

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDG's) from IAGs Perspective

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SUMMARY

The IAG (International Association of Geodesy) is the international scientific organization under the umbrella of IUGG (International Union of Geodesy and Geophysics) promoting scientific cooperation and research in geodesy. Its GGOS (Global Geodetic Observing System) is in charge of coordinating and integrating the various space geodetic techniques as well as bringing together geometric space techniques with physical geodesy and merging terrestrial measurements with airborne observations and data obtained from space. An overview will be given about the current organization of IAG and GGOS and their main goals and tasks. Special emphasis will be put on the contribution to the sustainable development goals.

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