## LOCALIZING SDGS

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He has been working with Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) since 1995 and continues to work on issues related to poverty reduction, inequality, community empowerment, youth leadership, civic space and policy advocacy on different issues. He has promoted social entrepreneurship beginning from the era of Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) and has continuously engaged and contributed on localizing and achieving SDGs, focusing on awareness raising, capacity building, preparing CSOs progress, showcasing best practices, engaging VNR/VLR, media mobilization, and lobby advocacy with multi-stakeholders in both national and international level.







