



**GLTN**  
GLOBAL LAND TOOL NETWORK

## The 7<sup>th</sup> GLTN Partner's Meeting

24-26 April 2018 – Nairobi

### *Land and Conflict Side Event*

*Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2018 14:00 – 17:00, Conference Room 14*

#### Lead organisation(s)

<b>Organisation(s) name(s)</b>	<b>GLTN, NRC and UN-Habitat</b>
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#### Organisations' brief

**Global Land Tool Network** - The Global Land Tool Network (GLTN) is a coalition of international partners contributing to increased access to land and tenure security for all. GLTN partners are organizations drawn from the rural and urban civil society, international research and training institutions, bilateral and multilateral organizations, and international professional bodies. GLTN develops, disseminates and implements pro-poor and gender-responsive land tools. These tools and approaches contribute to land reform, good land governance, inclusive land administration, sustainable land management and functional land sector coordination. The core values of GLTN are: pro-poor, equitable, gender-responsive, affordable, sustainable and systematically large scale and scalable. The key elements of the GLTN philosophy are: land tools as an entry point in the land sector; partnership and collaboration; the continuum of land rights approach; and the fit-for-purpose land administration. The areas of GLTN's work are: development of land tools, advocacy and knowledge management, capacity development and implementation of land tools at regional and country level, including in fragile countries and countries affected by conflict.

**The Norwegian Refugee Council** – The Norwegian Refugee Council is an independent humanitarian organisation helping people forced to flee. It works in crises across 31 countries, where it helps save lives and rebuild futures. NRC is a determined advocate for displaced people. It promotes and defends displaced people's rights and dignity in local communities, with national governments and in the international arena. NRC's Internal Displacement Monitoring Centre in Geneva is a global leader in monitoring, reporting on and advocating for people displaced within their own country. NRC's experts stand ready to deploy at a moment's notice to support the UN and local authorities in humanitarian crises. Around 6,000 men and women work for the Norwegian Refugee Council, mostly hired locally to work in the field.

**UN-Habitat** - UN-Habitat is the Agency of the United Nations working towards a better urban future. It promotes socially and environmentally sustainable human settlements and adequate shelter for all. Mandated by the UN General Assembly in 1978 to address the issues of urban growth, UN-Habitat developed a wealth of knowledge and expertise by working in human settlements throughout the world and building a brighter future for villages, towns, and cities of all sizes. Its expertise ranges from policy development, to partnership building, to a wide range of



specific technical issues. This makes of UN-Habitat a key partner for local and national governments to formulate and make their urban vision of tomorrow a reality, ensuring that cities become inclusive, affordable, and drivers of economic growth and social development. UN-Habitat global headquarters are based in Kenya and its regional and country offices cover most developing countries.

## Resource persons involved

Salutation	Name	Title	Organization	Role
Mrs	Ombretta Temptra	Human Settlements Officer	GLTN / UN-Habitat	Presenter
Mrs	Dalia Aranki	Global Coordinator HLP AoR	NRC	Presenter
Mrs	Depika Sherchan	Housing, Land and Property Rights Advisor	UN-Habitat Afghanistan	Presenter
Mrs	Maria Luisa Zanelli	Advocacy/Partnership Outreach Manager	Habitat for Humanity	Presenter
Mr	Oumar Sylla	Unit Leader, Land and GLTN Unit	GLTN / UN-Habitat	Resource Person
Mr	David Evans	RRR Branch	UN-Habitat	Resource Person

## Session description

The session will provide the opportunity for GLTN Partners to present some of the new content created on land and conflict since the last Partners' meeting.

The topics to be addressed will include:

1. addressing land issues as a cornerstone of state building, peace and stabilization through the presentation of the new GLTN publication on land and conflict;
2. the role of the judiciary in addressing HLP in conflict-affected settings;
3. new research on land and conflict in Latin America.

The intended objective is to reaffirm the role of the Land and Conflict Coalition and to create a new alignment among GLTN partners and the members of the land and conflict coalition on such emerging themes.

## Overall purpose

1. Key emerging land and conflict themes discussed;
2. Alignment among the members of the land and conflict coalition on such emerging themes established.
3. New GLTN publication on land and conflict publication presented;



4. Key pieces of partners' work presented (NRC, Habitat for Humanity, UN-Habitat Afghanistan)
5. Role of the Land and Conflict Coalition reaffirmed;

The event is co-organised by the partners more involved in the land and conflict work and intends to provide some focus on how to take the steam of work forward.

## Event Outline:

Time	Topic/activity description	Process	Role/ responsibility
14:00 – 14:10	Introduction	Opening Speech	GLTN
14:10 – 14:25	Presentation of the new GLTN publication on land and conflict: 9 case studies	Power Point Presentation	GLTN
14:25 – 14:40	Presentation of the new Habitat for Humanity publication on land and conflict in Latin America	Power Point Presentation	Habitat for Humanity
14:40 – 14:55	Presentation on how Afghanistan is addressing land and HLP issues	Power Point Presentation	UN-Habitat Afghanistan
14:55 – 15:15	Reflections from the HLP AoR / NRC experiences	Speech	NRC
15:15 – 15:25	Reflections from resource persons	Speech	GLTN/ UN-Habitat
15:25 – 16:00	Reflections and comments from the floor		All
16:00 – 16:40	Small group discussions on key topics		All
16:40 – 16:55	Plenary reflections		All
16:55 – 17:00	Closing		GLTN