CGS UN2020 / UN75 Monthly Update
Saturday, February 29, 2020
Zoom-based video conference, noon to 1pm Eastern

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Please note this excellent recently-published article:
PassBlue, February 17, 2020, written by Richard Ponzio
Will the UN-75 Declaration Signify More Than a Birthday Party?
https://www.passblue.com/2020/02/17/will-the-un-75-declaration-signify-more-than-a-birthday-party/

What is the purpose and focus of each of these entities? How are they inter-related?
What kind of 2020 declarations are they drafting? Are there ways for us to offer input?
What is the timeline for doing so?

UN2020 http://un2020.org/
Together First https://together1st.org/
UN75 https://www.un.org/en/un75
UN75 Survey https://un75.online/
UN75 Global Conversations https://www.un.org/en/un75/join-conversation

What is the significance of the events listed below? Are there other important events to be aware of? How can we be engaged and offer input?

April 23-24: UN75 People’s Forum for the UN we Need, New York
June 25-26: UN75 San Francisco Global Forum, San Francisco
September 21: UN75 Leader’s Summit, New York
Importance of continued action beyond 2020 …

CGS STRATEGY SESSION:

How can CGS members or local CGS chapters best engage in the process?

What should be the focus of our March 14th (noon to 1pm Eastern) Zoom conference?