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How is the GPEDC supporting achievement of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development?

The 2030 Agenda – as well as the short time remaining in which to deliver it – highlights the need to mobilize more resources, use them more effectively and bring in more partners to drive sustainable development. The GPEDC supports more effective development co-operation by:

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2. Promoting knowledge-sharing and peer-learning on effective approaches
3. Supporting engagement of the private sector through development co-operation
4. Strengthening political momentum for effective development co-operation
5. Learning from all types of development co-operation
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The GPEDC’s multi-stakeholder network

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The journey from Paris to Nairobi and beyond: Towards more inclusive development co-operation

- 2005: Paris Declaration on Aid Effectiveness
- 2008: Accra Action Agenda
- 2011: Busan Partnership Agreement
- 2014: Mexico Communiqué 2nd High-Level Meeting of the GPEDC
- 2016: Nairobi Outcome Document and High-Level Meeting of the GPEDC
- 2019: A Senior-Level Meeting will reaffirm the crucial role of effectiveness for the 2030 Agenda and the SDGs