GSC Handover 04.12.2025 and 16.12.2025

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Onboarding Session 1

Date: Thursday 4th December, 9:00-11:00 CET

Attendees:

- Outgoing GSC: Rohini Pradeep, Carla Liera, Dorothee Spuhler
- Elected GSC: Girija Ramakrishna, Dorothee Spuhler
- Secretariat: Fanni Zentai, Arne Panesar, Juri Jung, Clara Schaefers, Alexandra Dubois

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Onboarding Session 2

Date: Tuesday 16th December, 14:00-16:00 CET

Attendees:

- Outgoing GSC: Carla Liera, John Sauer
- Elected GSC: Munjed Mahmoud Al Sharif, Malesi Shivaji, Tomaz Gregori Kipnis, John Sauer, Amelia Wenger
- Secretariat: Juri Jung, Clara Schäfers, Alexandra Dubois

Meeting notes

Agenda

Time	Topic	Speaker
10 min	 Introduction: welcoming the newly elected GSC members and thanking the departing ones presenting the agenda and objectives of the workshop 	SuSanA Secretariat (Alexandra)
20 min	Short introduction of SuSanA, its change process (SuSanA 2.0) and the resulting institutional framework	SuSanA Secretariat (Alexandra)
20 min	GSC achievements 2022-2025	GSC
15 min	Roles and expected upcoming tasks	GSC
15 min	Collaboration between the GSC and the Secretariat	SuSanA Secretariat (Alexandra)
30 min	Discussion: reaction from the new GSC members	All
10 min	Next steps	SuSanA Secretariat (Alexandra)

Discussion

The following tasks have been ranked by priority by the elected GSC:

- 1. **Develop a Workplan and KPIs:** establish a clear workplan and key performance indicators (KPIs) to monitor the GSC's activities and progress.
- 2. **Finalize Governing Documents:** address any remaining gaps in the by-laws and complete the SuSanA Handbook.
- 3. Clarify Open Discussions and Operationalize Decisions:
 - a. Explore decentralized hosting options beyond the current GIZ arrangement.
 - b. Establish the SuSanA Basket Fund and develop a mechanism for reporting contributions.
 - c. Diversify funding sources to ensure sustainability.

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- d. Revisit and revitalize the concept of working groups.
- e. Pursue coordination of the Network Circle initiative (collaboration with other WASH networks).
- f. Begin strategic engagement with the post-2030 agenda to position SuSanA effectively.
- g. Focus early efforts on post-2030 agenda engagement --> strategic positioning of SuSanA

Next steps

Communication channels

- The Secretariat will create a WhatsApp group for flexible communication and scheduling between the GSC and the Secretariat
- Microsoft Teams will serve as the primary platform for meetings.
- The Secretariat will provide access and instructions for the SharePoint folder to enable internal document sharing.

Next meeting

- The GSC will hold its first GSC meeting without the Secretariat
- One GSC member will schedule the meeting per Whatsapp (survey tool) and set up the meeting (MS Teams)
- Potential item for this first meeting will be to define a work plan for the coming year(s) as well as KPI to monitor activities
- The Secretariat will be invited to join at the end or the following one