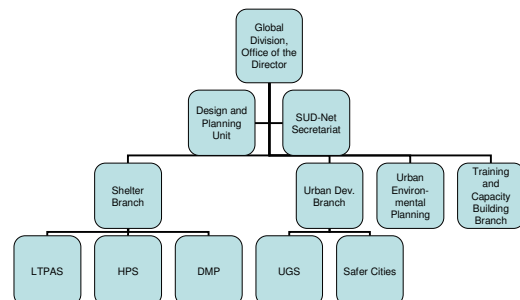
### Medium-term Strategic Institutional Plan (MTSIP)

- UN-HABITAT's institutional response to meeting the urban challenge - 6-year plan (2008-2013)
- UN-HABITAT's goal: Sustainable Urbanization, created by cities and regions that provides citizens with adequate services, security and employment opportunities while limiting their ecological footprint
- MTSIP strategic vision: to help create, by 2013, the necessary conditions for international and national efforts to stabilize the growth of slums and set the stage for the subsequent reduction in and reversal of the number of persons living in slums.

### The Global Division

- Normative role
- Coordinates the agency's global advocacy functions
- Role in MTSIP – supports crosscutting issues, but has particular responsibilities in achieving the objectives of:
  - Focus Area 2: Urban planning, management and governance
  - Focus Area 3: Land and housing

### Organogram



## Sustainable Urban Development Network – SUD-Net

**The vision :** To **upgrade** existing urban areas slums, by developing capacities of national & local authorities and actors, and to **prevent** new slums and non-sustainable cities by planning un-built cities for the un-born

- Building strategic partnerships for promoting sustainable urban development
- Coordinating efforts across the Global Division on themes: Urban Governance & Decentralisation/Basic Services; Urban Planning & Safety; Environmental Planning and Management (CCCI); Education, Training and Research (HPU), Urban Economy...

## Sustainable Urban Development Network – SUD-Net

SP 1 Mandate Normative & Operative:

- Global Division -> SUDNet:
  - Equity
  - Environment
  - Economy
  - Education

## The Shelter Branch

- Responding to MTSIP FA 3 objectives – Land and Housing
- Three sections responding to three priority areas:
  - Land Tenure and Property administration Section
  - Housing Policy Section
  - Disaster and Post-Conflict Section
- Key partners include: World Bank; etc.

## The Urban Development Branch

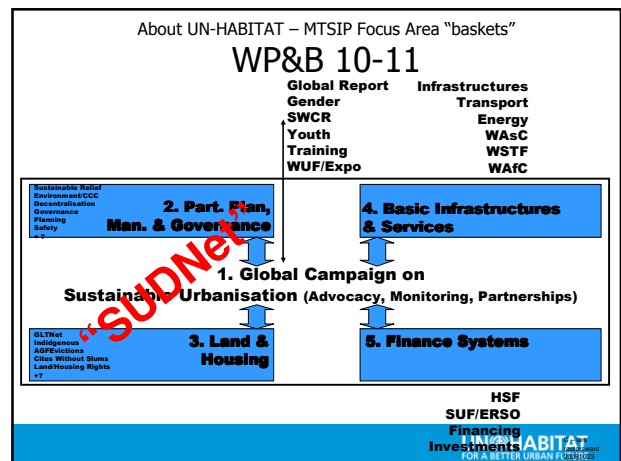
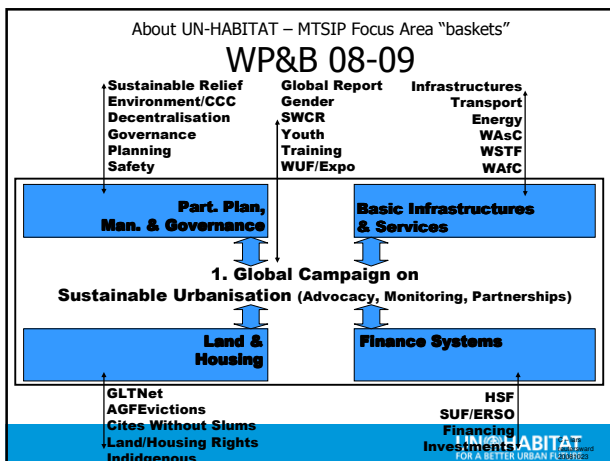
- Responding to and coordinating the Division's strategic work toward MTSIP FA 2 objectives – Urban Planning, Management and Governance
- Two sections responding to two priority areas:
  - Urban Governance Section – decentralization
  - Safer Cities Programme – safety and security
- Key partners include: x; y

## The Urban Environmental Planning Branch

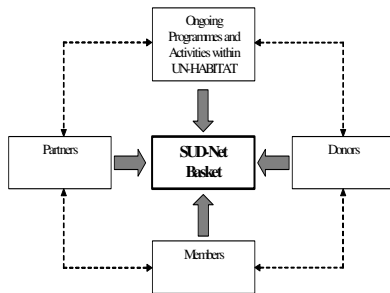
- Responding to MTSIP FA 2, 3, and crosscutting objectives
- Thematic focus: urban environment; climate change; and biodiversity
- Key initiatives: SCP-LA21; Cities and Climate Change Initiative (CCCI); and programmes in the Lake Victoria Region
- Key partners include: World Bank – Cities Alliance; UNEP; ICLEI etc.

## The Training and Capacity Building Branch

- Responding to crosscutting issues in the MTSIP – supporting capacity development
- Areas of focus: Capacitate change agents and improving knowledge, skills and attitudes
- Key initiatives: Quick Guides; training ; Habitat Partner University (HPU) Network; Local Economic Development; etc.
- Key partners include: AIT; etc.



About UN-HABITAT – MTSIP Focus Area “baskets”  
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## Key advocacy events

- World Urban Forum 2010
    - Global Division organizing Dialogues (Bridging the Urban Divide, Equal access to Shelter, Inclusive Sustainable Urbanization)
    - Organizing and participating in a number of key events including Round Tables, side events, exhibitions etc.
  - Shanghai World Expo 2010
    - Theme: *Better Cities, Better Life*
    - UN-HABITAT coordinating UN pavilion *One Earth, One UN* (Global Division houses the Expo Secretariat)
    - Over 30 UN agencies already on-board
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