



Servas Africa Regional Meeting – Mombasa, Kenya

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Welcome to the 3rd Africa Regional Conference

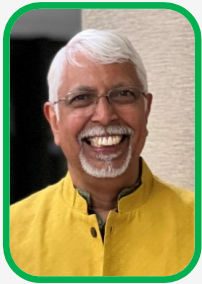
64 participants

Delegates from 13 countries



Thanks to Servas
Kenya for making
it happen

Servas International Executive Committee



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What does Servas do?



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Peace Secretary



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Membership Technology



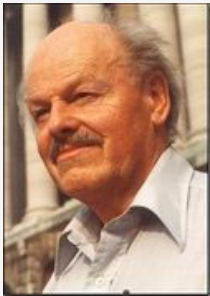
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Treasurer



Servas – A Worldwide Community



- ~15,000 members
- ~100+ countries (that includes 70 voting members)
- Hosting and traveling to build world peace through cultural exchange, travel and shared ideas



"All over the world there are small groups and individuals who are working for a Society based on Creative Vocation, Non-Violence and Social Responsibility"



SERVAS PRINCIPLES AND VALUES



DIGNITY & WORTH
OF EVERY HUMAN



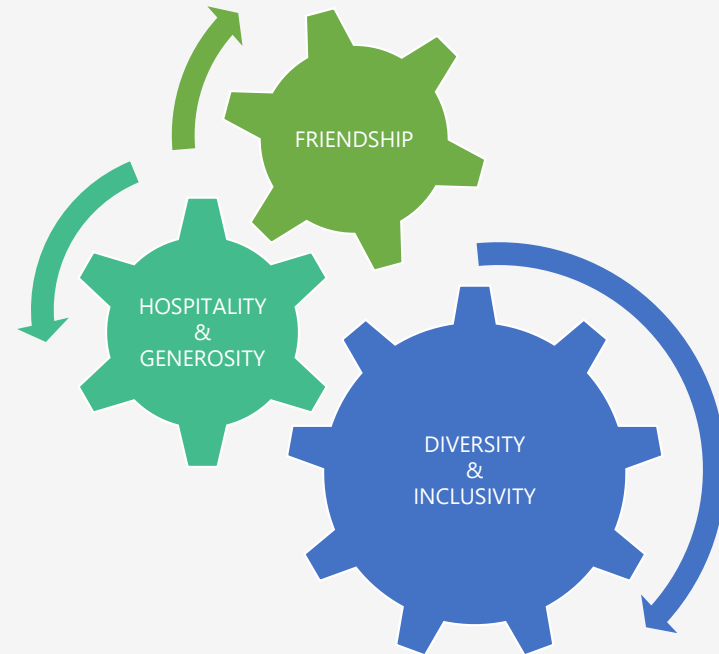
EQUAL RIGHTS FOR
ALL HUMANS



RESPECT & CARE OF
THE ENVIRONMENT



FOUNDATIONS FOR
A PEACEFUL WORLD



OUR KEY VALUES ARE CARING FOR THE PEOPLE AND THE PLANET



The essence of Servas

Servas as a peace organization

- Hosting
- Accepting of each other and all cultural norms
- Promote diversity
- Community building through engagement as a foundation for peace

...as a foundation for peace



PEACE ACTIVITIES



SERVAS PEACE SCHOOLS



By Youth to Your inner Youth :)



YOUTH CAMPS AND ECOLOGICAL ACTIVITIES



SERVAS PEACE FORUMS AND MEETINGS



LET'S DO IT TOGETHER

- MAKE A MEETING WITH THE LOCAL GROUP
- CHOOSE THE BEST PLACE
- CHOOSE THE BEST DATE
- ORGANIZE THE ACTIVITIES



Servas Programs

Hosting / traveling

Servas Youth Language Exchange

Servas Peace Schools

Servas Peace Forums and Activities

Servas at the UN

Servas Eco Activities

Servas Artists, Singing, Peace Rides





How can I participate and contribute?



Collaborate with the promotion of SI programs



Invite more people to join Servas

Send information to members on topics related to Peace.

Increase member engagement



Manage activities for members

Generate ideas and actions to improve

Invite more people to join Servas



Collaborate with the local committee

Maintain permanent contact with the Secretary of Peace



Dialogue with other peace organizations promote peace



Organize events that

Spread the Servas International message of peace

Share information in social media



The structure of Servas

Servas works through member groups

Member groups are usually organized at a country level



KEY ACTIVITIES OF MEMBERR GROUPS

Democracy in action



All Servas member groups meet once every three years to conduct a Servas International General Assembly*

- The last conference and general assembly (SICOGA 2022) was held in November 2022 in Panchgani, India
- Major decisions are taken through voting at the general assembly
- Servas International priorities are set during these meetings

***This is required in our statutes**

Priorities set during SICOGA 2022



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Peace Building Activities


Promoting International meetings

Grow the organization




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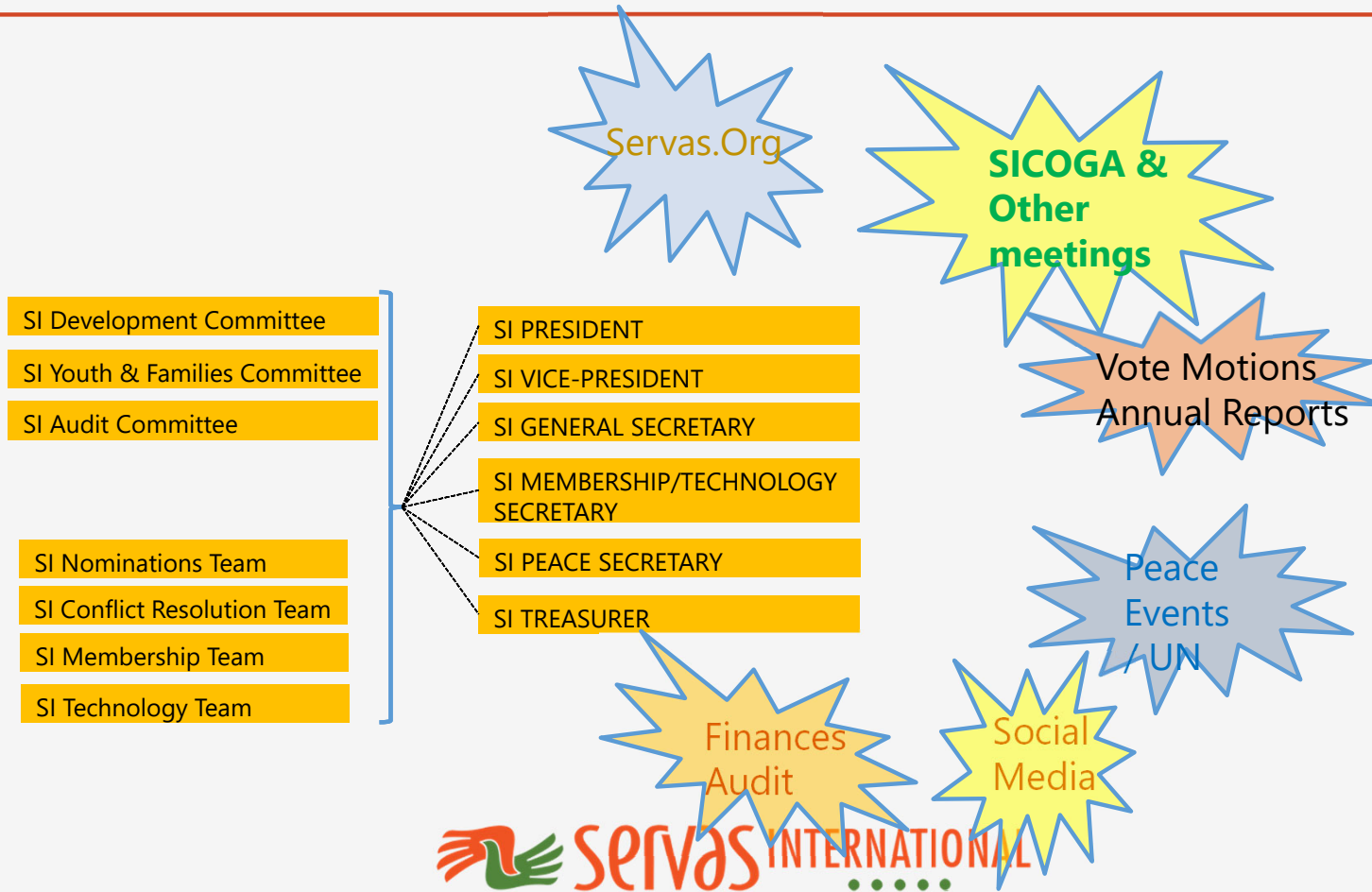
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A NETWORK FOR GLOBAL FRIENDSHIP



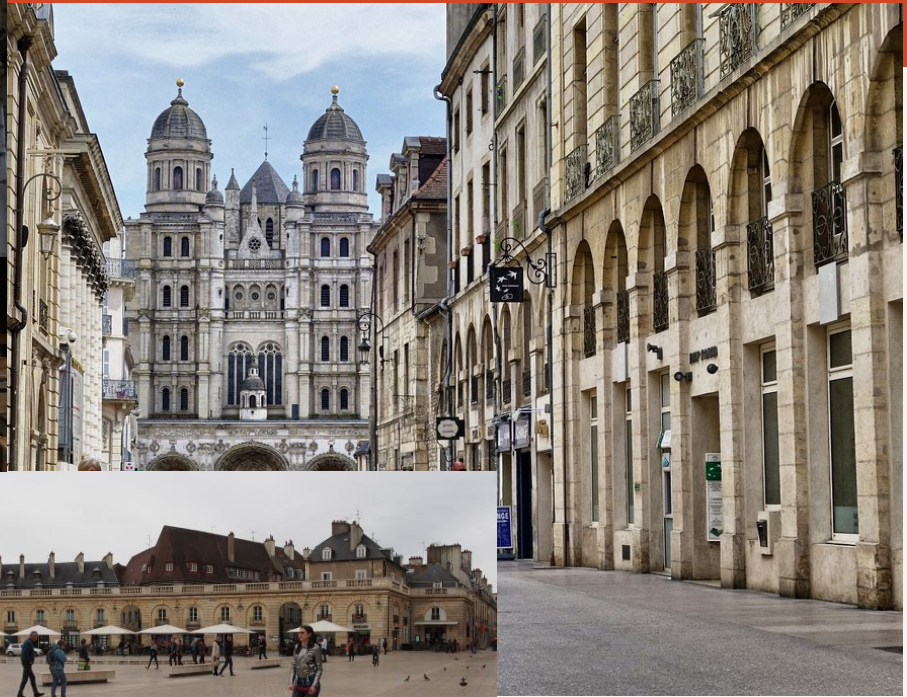
How is Servas International Organized?



SICOGA 2025



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LET US WORK TOGETHER...

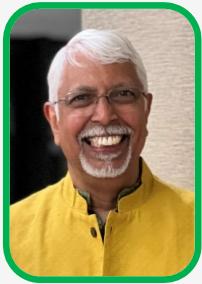
TO BUILD PEACE AND FRIENDSHIP IN AN INCLUSIVE WAY



Bike rides or walks for peace. - Tree sowing. - Artistic & Cultural Activities. - Face-to-face or virtual meetings to meet members. - Lectures, discussions on peace issues. - Promote Servas International activities such as SYLE, family camps, the peace school. - Participate in meetings of other countries virtually. - Book presentations. - Museum visits. - Invite experts to share a presentation. - Promote UN activities. - Outings to nature. - Projection of films and documentaries. - Carry out social work. - Learn about cultures through embassies. - Celebrate the anniversary of Servas. - End of year meetings. - Celebrate the international day of peace. - Share activities from other national groups. Forward the SI bulletin.

Every encounter counts

THANK YOU!



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