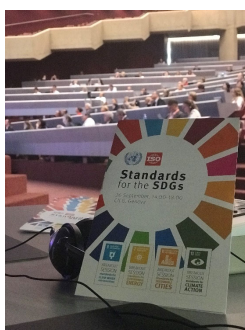


Awareness-raising

- Meetings of the SADC TBT Cooperation Structures (March, Windhoek)
- Small Business Standards' Annual Conference (May, Brussels)
- ISO/CASCO Workshop on Market Surveillance (May, Kenya)
- ISO/TC 207 Plenary Meeting (German Ministry for the Environment, Berlin, June)
- ISEAL symposium (June, the Hague)
- International Cooperation on Education about Standardization (ICES) Workshop (10 October 2019) and the World Standards Cooperation (WSC) Academic Day (11 October) , both held in Belgrade

Technical cooperation projects Standards for SDGs part 1 – successfully concluded July 2019



Main achievements:

- two high-level events (Standards for the SDGs 26/9/2018 + Opening of Declaration on Gender Responsive Standards for signature 14/5/2019)
- two publications on “Standards for the SDGs” and “Gender Responsive Standards”;
- development of a portal <https://standards4sdgs.unece.org/>
- production of three videos and one animation video on Standards for the SDGs and on Gender Responsive standards, as well as numerous awareness raising materials (pull up posters, brochures, etc);
- participation by the Secretariat in nine awareness-raising and capacity-building events aimed at enhancing usage and uptake of standards by policymakers and increased cooperation between policymakers and the standards community.

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Plan ahead:

- (a) Develop the Portal further initially including
 - SDG 5 “Gender Equality”,
 - SDG 8 “Decent Work and Economic Work”
 - SDG 9 “Industry innovation and infrastructure”
 - SDG 12 “Sustainable consumption and production”
- (b) More publications based on a case study approach;
- (c) High level events back to back to High Level UN Summits
- (d) Online training activities starting early 2020
- (e) More videos, more partnerships, more co-creation