# Sport for Development and Peace International Working Group (SDP IWG)

Sport and Child & Youth Development

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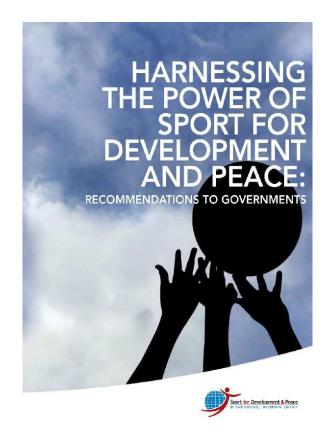


#### What is SDP IWG

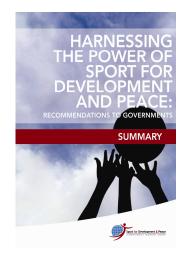
- Inter-governmental policy initiative
- Aim: promote the integration of Sport for Development and Peace (SDP) policy recommendations into national and international development strategies of national governments.
- Members: Member State representative
- Observers: UN system representatives, academia, civil society, private sector, sports organisations, nongovernmental organisations.



## **Publications**







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# Contribution to Reports

- Angola
- Argentina
- Australia
- Austria
- Azerbaijan
- Benin
- Brazil
- Burundi
- Canada
- Cape Verde
- Ethiopia
- Germany
- Ghana

- Lebanon
- Mexico
- Mozambique
- The Netherlands
- Norway
- Palau
- Palestinian Territory
- Papua New Guinea
- Peru
- Samoa
- Sierra Leone
- South Africa
- Spain

- Sri Lanka
- Switzerland
- Tanzania
- Thailand
- Uganda
- United Kingdom
- Vanuatu
- Zambia



# **Important Dates**

•2004: Athens Summer Olympic Games

•2007: Accra, Ghana

August 2008: Beijing, China

 December 2008: UN General Assembly Resolution A/RES/63/135

April 2009: call for funding

•December 2009: Sport and Child & Youth Development Thematic launched.



#### **Five Thematics**

- Sport and Health
- Sport and Child & Youth Development
- Sport and Gender
- Sport and Persons with Disabilites
- Sport and Peace



#### **Funders**

- UNOSDP extra-budgetary office
- •Thank you to:
  - United Kingdom
  - Canada
  - Norway
- Encourage Governments for financial support



## Next Steps

- Launch other thematics
- Develop regular regional meetings
- Focus on best practices
- Formalized reporting

SDP IWG 2<sup>nd</sup> Plenary Session provisional date:
 12 May 2011, Geneva, Switzerland



#### For more information

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