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### Collaborative Leadership for Social Development Workshop

#### People

Deadline: 9 Nov 2025

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Type:	Workshop
Location:	Geneva, Switzerland
Date:	10 Nov 2025 to 12 Nov 2025
Duration:	3 Days
Programme Area:	Decentralize Cooperation Programme
Website:	<a href="https://unitar.org/about/news-stories/news/unitar-concludes-collaborative-leade...">https://unitar.org/about/news-stories/news/unitar-concludes-collaborative-leade...</a>
Price:	\$0.00
Event Focal Point Email:	sdp@unitar.org
Partnership:	UNITAR

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#### BACKGROUND

The workshop aimed to strengthen collaborative leadership skills among diplomats and government officials in Geneva. As global challenges grow increasingly complex, effective leadership requires inclusive, responsible, and partnership-driven approaches. The programme supported the implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly in the final phase of the 2030 Agenda.

## EVENT OBJECTIVES

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## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

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## CONTENT AND STRUCTURE

The three-day workshop covered collaborative leadership principles, barriers to collaboration, responsible leadership and the SDGs, practical collaboration tools, global social development challenges, poverty-to-prosperity transitions, and gender-transformative leadership in cities. Sessions included expert lectures, reflection exercises, case studies, and team-based strategy development.

## METHODOLOGY

The workshop was delivered in person through interactive sessions combining expert presentations, guided discussions, personal reflection exercises, Q&A sessions, and team-based strategy development. Participants engaged in practical exercises to identify strengths, overcome collaboration barriers, and design action plans. Case studies and real-world examples reinforced applied learning and peer exchange.

## TARGETED AUDIENCE

Diplomats, government officials, and representatives of Permanent Missions based in Geneva.