

Concept Note: The Future of National Security and Economic Security in Haiti

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Summary:

The Future of National Security and Economic Security in Haiti leverages an intergenerational and whole of community approach leveraging youth, Haitian diaspora, nontraditional actors and technology as enablers for peace, security, economic prosperity and sovereignty.

Haiti's multipronged crises can not be addressed through traditional methodologies, nor a one size fits all approach. A future focused approach is required to not only address gangs and domestic terrorism. Gangs are a symptom of larger pervasive problem. The Futurist view of security and economic security seeks to address the root cause issues which are corruption and lack of economic opportunity for the Haitian People.

The Future state of Security and Economic Security in Haiti creates conditions for of self-sustaining "Good Governance" Programs that will effectively combat High-level Corruption, Crimes of Impunity and a Failed State.

Security and resilience are closely related to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly in the context of promoting peace, justice, and strong institutions (SDG 16) and ensuring sustainable cities and communities (SDG 11).

Security is fundamental to achieving most if not all of the Sustainable Development Goals. The presentation on the Future of National Security and Economic Security in Haiti addresses key relationships between **SDG 9: Build resilient infrastructure, promote sustainable industrialization and foster innovation** **SDG 16: Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions**, **SDG 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities**, **SDG 1: No Poverty**, **SDG 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth**, **SDG 13: Climate Action**.