



Our strategic plan outlines how we are going to:

1- strengthen the power of the FIDH network in order to counter the current unprecedented attacks on freedoms, rights and human rights defenders.

2- advance human rights for everyone across the world.

FIDH STRATEGIC PLAN 2030: A SUMMARY

Leading together the fight for human rights

WHY THIS STRATEGIC PLAN? HUMAN RIGHTS UNDER ATTACK

While the international community fails to deliver a unified response, current environmental, economic, social and health crises are accentuating existing divisions within societies. Exploiting these divisions, opponents of human rights and their universality are working to reshape the discourse on rights and weaken the mechanisms that uphold them, eroding the foundations of democratic principles. Today, impunity for human rights violations is thriving, international protection mechanisms and norms are being eroded and everywhere, even within democracies, hostility towards civil society organisations and human rights defenders is on the rise. Transnational corporations and economic actors also represent a threat to the effectiveness of human rights and environmental protection.

In this context, human rights defenders and civil society are the last line of defence in protecting the rights and freedoms of everyone throughout the world.

THE POWER TO ECHO THE CALL: FIDH FIGHTS BACK

Federating a community of about 200 national civil society organisations from across the world, FIDH has the power to echo the call for rights, freedoms and justice. Created in 1922 by organisations from different parts of the world, FIDH is the first network to defend and promote the universality of human rights. Combining knowledge and contacts at national level with expertise in international law, we work together to protect and support human rights defenders and victims of grave violations, influence actors of change for the respect of all civil, political, economic, social, environmental and cultural rights.

HOW WE MAKE CHANGE HAPPEN

FIDH follows result-driven practices and acts to :

1 UNITE, PROTECT & EMPOWER

We create support systems to protect human rights defenders and civil society organisations and enable them to continue working where they are most effective. We mobilise and unite to give every member the powerful, resolute voice of our global federation.

2 INVESTIGATE & EXPOSE

We investigate human rights abuses where they are happening and publish reliable, factual evidence and analysis to enable decision makers to act.

3 CHALLENGE & BRING TO JUSTICE

We call on governments and companies to respect and uphold their human rights obligations and use the full power of the law to hold violators to account.

4 ADVOCATE & CAMPAIGN

We use our research and analysis to influence government policymakers, public opinion and companies to uphold international human rights law. We create public awareness on key issues to increase pressure and press for change.



OUR VISION

To live in a sustainable world where all individuals are free and equal in rights.



OUR MISSION

Uniting those fighting for a fair and just world.

OUR AMBITION FOR 2030

To achieve our ambition for 2030, FIDH will continue to advocate for human rights for all and shape public policies and institutions so that people, civil society, and victims and survivors of violations are at the heart of the decisions that affect them. We will consolidate and amplify our power to act as a federation so that the global human rights movement gains in strength and influence (Goal 1) and we will focus on the six areas where our expertise is strongest (Goal 2).

GOAL 1: STRENGTHENING FIDH TO BOLSTER THE GLOBAL HUMAN RIGHTS MOVEMENT			
<p>Priority 1: FOSTER FIDH'S VIBRANT NETWORK</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strengthen the mobilisation, representativeness and accountability of FIDH governance. 2. Expand the horizontal dimension of our network. 	<p>Priority 2: INCREASE SUPPORT FOR HUMAN RIGHTS</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Increase the visibility of FIDH's work. 2. Enhance engagement and influence. 	<p>Priority 3: EXPAND ALLIANCES & PARTNERSHIPS</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Create partnership with civil society. 2. Build alliances beyond traditional human right groups. 	
GOAL 2: ADVANCING HUMAN RIGHTS FOR ALL, EVERYWHERE			
<p>Priority 1: PROTECT AND EMPOWER HUMAN RIGHTS DEFENDERS</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Protect human rights defenders at risk. 2. Bolster the power to act of human rights defenders. 3. Foster an enabling environment for human rights defenders and their organisations. 4. Emphasise the legitimacy of human rights defenders and improve their recognition. 	<p>Priority 2: RECLAIM DEMOCRATIC SPACE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Foster an open, pluralistic, and enabling civic space. 2. Strengthen and guarantee the rule of law. 3. Ensure effective and equal access to all human rights for all. 4. Promote a violence-free society. 	<p>Priority 3: MAKE INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE AND ACCOUNTABILITY WORK</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Restore the right of victims of serious human rights violations. 2. Support more effective and meaningful accountability mechanisms. 3. Enhance commitments of decision makers to justice and accountability. 	
	CROSS-CUTTING PRIORITIES		
<p>Priority 4: HOLD COMPANIES TO ACCOUNT</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Promote binding regulatory frameworks and effective due diligence procedures. 2. Hold economic actors accountable for human rights and environmental violations. 3. Promote and support the participation of affected communities. 	<p>Priority 5: PROMOTE WOMEN'S RIGHTS AND GENDER EQUALITY</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fight impunity for sexual and gender-based violence. 2. Enforce sexual and reproductive rights. 3. Support broader network and mobilisation. 	<p>Priority 6: STRENGTHEN INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION MECHANISMS AND LEVERS OF INFLUENCE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strengthen and support existing mechanisms. 2. Develop a wider range of levers of influence. 	