# The International Cartographic Association and EuroSDR

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#### The International Cartographic Association and EuroSDR

- ICA as organization
- ICA at work: current focus
- Cooperation with EuroSDR









#### **ICA's Members and International Cartographic Conferences**







#### The Commissions and Working Groups over time

## Commission are proposed and elected by General Assembly

- Commissions are core to ICA's success
- Commissions follow their ToR to reach ICA's objectives
- Commissions act globally
- Commissions might execute specific ICA tasks incorporated in their ToR

#### Working Groups are installed by EC and focus on topic

• IYM; BoK, SDGs











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#### **Origin of Commission and Working Group Chairs**





#### Number of Executive Committee members by country

AC



#### **Location Executive Committee members over time**





### **Executive Committee members by country over time**





### **Cartography and maps**

ITC



#### Sustainability of the definition







### Maps that matter should **raise interest**, be **engaging**, **instantly understandable**, and be **relevant to society**





#### **Publications etc**

















### What about Maps and Sustainability







## What we did





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#### At the UN-GGIM







### What we plan

- Basics
- Do's/don'ts
- How?
- Role of







### Mapping a sustainable world Geospatial knowledge platforms: Empowering the SDGs through maps

Offer guidelines and best practices for mapping the UN SDGs to...

- best support the SDGs through Cartography with help of the cartographic community
- transfer knowledge and expertis the book *Mapping a sustainal world* and various training relat activities







### An example: Gender inequality index

Name	GI index	Name	GI index	Name	GI index	Name	GI index	Name	GI index	Name	GI index
Afghanistan	0,67	Cote d'Ivoire	0,67	Guinea		Kuwait	0,33	Norway	0,05	Serbia	0,18
Angola		Cameroon	0,57	Gambia	0,64	Laos	0,47	Nepal	0,50	Suriname	0,45
Albania	0,27	Dem. Rep. Congo	0,66	Guinea-Bissau		Lebanon	0,38	New Zealand	0,16	Slovakia	0,18
United Arab Emirates	0,23	Congo	0,59	Eq. Guinea		Liberia	0,65	Oman	0,28	Slovenia	0,05
Argentina	0,36	Colombia	0,39	Greece	0,12	Libya	0,17	Pakistan	0,55	Sweden	0,05
Armenia	0,29	Costa Rica	0,31	Greenland		Sri Lanka	0,39	Panama	0,46	Swaziland	0,57
Australia	0,12	Cuba	0,30	Guatemala	0,49	Lesotho	0,55	Peru	0,39	Syria	0,55
Austria	0,08	N. Cyprus		Guyana	0,51	Lithuania	0,12	Philippines	0,44	Chad	0,69
Azerbaijan	0,33	Cyprus	0,12	Honduras	0,46	Luxembourg	0,07	Papua New Guinea	0,59	Togo	0,56
Burundi	0,47	Czechia	0,13	Croatia	0,14	Latvia	0,19	Poland	0,14	Thailand	0,37
Belgium	0,07	Germany	0,07	Haiti	0,59	Morocco	0,49	Puerto Rico	-	Tajikistan	0,32
Benin	0,61	Djibouti		Hungary	0,25	Moldova	0,23	North Korea	-	Turkmenistan	-
Burkina Faso	0,62	Denmark	0,04	Indonesia	0,47	Madagascar	-	Portugal	0,09	Timor-Leste	-
Bangladesh	0,52	Dominican Rep.	0,47	India	0,53	Mexico	0,35	Paraguay	0,46	Trinidad and Tobago	0,32
Bulgaria	0,22	Algeria	0,43	Ireland	0,13	Macedonia	0,16	Palestine	-	Tunisia	0,29
Bahamas	0,36	Ecuador	0,39	Iran	0,51	Mali	0,69	Qatar	0,54	Turkey	0,33
Bosnia and Herz.	0,16	Egypt	0,57	Iraq	0,53	Myanmar	0,37	Romania	0,34	Taiwan	-
Belarus	0,14	Eritrea		Iceland	0,05	Montenegro	0,16	Russia	0,27	Tanzania	0,54
Belize	0,38	Spain	0,08	Israel	0,10	Mongolia	0,28	Rwanda	0,38	Uganda	0,52
Bolivia	0,45	Estonia	0,13	Italy	0,08	Mozambique	0,57	W. Sahara	-	Ukraine	0,28
Brazil	0,41	Ethiopia	0,50	Jamaica	0,42	Mauritania	0,63	Saudi Arabia	0,26	Uruguay	0,28
Brunei	-	Finland	0,06	Jordan	0,48	Malawi	0,61	Sudan	0,57	United States of America	0,20
Bhutan	0,48	Fiji	0,36	Japan	0,12	Malaysia	0,29	S. Sudan	-	Uzbekistan	0,29
Botswana	0,44	Falkland Is.		Kazakhstan	0,20	Namibia	0,47	Senegal	0,52	Venezuela	0,46
Central African Rep.	0,65	France	0,10	Kenya	0,56	New Caledonia	-	Solomon Is.	-	Vietnam	0,34
Canada	0,10	Gabon	0,54	Kyrgyzstan	0,39	Niger	0,70	Sierra Leone	0,65	Vanuatu	-
Switzerland	0,04	United Kingdom	0,13	Cambodia	0,48	Nigeria	-	El Salvador	0,38	Yemen	0,77
Chile	0,32	Georgia	0,36	South Korea	0,07	Nicaragua	0,46	Somaliland	-	South Africa	0,39
China	0,16	Ghana	0,55	Kosovo	-	Netherlands	0,04	Somalia		Zambia	0,53
										Zimbabwe	0,54



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### Map projections











#### Choice of color - what do you want to tell?







#### The book

- The book is **not** intended as a cartographic textbook, nor an atlas of SDGs.
- The audience of the book is everyone with the need / interest to visualize spatial and temporal SDG patterns.
- The book will be designed in landscape mode, giving us the opportunity to reuse each page as a PowerPoint slide for training / education



• Deadline: juli 2019 (ICC Tokyo)





## ICA & EuroSDR



#### **EuroSDR commission keyword and ICA interests**

- Commission 1: Data Acquisition
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- Commission 2: Modelling and Processing
  - Multi-scale & generalization, geoprocessing, cartography (incl. web cartography), standards
- Commission 3: Updating and Integration
  - Crowd sourcing, heterogeneous information, data integration
- Commission 4: Information Usage
  - User demand analysis, services for distribution (WMS, WFS, WS etc.), geo analysis, visualization, mapping on demand
- Commission 5: Business Models and Operation
  - Open data
- Commission 6: Knowledge Transfer
  - Education, professional development, lifelong learning, shaping curricula, capacity building, Official publications, Website





#### Cooperation

#### Theory

- Just match the EuroSDR keywords with those in ICA Commission's Terms of Reference
- Bring people together and work

#### **Practice**

- ICA Commission work according their Terms of Reference
- In ICA execution is bottom up

#### **Solution**

- Stimulate common interest
- ...







## Let's make the world a better place with maps