



# Less Talk, More Walk

Post World Humanitarian Summit:  
What Lessons, What Perspectives

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# WHS 2013 – 2016 : Bottom Up Discussion

- ◆ Grass root voice heard
- ◆ Self realization
- ◆ Multi stakeholder relation



# Major Outputs from my perspective ( I am representing southern local / national NGO)

- Localization (for the sake of sustainability of the effort, with community)
- Accountability (not only upward but also downward accountability especially to the humanitarian victims)
- Not mere response, need to promote the philosophy of humanitarianism



# Major Results

- ◆ Charter 4 Change by INGOs (committed for 20 % fund through local NGOs, which is now 2 % )
- ◆ Big Bergain, partnership in view of equality and dignity,
- ◆ Need political attention to the root causes, need more investment,
- ◆ Formation and lunching of Network for Empowering Aid Response (NEAR) by Southern Local / National NGOs, to reshape power balance with community.
- ◆ Platform on Disaster Displacement (state led initiative, Germany is the Chair, Bangladesh is the vice chair, 30 states are there including EU) , to respond the issue large scale migrants especially climate induce displacement.



PLATFORM  
ON DISASTER  
DISPLACEMENT  
FOLLOW-UP TO THE NANSEN INITIATIVE



# Challenges

- ◆ Is UN and INGOs will LESS TALK and MORE WALK, need reform in-house, will their staff relinquish power
- ◆ CAPACITY does not mean only Accounts Ability it should be ACCOUNTABILITY, need to REDEFINE Capacity with SOUTHERN PERSPECTIVE, COMMITTEMENT should be FIRST
- ◆ PROMOTION of HUMANITARIAN PHILOSHOPY, not the mere RESPONSE. Put the PEOPLE FIRST, may be not the STATE



# How to do Equality and Dignity based partnership

- ◆ Set partnership principles, do periodical review
- ◆ Management based on mutual accountability, at level, now it is Uni-dimensional
- ◆ Set equal level of salary for equal level of competencies
- ◆ Institutional development cost
- ◆ Open and cross communication, but line decision,



# How to do Equality and Dignity based partnership

- ◆ Whistle blowing and confidentiality management with mutual respect,
- ◆ Freedom in operational management, monitoring but advice in focal level,
- ◆ Partner and community participation in all level of project design implementation and review
- ◆ Complain response mechanism

**Complaint Response Letters**

**Whistle Blowing Policy**  
Ways to report what should be reported

**SPEAK UP**  
Let's work together against what's wrong.



# Thank you



SHAPE THE  
FUTURE OF  
HUMANITARIAN  
ACTION