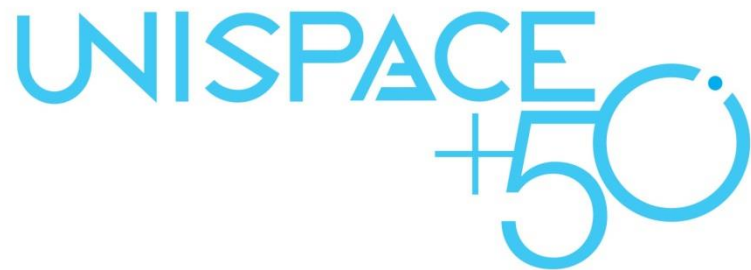




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The Way Ahead

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Background¹

13. UNISPACE+50 aims to become a major milestone for designing a vision for the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space to strengthen its unified efforts at all levels and among all relevant stakeholders in shaping the global “Space 2030” agenda.



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16. UNISPACE+50 segment of the Committee in 2018 should result in a dedicated General Assembly resolution addressing the following, *inter alia*:

(a) UNISPACE+50 vision, presented under the four pillars of space economy, space society, space accessibility and space diplomacy, which will serve as a blueprint for action in shaping the global “Space 2030” agenda and as a facilitator for the attainment of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development;

(d) Plan of Action, containing decisions on agreed thematic priorities and related activities, directions for their implementation and expected time-bound results, ...



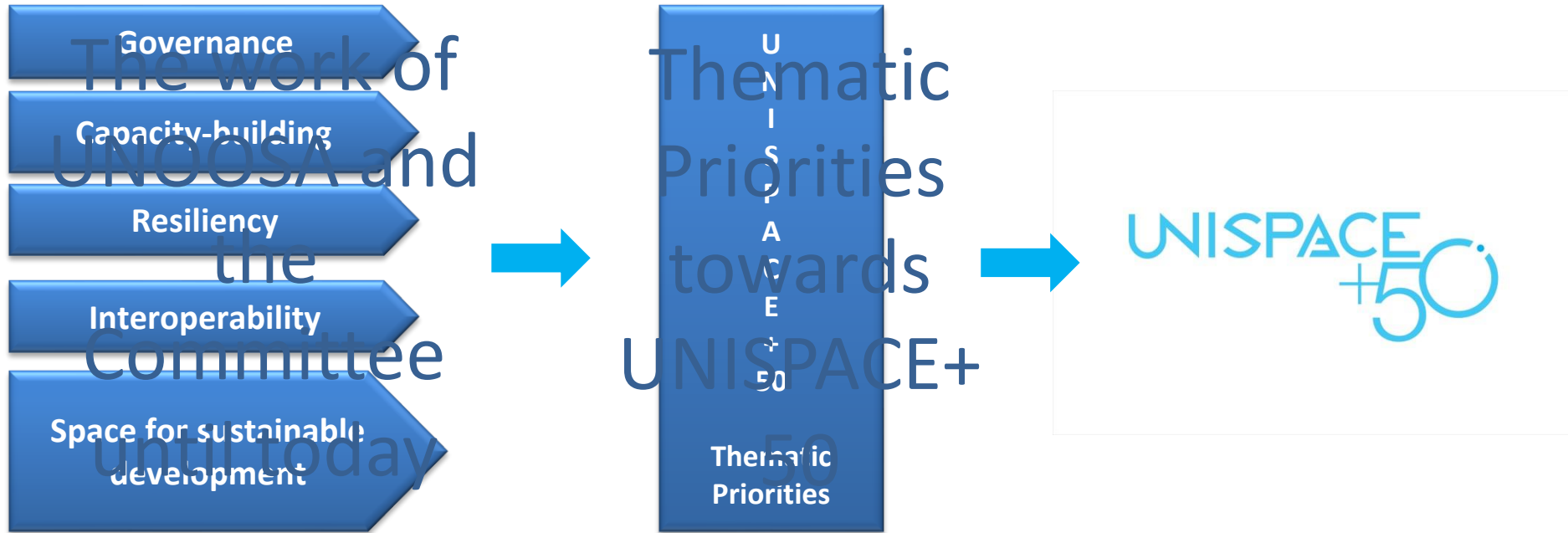
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19. In accordance with the plan of work of UNISPACE+50, the preparatory work for UNISPACE+50 and its final outcomes should be shaped throughout the period towards 2018 by taking into account ... contributions from ... relevant conferences and activities ... such as the series of High-Level Forum ...

23. The Forums' structured debate under the four pillars ... should also serve as a mechanism to present Member States and other stakeholders, in a clear way, the deliverables and benefits of each of the UNISPACE+50 thematic priority under these four pillars.



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UNISPACE+50 Thematic Priorities

7 thematic priorities agreed by COPUOS in 2016:

- 1. Global partnership in space exploration and innovation***
- 2. Legal regime of outer space and global space governance: current and future perspectives***
- 3. Enhanced information exchange on space objects and events***
- 4. International framework for space weather services***
- 5. Strengthened space cooperation for global health***
- 6. International cooperation towards low-emission and resilient societies***
- 7. Capacity-building for the 21st Century***



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The primary purpose is to address the seven Thematic Priorities, including global space governance, leading up to the 50th anniversary of the first United Nations Conference on the Exploration and Peaceful Uses of Outer Space “UNISPACE+50” in 2018

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