

REPORT OF THE EC + 10 ON-LINE FORUM, NOVEMBER 2009

This report reviews the results of the on-line Forum 'Earth Charter + 10' that took place between November 2 – 30, 2009. Earth Charter Affiliates and collaborators were invited to participate in the process of reflecting on, and discussing the best ways to achieve and improve the purposes and goals outlined in the Draft Concept Paper of the Earth Charter + 10 Proposal.

This report outlines all questions and issues raised before Forum participants as well as suggestions and ideas generated in response to the guiding questions in the course of discussions.

FORUM PARTICIPANTS

Before the launch of the EC + 10 Forum on www.wiserearth.org¹, the Draft Concept Paper of Earth Charter + 10 Proposal was circulated among Earth Charter network members. This document was translated into Spanish and Russian and posted on the Forum page. The Draft Concept Paper outlined a proposal for activities that should take place throughout 2010 marking the 10th anniversary since the launch of the Earth Charter.

The Forum started on November 2, 2009 with 39 registered participants and finished on November 30, 2009 with 70 registered members from five different regions of the world (See Annex 2). The daily increase of Forum participants is illustrated in Chart 1.

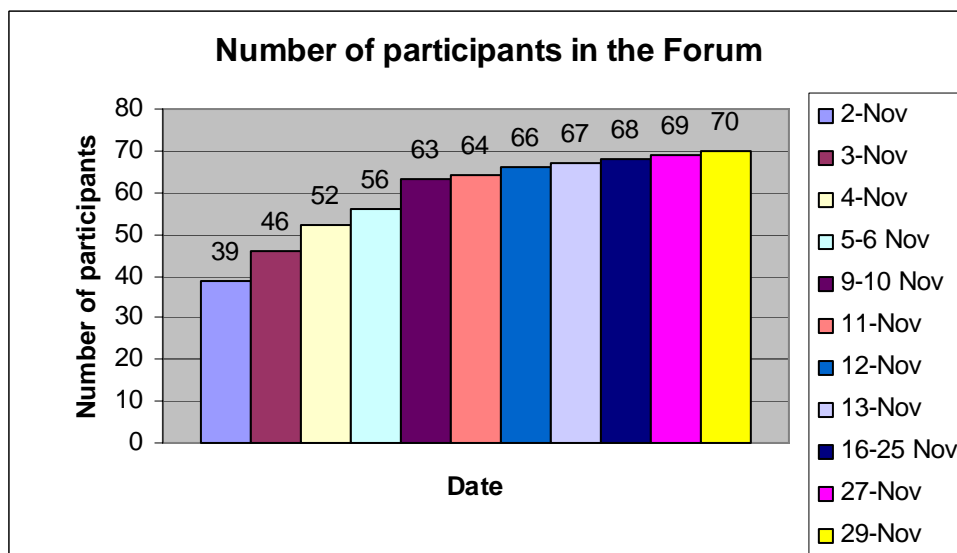


Chart 1. Number of participants in the Forum.

¹ www.wiserearth.org is a free on-line community space connecting the people, nonprofits and businesses working toward a just and sustainable world.

PARTICIPANTS' ACTIVITY

As some participants mentioned, on-line Forums like EC + 10 are of crucial importance to stay connected and have the opportunity to share ideas with likeminded individuals and organizations from all over the world. It is assumed that such platforms instigate activity and increase productivity of network's participants. However, if we look at figures we can see that somewhat higher level of activity was anticipated.

Out of approximately 170 invitations to join the Forum only 70 individuals have actually registered. From all registered participants, 38 individuals have made at least one comment, and only seven members took active participation, i.e. made five or more comments. Network's activity in the Forum is illustrated in chart 2.

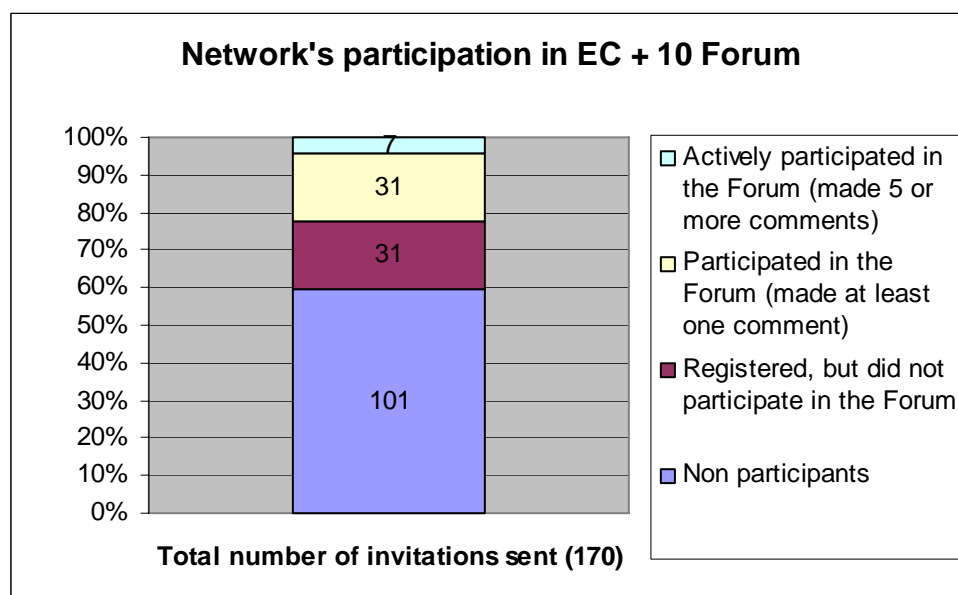


Chart 2. Network's activity in the EC + 10 Forum.

Note: these data are quantitative in nature, and as such, by no means truly reflect the significance of participants' contributions to the Forum and/or their commitment to the values and principles of the Earth Charter in general.

Several factors might have caused a relatively low level of participation in the Forum. Technical problems to receive the invitation and register in the Forum prevented the participation of some of the invitees. Those who registered in the Forum could have also experienced a series of obstacles for active participation. The wide network of the EC community enriched by its cultural and linguistic diversity is, at the same time, jeopardized by communication failure, inter alia, language barrier. Four languages, namely, English, Spanish, French and Portuguese, were actively used, that sometimes reduced a discourse to the regional level. Besides, many participants have posted their comments as a response to major questions raised by the administrator and then were not able to follow the thread of upcoming comments from other participants which prevented their engagement in an interactive discussion.

WHAT SHOULD BE THE FOCUS OF EC + 10?

This question aims to clarify what elements of the current ECI goals and strategies should be emphasized on during 2010. The main goals outlined in the draft concept paper are interrelated and lead to raising awareness about the Earth Charter and its inclusive ethical vision, promoting its use and implementation in multiple settings, and encouraging its employment in the educational sector, in particular. Forum participants were asked to express their opinions on the goals that should be prioritized during the EC + 10 events.

Many participants agreed that, above all, the Earth Charter should become more visible in order to attract a wider audience. This opinion is leading to the focus on Goal 1: To raise awareness worldwide of the Earth Charter and to promote understanding of its inclusive ethical vision.

Numerous instruments were suggested to approach this goal. The use of global social networking web-sites, ads in media, and involvement of celebrities were suggested. These are specific recommendations:

- to get more involved in social media, specifically, to increase the activity on Twitter and Facebook which would allow engaging with a large number of people.
- to initiate a global advertizing campaign through various TV channels, targeting diverse age and interest groups, e.g. MTV, Cartoon Network, Discovery Channel, Discovery Kids, Animal Planet, National Geographic, CNN, BBC, ESPN and others.
- to involve celebrities, e.g. famous musicians and singers, to bring the Earth Charter to a wider audience.
- to use shared materials in different local events and activities, and to spread them forward with the general public. For example, create a short movie about the Earth Charter achievements in the past 10 years, and prepare an Earth Charter exhibition in different languages. A media campaign might involve joint press releases with highlights of the 10 years. Hence, it is important to design a media tool kit with sample press releases relating the Earth Charter to important issues and international events.

There is an expressed interest in focusing on the Goal 3: To encourage and support the educational use of the Earth Charter in schools, universities, religious communities, local communities, and many other settings, drawing from its relation to the Goal 2: To promote the use of the Earth Charter as an ethical guide and the implementation of its principles by civil society, business, and government. Developing indicators to measure the progress of the educational use of the Earth Charter was mentioned as relevant to help achieve goal 3. Any workshop or project related to the Charter ideally should lead to a concrete action. For instance, after attending a workshop or participating in a project, students could be asked to reflect on what they are going to do during the year to apply the knowledge and values of the Earth Charter to solve a particular problem.

Forum participants also discussed about urgent problems that should be prioritized in 2010 and throughout the entire decade:

- drastic climate change, particularly melting snow in Himalayas, which has significantly affected the communities and caused food scarcity in the region. Some participants suggested prioritizing this issue as the most important focus for further activities of the Earth Charter. It was suggested that the Earth Charter community should join efforts with the Climate Change

Task Force, in developing new strategies and materials to promote awareness on climate change.

In addition, participants raise other *issues that deserve attention*:

- to revise certain principles of the Earth Charter by adapting them to new global challenges, e.g. global capitalism, non-compliance with Kyoto agreements, massive migrations, etc.
- to develop a shared conceptual identity, i.e. to unite all participants and activists working within different focus areas, i.e. business, religion, youth, etc. under the flag of the Earth Charter. Particularly the decentralization policy seems to have affected the joint work of different focus areas as a result of the absence of one focal point.
- to encourage intergenerational partnership – meaningful engagement, across generations in the spirit of mutual learning and collaboration.
- to encourage the dissemination of the Earth Charter as a guide to ethics. Many people are aware of the challenges of the contemporary world and, therefore, it is ethics what is missing in our societies.
- to enhance decentralized empowerment strategy to provide more opportunities for individuals to create materials based on the Earth Charter. More specialized on-line learning environments should be launched. Besides, the licensing schemes should be revised to make it clearer which Earth Charter resources may be used and under which conditions or restrictions.
- to develop already existing Mission, Vision, and Goals. The Earth Charter should seek practical application and lead to concrete personified actions. According to an opinion expressed “...it is not enough just to talk about justice and peace...it should be pointed out where and what is going wrong.”
- to reorganize the webpage www.earthcharter.org in a way that it becomes the space for sharing ideas. Funds should be allocated to hire additional personnel responsible for maintenance. It is also suggested to have this web-page translated into Portuguese.

In addition, it was suggested that whatever focus is prioritized all events and meetings have a clear purpose and intended audience. Every member of the EC community cannot attend every meeting or participate in all events. Thus, it is advisable, in the first place, to participate in those events which relate to her/his vocational field or personal interests making sure that all important events within a variety of fields are attended by the EC community. Such a strategy would ensure efficiency of a meeting; lessen the ECI ecological footprint derived from travels, and save funds that could be used for concrete activities.

WHAT CAN YOU DO LOCALLY TO CELEBRATE EC + 10?

In *Brazil* the initial plan for EC + 10 was to organize a major Seminar and numerous workshops at the University of Brasilia. Then the organizers decided to involve communities more, rather than bringing them to the University, because it is in the community where there are more vulnerable people in terms of environmental and social issues. The idea is to make something similar to “Forum ZINHO”².

² Forum ZINHO – an alternative educational space where children from different parts of the world can share their ideas through workshops, exhibitions, and other common projects <http://www.forumzinho.org.br/>

Another EC Affiliate in **Brazil**, Harmonia na Terra, plans to promote an Earth Charter meeting for NGO leaders of Florianópolis, Brazil; inspire a group of public schools to produce a theatre play based on the principles and values of the Earth Charter; distribute rain forest trees tagged with the principles of the Earth Charter.

The **German** Earth Charter Affiliate, Ecumenical One World Initiative (EOWI), is planning to organize the following events in the first half of 2010:

Date	Location	Event
April 23 – 25	Kassel, Germany	Conference and annual meeting about climate change and EC + 10.
April	-	Endorsement Campaign Launch
April, June	Kassel, Germany	Trainings for EC multipliers, educators and activists.
May 12 – 16	Munich, Germany	Events and presentation in the frame of an international Christian Ecumenical event (Ökumenischer Kirchentag) with the focus in EC + 10, EC Youth Initiative.
... – June 29	Cities in Germany	Local events: concerts, street theatre, street presentations and talks realized by EC Youth Groups and other activists.
2010 (second half)	-	Raising public awareness through networking and common events with big institutions

In **Cameroon**, the aim to promote the Earth Charter could be reached through the involvement of world-famous African musicians, for instance, Alpha Blondy. Such a strategy would attract a big audience and add to the importance of the event.

In **Belarus**, EC + 10 will aim at raising public awareness on sustainable development as a method to question the current lifestyle and its relation to the quality of life. It was discussed the necessity to provide opportunities to use the EC materials through an Information Campaign called “Earth Charter: Youth Vision” to be held in different regions of the country. On this basis, the EC Affiliates in Belarus, Sofia and Dmitry Savelau, provide an action plan for 2010 activities in Belarus:

Date	Event
January - February	Internet-game “Earth Charter: Youth Vision” (to help young people to know more about the EC idea and its materials as well as to think about the ideas to promote the EC in their regions by self-organized activities).
February – March	Virtual and face-to-face consultations (for various youth groups to create youth projects from the ideas proposed in the game as well as to develop promotion/information materials).
April 22 – May 31	“Earth Charter: Youth Vision” Information Campaign (includes regional youth projects).
Summer 2010*	EC: Youth Vision Festival (to gather all participants of the Campaign).

* upon availability of funds

Considering that the Earth Charter was launched *the Netherlands*, a major event will take place in this country on June 29 to commemorate this event. The draft of the programme is presented below:

Formal part	Public informal part	Children's Art with the Earth Charter
<p>Special Commissioners' and Council Members' meeting in the presence of Queen Beatrix and perhaps Prince Willem-Alexander and/or Princess Máxima (next generation), audience of representatives of most important partners and selected members of the press to briefly look back on 10 years of the EC and mainly look forward to the future role of the EC and to discuss urgent topical issues. Music will be included, perhaps a tribute to the late EC Commissioner Mercedes Sosa.</p>	<p>Combined with or followed by an interactive public event with room for reflection, inspiration, discussion, action and networking. The event might start with a (live) video coverage of the meeting, both at the spot and via internet. After that people can join the Embassy of the Earth, whereafter plenary reporting on the results will follow. For the finale a Tree Concept is envisioned.</p>	<p>Children will be invited to participate in an art workshop. Children will create an artwork which can be presented to Queen Beatrix. An exhibition of children's art will be part of the programme.</p>

In *India*, a major Earth Charter event will take place on December 2 – 4, 2010 in Ahmedabad, organized by CEE India, EC Affiliate.

Another Affiliate from India, Montfort Social Institute, is planning to design a new curriculum on values education for Montfort Schools in Andhra Pradesh (Specifically for Grade 8).. This curriculum will be the main project of the next year and will incorporate principles and values of the Earth Charter as an integral part of education for sustainability approach.

Also in this country, Agaas Federation, is planning to organize a series of local activities with children, youth and women groups to celebrate the Earth Day in Central Himalaya region. The activities will include:

1. Awareness raising campaign related to climate change, polythene pollution and non-biodegradable waste management in high altitude region.
2. Developing 24 small nurseries in 24 villages to plant trees.
3. A mass media awareness campaign in five schools.

In the *USA*, the EC Affiliate Florida Gulf Coast University, Center for Environmental and Sustainability Education is planning to organize an indigenous Tree of Peace planting ceremony during the first week of February 2010. Earth Charter author and activist, Jake Swamp, of the Tree of Peace Society, will join in for several activities on the campus. Besides, an Earth Charter Teaching Workshop will be organized during this week, where faculty members from across the University can discuss concepts and strategies for integrating the Earth Charter into University curriculum.

In addition, Kimberly Corrigan and several US partner organizations are planning to organize the second training program for teachers in summer 2010. The program will target over 200 teachers who will be able to explore issues of sustainability and later incorporate sustainability into classroom and extra curricular activities. Next year the plan is to focus more on the Earth Charter's vision and values as a major framework for educating for sustainability.

In *Majorca (Spain)*, the EC individual Affiliate Guillem Ramis is carrying out several actions in preparation for next year's celebration, such as a) has launched a series of activities to unite the efforts of EC + 10 and Agenda Latinoamericana^{*}; b) has arranged available PowerPoint presentations according to the four sections and 16 main principles and will seek their maximum dissemination and use; c) will continue to promote the Earth Charter in Majorca incorporating it in the local Agenda 21; d) will continue to deliver courses for teachers spreading the knowledge and experience of the Charter. Guillem Ramis shared a quote that has guided his work; it is from students and teachers of the school of Holy Isabel de Palma School: "Small people, from a small place, doing small things, are changing the world."

In *Switzerland*, the EC individual Affiliate Christa Schmidmeister, with the help of other activists, is designing a new EC + 10 exhibition of good practices of sustainable lifestyle in the country. This exhibition will be on display in different Swiss cities aiming to promote the Earth Charter as an ethical framework of sustainability. Below is the list of events in which EC + 10 exhibition will be presented:

Date	Location	Event
February 11 – 14, 2010	Basel	NATUR ³
May 6 – 8, 2010	St. Gallen	SUFO ⁴
September 24 – 26, 2010	Zurich	Lifefair ⁵
April 22 – 26 [*] , 2010	Davos	Earth Charter Event

EC + 10 EVENTS ON EARTH DAY, APRIL 22ND

The Earth Day is celebrated in many countries of the world on April 22, to raise awareness and appreciation for the Earth. In 2010, Earth Charter, Earth Charter Initiative with its wide network of activists plan to organize numerous local events around the world on this day.

Mexico will host a major event featuring the official launch of EC + 10 year, which will coincide with local events simultaneously organized worldwide. However, Lorena Priego suggested contacting some schools in advance to encourage children to make drawings which will go to "The Guide of Peace and Sustainability." The exhibition of children's art could be one of the Earth Day events

^{*} Latin-American Agenda is an annual collective agenda and anti-globalization movement, in the countries of Latin America and Spain, that includes articles devoted to a specific theme on an annual basis (since 1992). The theme of 2010 is "Let's Save Ourselves Along with Our Planet". <http://latinoamericana.org/English/>

³ Switzerland's leading platform for sustainability (fair, festival, congress) <http://www.natur.ch/>

⁴ Social and Environmental Forum of East Switzerland <http://www.sufo.ch/>

⁵ The Swiss Trade Fair for sustainability and green lifestyle <http://www.lifefair.ch/>

^{*} to be confirmed

where children and local artists could display their drawings. Participants and visitors will also be invited to draw pictures inspired by the Earth Charter contributing to “The Guide of Peace and Sustainability”. Besides, Lorena Priego suggests organizing a global walk in every country or region where there are affiliates and other EC activists. The walk could lead to the square with the exhibition of children’s art (see Pic. 1). Other local events on the EC + 10 in Mexico will be scheduled for the World Environment Day and include drawing contests for children and Earth Charter-related projects for the youth.



Pic. 1. This drawing from Lorena Priego illustrates her idea of the children’s art exhibition on the central square of a city on the Earth Day.

In the Himalayan region of Uttarakhand State in **India** the EC Affiliate, Aagaas Federation, plans to organize a mass meeting, awareness campaign on the climate change, global warming and conservation of local biodiversity in the Himalayan ecosystem. In addition, the launch of a Signature Campaign to reduce or ban the use of polythene in the high altitude is envisioned and results will be submitted to the Ministry of Environment and Forest, Government of India. Aagaas Federation works with 154 villages in remote areas of central Himalayan region.

Montfort Social Institute, based in Hyderabad, India, is planning to collaborate with a local primary school for the preparation of activities for April 22. By that time the children will have passed their exams. The Affiliate will further discuss these plans with the school administration.

In **Germany**, the Earth Day on April 22 is not that well-known, however, EOWI could motivate and support members, partner and youth groups to run special events on this day in order to promote the global simultaneous EC + 10 action and the Earth Day. Moreover, on April 23 – 25 an EC + 10 conference and EOWI annual meeting will take place, where they will focus on climate change and raising awareness about the Earth Charter’s holistic and ethical approach.

In **Canada**, the EC Affiliate Little Animation Inc., annually promotes the Earth Day with an animated clip starring Planet Earth Character. In 2010 the same will be done in tandem with the promotion of the Little Earth Charter DVD. The videos will be available on YouTube and GoGreenTube. The audience will be reached out via Little Animation Inc. newsletter, but mainly through Twitter, @littleanimation and FaceBook group “The Little Earth Charter”.

In **Majorca (Spain)**, Guillem Ramis will work towards organizing small social platforms, where he works, in order to join the global celebration of the Earth Day on April 22.

In **Cameroon**, the EC Affiliate, Nouvelle Afrique, is planning to organize a series of events and activities on the Earth Day. There are six representative offices of the Affiliate organization in the country, and three of them are preparing activities in their cities.

The representative in Yaounde will hold a film festival in which movies dealing with local and global environmental problems will be broadcast throughout the day. Every screening will be followed by a debate with an environmental expert. In addition, a certain space will be allocated to an exhibition related to the environment. This event will be advertised using informational posters, flyers and short videos about the Earth Charter.

The representative group in Douala is planning to organize a concert and invite famous singers to perform their music and deliver the message on the Earth Charter and global challenges. It is anticipated that such a strategy will draw attention to the Earth Charter among those who are usually hard to reach.

The group in Buea is preparing a photo exhibition of biodiversity in Cameroon. The country is often referred to as 'Africa in miniature' for its rich diversity of landscapes, flora and fauna.

Michael Slaby, Earth Charter Program Coordinator (Religion and Spirituality) raised a suggestion to webstream all simultaneous events around the world, drawing on the experience of the EC Community Summits. In this way all local events could be connected and every EC + 10 participant would feel a part of the global movement.

PRIMARY THEME/SLOGAN

In preparations for the launch of EC + 10 the Earth Charter Initiative will seek to have a primary theme as a common slogan for all further activities in the new decade. Four slogans were offered to Forum participants for consideration:

1. Earth Charter: reflection and Action for Our Common Future.
2. The Earth Charter: Inspiration for a Just and Sustainable Future.
3. Working Together to Foster a Sustainable Future: The Earth Charter Initiative.
4. Earth Charter: the World beyond National Boundaries.

In the course of the discussions, many new ideas came up to better relate the values and principles of the Earth Charter to the upcoming activities in 2010 and the entire decade in general. A number of participants suggested modifying the existing slogans to give more emphasis on the *actions* to be undertaken in promoting the Charter; some relied on a *dialogue* that must precede a concrete action; others recommend relieving the conceptual burden of existing slogans and replacing them with a *catchy phrase* in order to attract the mass attention. In the course of the Forum a new slogan (by Kerstin Veigt) was added to the list of initial four slogans as it received major support from the participants:

- Earth Charter + 10: Dialogue and Action for a Sustainable World.

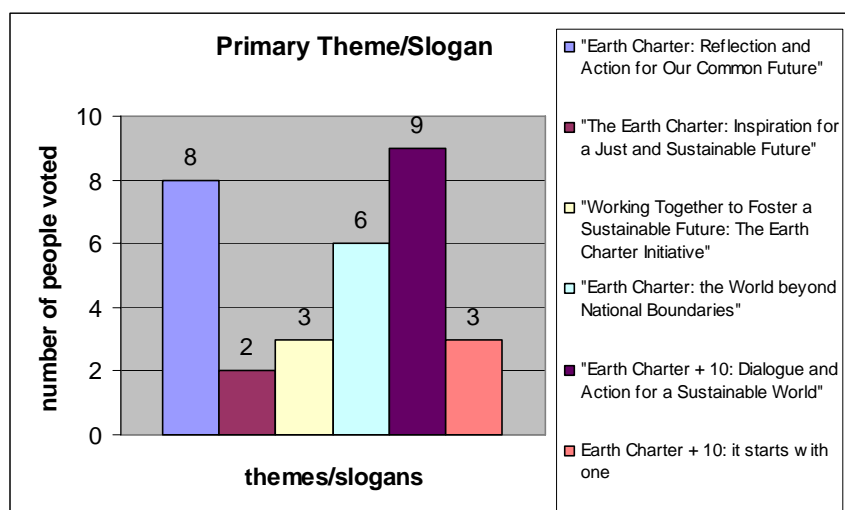
By the last week of the Forum another slogan emerged and was presented for consideration.

- Earth Charter + 10: it starts with one.

The underlying rationale holds that everything starts with one Earth, with one Universe, with one person, with inner change, with one hand, with one heart, with one good agreement, with one hug, with one smile, with one dream, with a first help...

However, this slogan did not receive much attention among the participants since only three names were clearly mentioned in support for this option. It can be explained by the fact that the slogan was added in the last phase of the Forum and most participants had already expressed their point of view earlier. No major support or critics was provided, neither was any discussion held.

Below you can see the distribution of votes given for each slogan, Chart 3.



Note: whenever a participant opted for more than one slogan simultaneously, the votes were allocated for each slogan respectively.

See other slogans suggested in the course of discussion in the Annex 3 (p. 15).

Chart 3. Distribution of votes given for each slogan.

MAJOR ONGOING THEMES AND EVENTS THAT SHOULD BE LINKED WITH EC

This question invites participants to share their ideas on international events or major themes planned for 2010 that can be linked with the Earth Charter. Forum participants are also asked to elaborate on how these themes and events can be linked to the values, principles and activities of the Earth Charter.

Among *international events* participants hold by an opinion that it would be useful to participate in:

- a decentralized World Social Forum⁶ that will take place in many locations around the world in 2010.
- a series of significant events encouraging interreligious dialogue that will be organized in 2010, as it will be the lead-up year to the expected International Decade of Interreligious Dialogue. About 70 ecumenical and interreligious NGOs are campaigning for UN

⁶ World Social Forum is an open meeting place...characterized by plurality and diversity, is non-confessional, non-governmental, and non-party. It proposes to facilitate decentralized coordination and networking among organizations engaged in concrete action toward building another world, at any level from the local to the international, but it does not intend to be a body representing world civil society
http://www.forumsocialmundial.org.br/main.php?id_menu=19&cd_language=2

adoption of this decade that would be launched on September 21, 2010. It is recommended that the Earth Charter participates in these international events in promoting the Decade of Interreligious Dialogue.

- collaboration with UNESCO in hosting some events for religious leaders, or at least be invited to this year's major events. 2010 is UNESCO-led Year for the Rapprochement of Cultures.

Along with the presence on important international events related to religion, sustainability, youth leadership, climate change, education and education for sustainable development, it might be also useful to be present on local small events related to the above-mentioned themes.

Some participants also specified narrower *themes* that the Earth Charter may seek to get involved in:

- promotion of diversity, particularly racial, tribal, and sexual as well as focus on promotion of marginalized women.
- eradication of poverty for it leads to famine, illness, and war.

ANNEXES

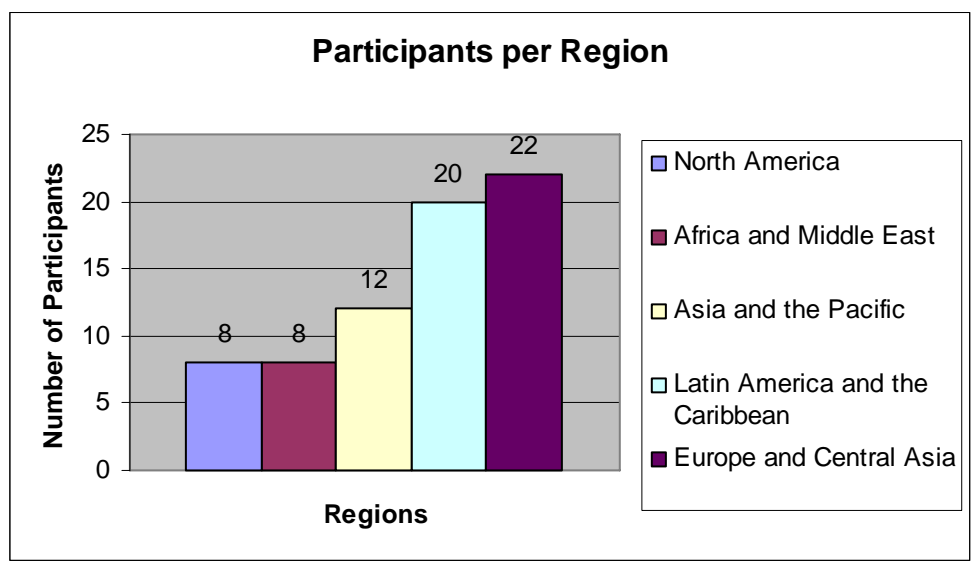
ANNEX 1: LIST OF EC + 10 FORUM PARTICIPANTS*

Name	Country	Occupation
Alicia Jimenez	Costa Rica	Academic
Alide Roerink	The Netherlands	Academic
Aminu Bonifacio	Ghana	Student
Atta ur Rehman Qureashi	Pakistan	Activist, Community Organizer, Networker, Researcher, Social Worker
Auldrige Chibbwalu	Zambia	Activist
Beatriz	USA	Student
Bjarne Graesboll Ottesen	Denmark	Educator
Benjamin Njama	Cameroon	Social Entrepreneur
Betty McDermott	Costa Rica	Other
Camila Argolo Godinho	Brazil	Activist
Carlo Baroncelli	Italy	Educator
Christa Schmidmeister	Switzerland	Activist
Clem Campbell	Australia	Community Organizer
Cristina Moreno	Brazil	Other
Demi Smoloktuo	Finland	Student
Dmitry Savelau	Belarus	
Dominic Stucker	Costa Rica	Activist, Educator, Networker, Parent
Enid Trevett	Scotland (UK)	Community Organizer
Enriqueta Medellin	Mexico	Educator
Fernanda Baumhardt	The Netherlands	Journalist
Flavio Boleiz Junior	Brazil	Educator
Franciele Diniz	Brazil	Educator
Gevorg Arakelyan	Armenia	Scientist
Gina Mireya Ventura Ramirez	Mexico	Educator
Guillem Ramis	Spain	Educator
Halvor Stormoen	Norway	Administrator, Networker, Parent
Heidy Vega Garcia	Costa Rica	Academic
Irene Bieszke	The Netherlands	Other
Jaana Laitinen	Costa Rica	Activist, Networker, Social Entrepreneur
Jana Kovandzic	Serbia and Montenegro	Student
JCLittle	Canada	Social Entrepreneur

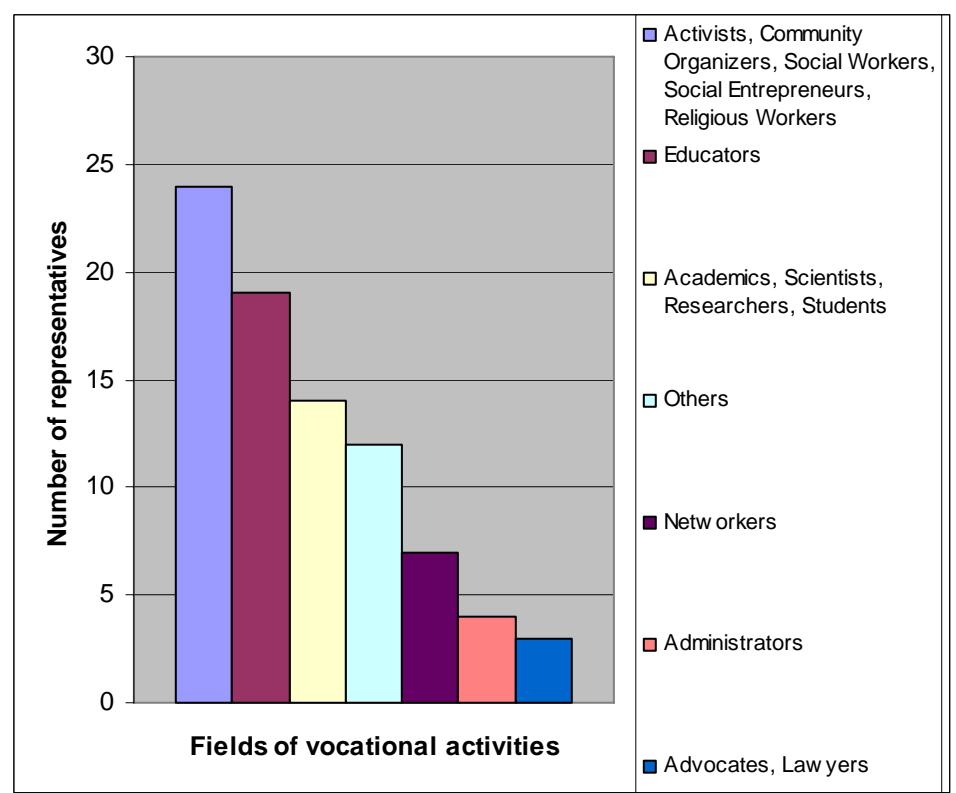
* in order of registration on EC + 10 Forum

Joan Anderson	Japan	Religious Worker
Joseph Runnel Lule	Uganda	Administrator
Joseph Weakland	USA	Student
J.P. Maithani	India	Social Worker
Kaitlin Haskins	USA	Student
Katy Kintezele	USA	Lawyer/legal aid
Kerstin Veigt	Germany	
Kimberly Corrigan	USA	Educator
Kim Ort	USA	Advocate
Leena Akatama	Finland	Activist
Leif-Runar Forsth	Norway	Other
Lisa Marika Jokivirta	Finland	Educator
Lorena Priego Fonseca	Mexico	Artist
Luz Maria Valdivia	Mexico	Educator
Marina Bakhnova Cary	Costa Rica	Networker
Michael Slaby	Germany	Activist
Mirian Vilela	Costa Rica	Administrator, Educator, Networker, Parent
Montfort Social Institute	India	
Nancy TM Chen	Taiwan	Educator, Parent
Ousseni Diallo	Burkina Faso	Educator
Patricia Pereira Abuhab	Brazil	Educator
Philip Otieno	Kenya	Activist
Putri Ayusha	Indonesia	Community Organizer
Rajalingam	Malaysia	Activist
Ramesh Man Tuladhar	Nepal	Social Worker
Rick Clugston	USA	
Samira Aghabayova	Costa Rica	Student
Shopeju Zaid	Nigeria	Advocate
Sofia Savelava	Belarus	Educator
Sylvanus S. Murray	Sierra Leone	Activist
Tigran Sargsyan	Armenia	Educator
Usha Srinivasan	India	Other
Valeria Viana Labrea	Brazil	Educator
Veronika Georgieva	Costa Rica	Other
Vladimir Frolov	Russia	Administrator, Technologist
Volodymyr Motyrov	Costa Rica	Other
Wibowo Sulistio	Indonesia	Community Organizer,
Yuyun Harmono	Indonesia	Activist

ANNEX 2: THE DISTRIBUTION OF PARTICIPANTS PER REGION AND SECTOR



PARTICIPANTS PER SECTOR



ANNEX 3: SLOGANS SUGGESTED IN THE COURSE OF DISCUSSION:

Note: the name of a participant in italics indicates that this person/organization is the author of the slogan, while other names after ‘+’ indicate that this participant/s support the slogan.

1. A Decade of Action: the Earth Charter’s Vision for a Sustainable and Peaceful World (*Kimberly Corrigan*).
2. A Decade of Inspiration: the Earth Charter Values for a Just and Sustainable Future (*Kimberly Corrigan*).
3. Earth Charter 2020: The Call to Action for a Just and Sustainable Future (*Kimberly Corrigan*).
4. The Earth Charter – Bringing People Together (*JC Little + Alicia Jimenez*).
5. Earth Charter + 10: Dialogue and Action for a Sustainable and Peaceful World (*Kimberly_Seattle*).
6. Earth charter + 10: A Shared Commitment to a Better Future (*Joan Anderson + Vladimir Frolov*).
7. Earth Charter + 10: Dialogue and Action for a Sustainable Future (*Veronika Georgieva*).
8. Earth Charter. Ethical Guide for the World beyond National Boundaries (*Marina Bakhnova Cary*).
9. The Earth Charter: Reflection and Action for a Sustainable World (*Putri Ayusha*).
10. The Earth Charter + 10: Ethical Guide for a Just and Sustainable World (*MSIHYD*).
11. Earth Charter, sustainable world beyond national boundaries (*Volodymyr Motyrov*)
12. Charte de la Terre: Reflexion et Action pour un Monde Juste et Soustenible [Earth Charter + 10: Reflection and Action for a Just and Sustainable World] (*Benjamin Njama, Patricia Abuhab*).
13. Earth Charter + 10, take part in securing a positive future for all (*Enid Trevett*).
14. Earth Charter + 10, uniting the world today for a secure and sustainable tomorrow (*Enid Trevett*).
15. Earth Charter: Ethics and Action for a Sustainable Future (*Joseph Weakland*).
16. “Reflexión y acción para vivir todos en la Gran Casa: La Carta de la Tierra ayuda [Reflection and action for living together in a Big House: Earth Charter helps] (*Guillem Ramis*).
17. “The Earth Charter: Co-creating our future” (*Carlo Baroncelli*).
18. “Envision our common future with the Earth Charter” (*Carlo Baroncelli*).
19. “Be Green, Don’t be mean!” (Enid Trevett’s daughter *Holly*, 10y.o.).
20. Earth Charter: inspiration to act for a nonviolent and sustainable future (*Christa Schmidmeister*).
21. The Earth Charter: When People Act Together for Our Common Future (*Halvor Stormoen*).