

IDM: Assessing Capacity Development Needs of national actors and promoting solutions Talking Points – Sima Gatea, Co-founder SINGA Deutschland

What is SINGA and how do we develop capacity of actors on the ground?

- Present SINGA Glocal Network in 7 countries
- Outline our Vision, name some innovations
- Connect to Global Compact's "whole-of-society approach", Objective 16-19
- Program design by co-creation 'with', not 'for' newcomers and locals

One of our favorite tools to scale impact:

- Explain SMART Network theory a la Ashoka
- Give one or two examples: SINGA & Partners Newcomer Entrepreneurship Network, Pankower Runde

Recommendations for National Implementation

- States should identify which Compact Objectives they want to prioritise in the first few years
- Stimulate the creation of SMART Networks around those goals by creating funding for local SMART Networks to set up
- Critical success factors: actionable impact goals, clear indicators, regular in-person meetings (monthly), create horizontal and vertical connections among diverse stakeholders operating on local and national levels