Promoting professionalism and integrity in brokering multi-stakeholder partnerships for sustainable development

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Ten Principles of Partnership Brokering Good Practice

1. Keeping up to date with new developments in the theory and practice of brokering multi-stakeholder partnerships.
2. Being reflective and striving for diversity, equity, openness, mutual benefit and courageous practice when operating in a partnership brokering role.
3. Being prepared to challenge assumptions and poor partnering behaviour at any stage of the partnering cycle in ways most likely to bring about constructive change.
4. Taking every opportunity to build partnering and partnership brokering capacity in others.
5. Sharing knowledge generously and not holding on to knowledge for personal aggrandizement or gain.
6. Exploring any available alternative approaches before promoting a partnering process, in a commitment to achieving the best possible outcomes.
7. Being open about risks and seeking prior endorsement of those most likely to be affected by them before taking actions that might entail such risks.
8. Being an ethical and responsible practitioner by raising concerns about the partnership or the actions of individual partners.
9. Acknowledging competence limitations and being open to requesting assistance from others who will bring complementary skills or different approaches to the task.
10. Being willing to let go and hand over the partnership brokering role when the time is right.

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