



3Zero Charter

Zero exclusion: *Because the vulnerability of marginalized populations can be reduced by promoting inclusive institutions, governance mechanisms, policies and actions.*

- *We advocate for more inclusive institutions, governance mechanisms and policies to reduce the vulnerability of marginalized populations.*
- *We support an inclusive development that creates wealth for the collective good, generates employment for all and promotes innovation to meet social and environmental needs.*
- *We advocate for a responsible and inclusive finance aimed to serve the needs of all human beings and framed by transparency, accountability and social performance management.*
- *We promote more gender equality including the reinforcement of women's participation in local, national, regional and international organizations.*
- *We work to see full, equal and meaningful participation of children and adults with disabilities and handicaps in all spheres of society.*
- *We promote a better integration and action of the private sector in the implementation of the SDGs, notably by working with social enterprises and promoting their development.*

Zero carbon: *Because we want to pass on to our children and to the children of our children an economy that respects natural balances, an ecologically sound development model and a global governance of the commons.*

- *We advocate for a democratic global governance system and equitable management of climate change through a fair representation of all stakeholders and a more connected and collective work between local, national, regional and international institutions.*
- *We call for a better share of data and a stronger global technology development and transfer, recognizing the specific needs of the least developed and developing countries, to accelerate their adaptation and building resilience to climate change.*
- *We support new energy-efficient and innovative development models such as circular and sharing economic models.*
- *We promote the development of multi-actor partnerships to tackle climate change thanks to innovative solutions for promoting renewable energies, carbon-sober transportation, sustainable infrastructure and land development models.*

Zero poverty: *Because poverty is an intolerable waste of talent, and there is no fatality to poverty or its reproduction from generation to generation.*

- *We advocate for a holistic approach in policies and governance mechanisms that links the fights against poverty and climate change.*
- *We promote innovative multi-actors coalitions to promote access to sustainable energy, housing, food security, adequate health and education.*
- *We support the development of a more inclusive and sustainable agriculture, recognizing the specific needs of local producers, particularly through better regulation of world food prices and more appropriate insurance covers of crops and livestock against natural hazards.*
- *We support the construction of inclusive knowledge societies based on freedom of expression, universal access to information, and respect for cultural diversity and quality education for all, thanks to information and communication technologies.*
- *We support financial inclusion as well as the development of a microfinance that is faithful to its original social inspiration, offering credits, savings, and insurance products well adapted and accessible to the poor, as well as non-financial services.*
- *We call for the establishment of funding mechanisms and coalitions of different stakeholders - NGOs, foundations, companies, local authorities, and governments - to accelerate the equipment of the poorest households in the areas of energy, water and sanitation.*

Overall, we commit to ensure as much as possible that the technological and financial innovation is at the service of the fight against poverty, exclusion and climate change.