Promoting Leadership, Innovation and Risk Management for Sustainable Development

Recommendations of Break-out Group II on two main pillars of discussion:

- Leadership and Institutional Framework
- Risk Management and Innovation

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Leadership and Institutional Framework (1)

 Political will and leadership remains crucial for successful reform in PA to be able to better handle priority public policy issues and reduce risks in the areas of sustainable development, sustainable urbanization, climate change, youth unemployment, and the means of implementation of the above policies.

Leadership and Institutional Framework (2)

- ECOSOC and General Assembly, the UN Conventions and their conferences of the parties should include in all resolutions and/or requests for commitments from parties specifications as to the means of implementation
 - -finance, including sources
 - -transfer of technology including ICT
 - -and capacity building, including leadership, innovation, risk management for sustainable development

Leadership and Institutional Framework (3)

 Development objectives should be obtained through the continuity of successful policies and implementation mechanisms over the medium to long term usually required for obtaining meaningful results for sustainable development.

Leadership and Institutional Framework (4)

Given the dynamism and complexity of ever more challenging demands the PA institutions should be strengthened and enabled to ensure development by enhancing capacities, creating innovative environment, agile approaches and collaborative culture by sharing and creating knowledge

Risk Management and Innovation(1)

Increasing awareness and training as well as introducing the right incentives are preconditions in ICT for the successful adoption and implementation of innovation.

Risk Management and Innovation (2)

Technology and egovernment are enablers for a more efficient, transparent, participatory and accountable governance. It should allow for improved internal government processes as well as for improved public service delivery.

Risk Management and Innovation (3)

Scientific, technological and analytical tools should be used as instruments to support decision making and reduce risks to enable innovative decisions that aim to reduce the complexity of PA.

Risk Management and Innovation (4)

In the 21st Century there is no sustainable development without taking into account the risks, cumulative costs and structural adaptations of climate variabilities, including the protagonism of the citizenry in these processes.