

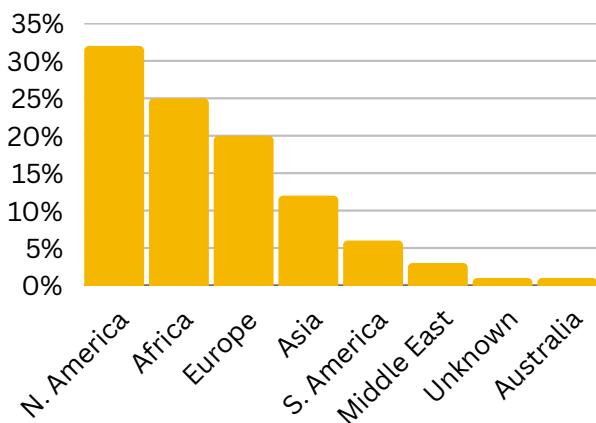
2024 Network Partner Report

In 2024, ECDAN set up a new data management system to track its organizational partners and their participation in network activities. There are many ways to be involved and contribute to the network, and all levels and types of partners are welcome. This report shares some insights about the 362 organizational partners we had at the end of 2024.

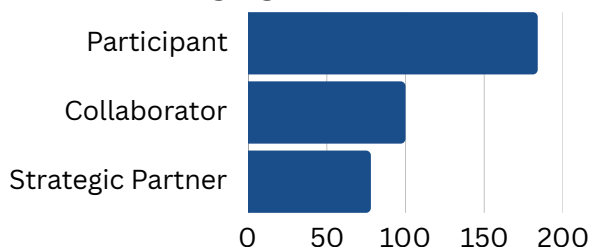
Nearly half of our partners are nongovernmental organizations that operate at either the local level or internationally.

Our partners are headquartered around the world in 63 different countries. The top countries where our partners are headquartered are the United States (28%), Kenya (10%), the United Kingdom (8%), South Africa (6%), and India (5%). The number of countries where our partners operate is even larger.

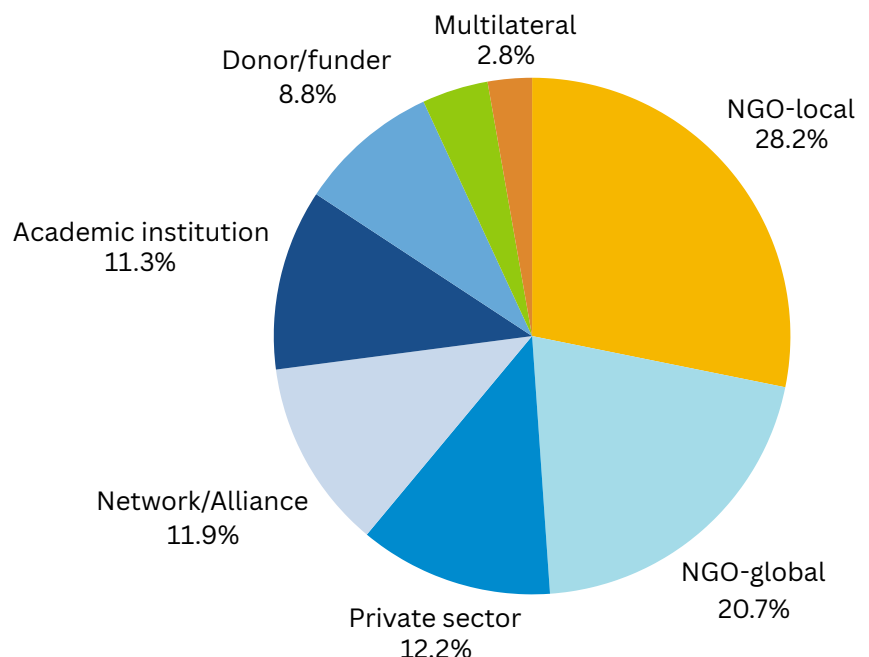
Headquarters Location by Region



Engagement Level



Organizations by Type

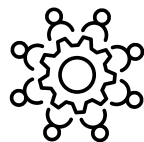


51% of partner organizations are classified as participants, meaning that they benefit from knowledge sharing activities such as webinars, newsletters, knowledge hubs, etc.

Organizations that participate in working groups, speak at webinars, share resources, etc. are classified as **collaborators**. Organizations that are part of our governance committees or are part of a specific, funded collaborative initiative are classified as **strategic partners**. We had 78 strategic partners at the end of 2024.

There are many different ways that our partner organizations contribute to the network.

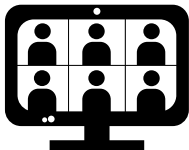
Collaborative Actions



132 organizations are part of a collaborative group



16 philanthropic organizations have provided funding



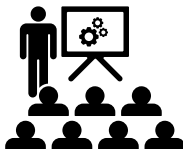
36 organizations co-designed webinars in 2023 or 2024



34 organizations are part of ECDAN’s governance structure



12 organizations co-wrote blog articles about their work in 2023 or 2024



20 organizations co-hosted in-person events in 2023 or 2024



185 organizations have signed at least one call to action from 2021 to 2024

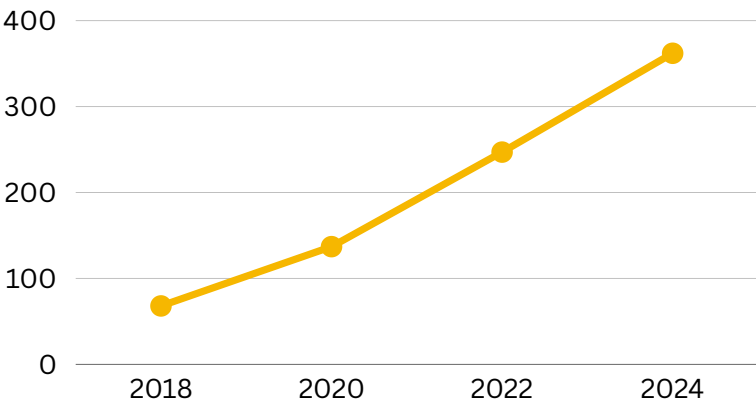


66 organizations formally applied and were welcomed into the network in 2023 or 2024

Our network has grown steadily and organically over time.

The number of organizational partners increased by 18% in 2024 alone. While it is not always possible to know when an organization first connected with us, we have attempted to estimate the year of involvement to see the growth trend over time.

Network Growth Over Time



Partner Testimonials – 2024 Survey

What has been the biggest impact of your participation in ECDAN in 2024?

- “Knowing other institutions and experiences”
- “Sharing of evidence has been the most useful as well as tools”
- “Be in line with global trends”
- “Built bridges across sectors and convened global events to influence policy and mobilize action”

Our partners have different thematic interests and strengths.

Common areas of interest include education, social-emotional learning, parenting, children with disabilities, advocacy, health, research, sustainable development, child protection, humanitarian response, women’s economic empowerment, climate change, and more. We use knowledge of these strengths to gain contributions to joint activities such as webinars, resource materials, collaborative initiatives, and working groups.