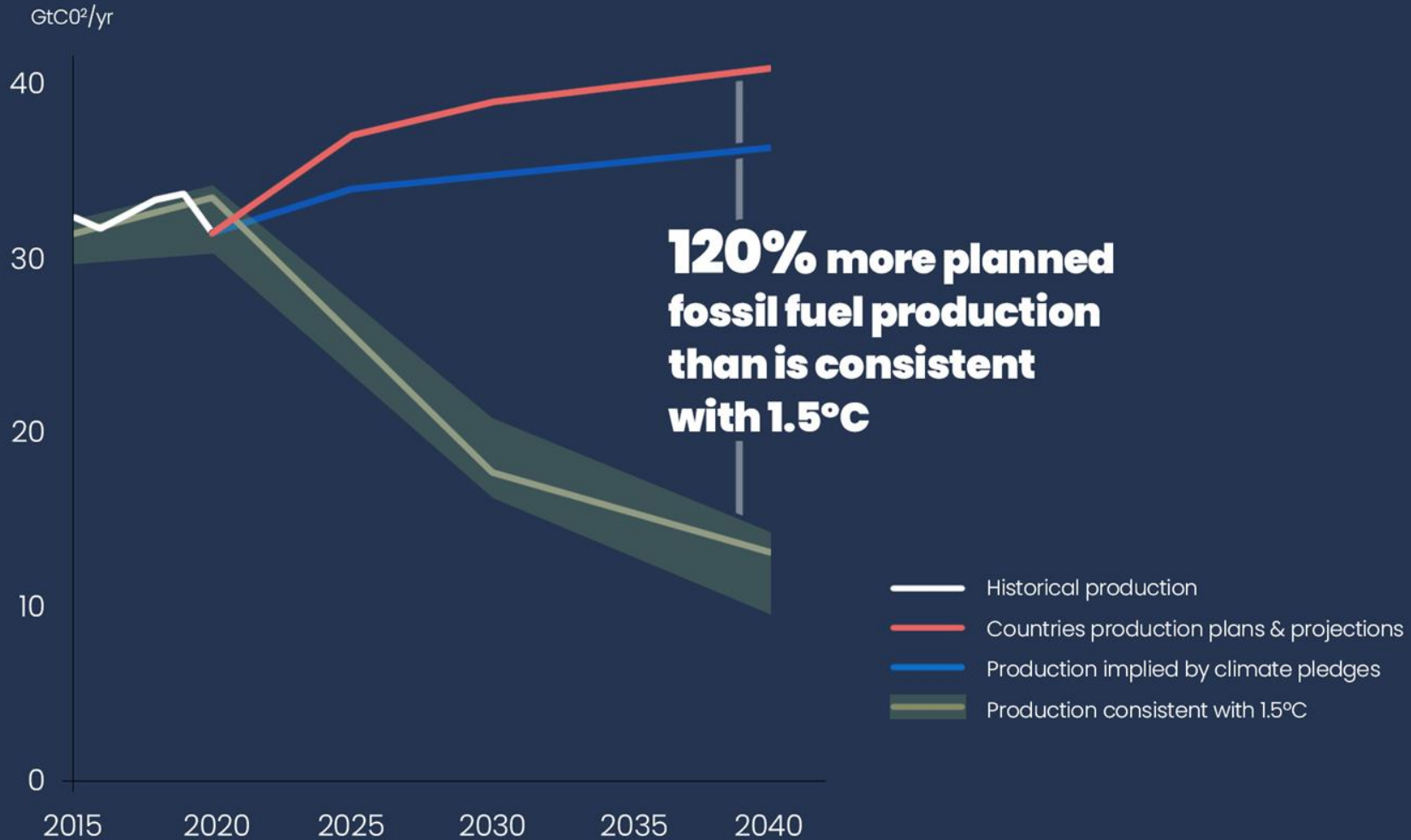
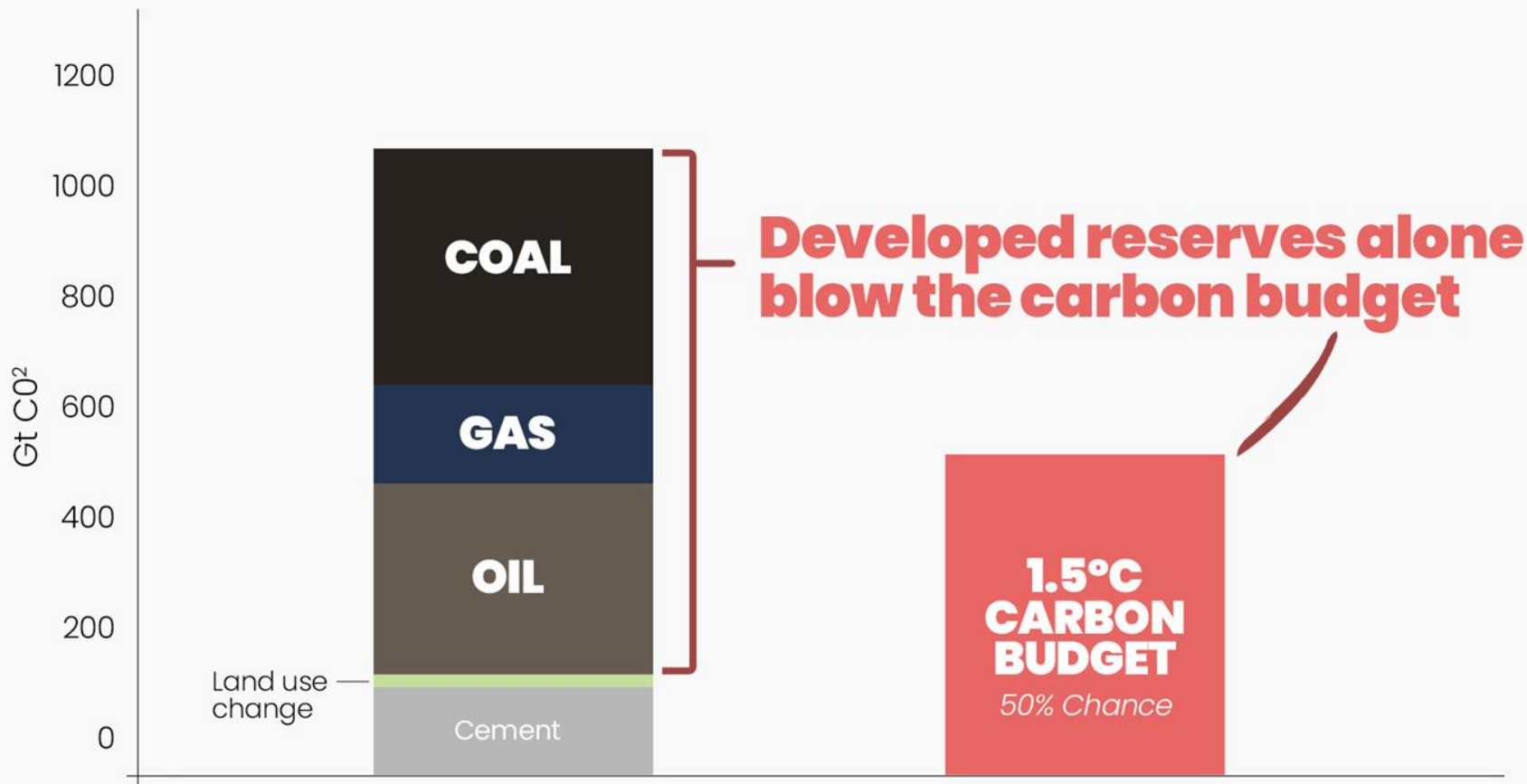




**FOSSIL
FUEL**
NON-PROLIFERATION
TREATY

A bold project to phase out fossil fuels
and support a global just transition





Intersecting challenges & crises

The climate crisis has been driven by the fossil fuel system as one of its root causes

- The **fossil fuel system is responsible for almost 80% of CO2** emitted since the industrial revolution. In 2015 it accounted for over 90% of global industrial emissions.
- The fossil fuel system is **complex, and integrated with energy, financial and other systems**, giving rise to a coordination challenge and need for cooperation across borders to address.
- It is also a part of and **contributes to a world defined by historical and existing inequities**, and so to most effectively coordinate we must address the equity challenge, to ensure our responses are fair to those most disadvantaged and build the broadest, most inclusive and therefore the most resilient response.
- Given the scale and pace of change required to adequately respond, we also **face a stability challenge**, as there may be many flow-on, secondary and potentially cascading effects, which can also be exacerbated by structured inequities in our systems.

THE PARIS
AGREEMENT

***DOESN'T MENTION
COAL, OIL OR GAS***



That's why the
world needs a
#FossilFuelTreaty

The background of the image shows an industrial facility, likely a refinery or power plant, silhouetted against a sunset sky. Multiple smokestacks are visible, each emitting thick, dark plumes of smoke that rise into the air. The sky transitions from a deep orange near the horizon to a dark blue at the top. The overall scene conveys a sense of industrial activity and environmental impact.

CC **There is no need for investment
in new fossil fuel supply** in
our net zero pathway.

– THE INTERNATIONAL ENERGY AGENCY



**“This report must sound
a death knell for coal and
fossil fuels, before they
destroy our planet.**

– UN SECRETARY-GENERAL ON THE IPCC REPORT

Our objectives



Change global norms on fossil fuels by demonstrating widespread action on fossil fuel supply



Motivate cities and states to endorse the Treaty and phase out coal, oil and gas in their local areas



Provide the missing framework and mechanism for a multilateral agreement for a just transition



Increase transparency and accountability by developing research on fossil fuel expansion



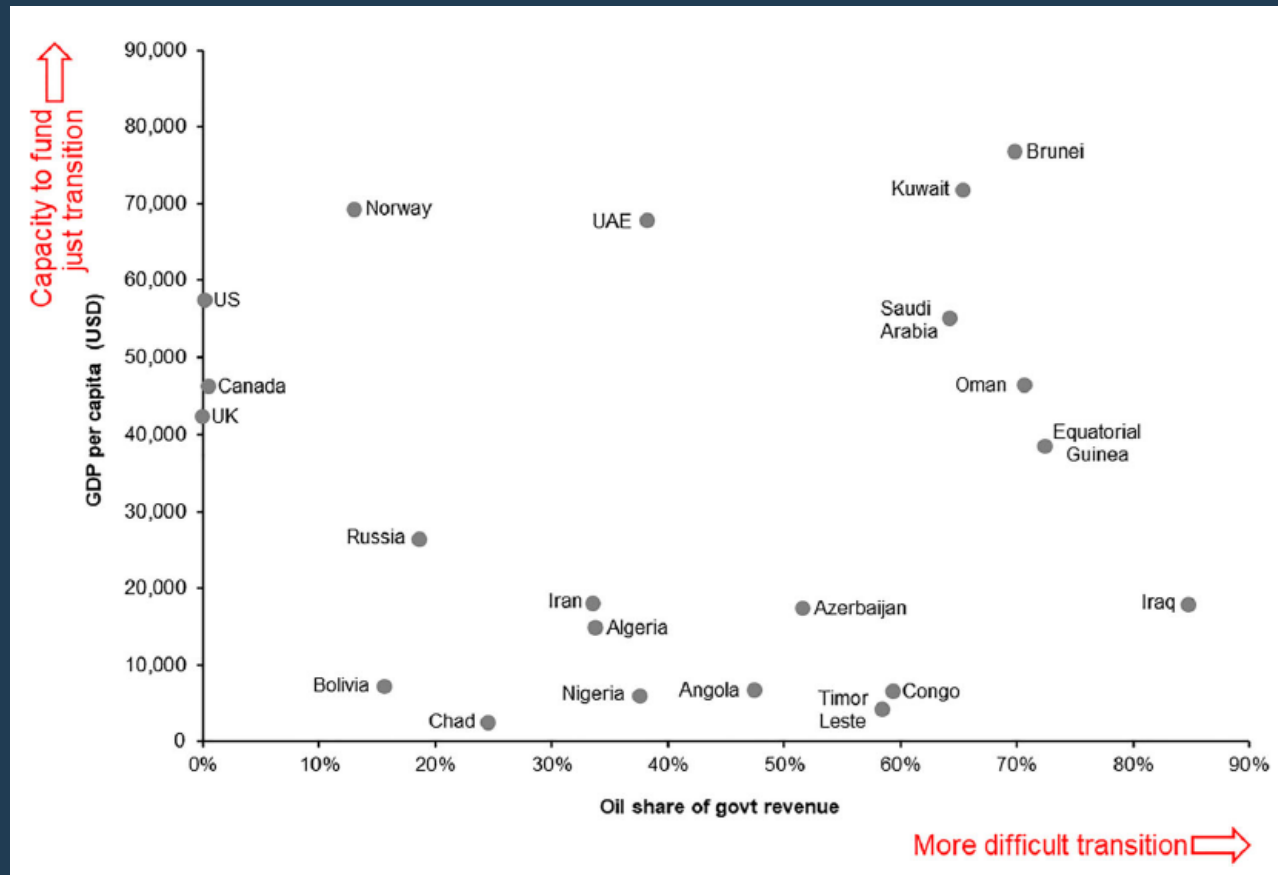
Grow the global movement for a just energy transition by centering equity demands and analysis and leading with solutions



Complement frontline and finance campaigns with a unifying political demand that is commensurate with the scale of the challenge

The need for international cooperation

Given the urgency, scale of the challenge, and capacity and development constraints, **unprecedented international cooperation** is needed to ensure a rapid and equitable phase out of fossil fuels and a just transition for workers and communities.



Nuclear Weapons **treaties as a model**

Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons (NPT) (1968)

3 pillars:

- **Non-proliferation** = ending fossil fuel exploration
- **Disarmament** = phasing-out production
- **Peaceful transition** = fast-tracking clean energy and a just transition

Treaty for the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons (2017)

- Massive **global civil society movement**
- Momentum driven by **smaller, non-nuclear states** - demonstrates ability of non-nuclear powers to change global norms & create reputational pressure
- ICAN winner of Nobel Prize

Non-proliferation

Don't add to the problem.
End new exploration and
expansion into new
reserves.



Global Disarmament

Reduce the existing threat.
Equitably phase out existing
stockpiles and production in
line with 1.5°C.



A Just Transition

Accelerate an equitable
transition. Increase access to
renewable energy & other
low carbon solutions.
Develop just transition
plans.

Fossil Fuel Non-Proliferation Treaty

Facilitating a rapid, coordinated, transparent and equitable transition away from fossil fuels

The risks of delay

Further delay tackling fossil fuel supply presents major risks:

- It makes the inevitable **transition harder**
- It creates stranded assets and risks **financial turmoil**
- It increases **risks to workers** and communities
- It **delays the expansion** of renewable energy
- It **delays economic diversification** into more sustainable sectors
- It consolidates **powerful pro-fossil fuel** political constituencies
- It **increases risk** of technical, economic, legal and political lock-in
- It increases the risk of **dangerous geo-engineering**
- It risks **warming well above 1.5 and 2°C**



Who we are & what we do

We are a directed network - guided by our global Steering Committee.

We work in collaboration with a diverse range of partners and other foundations. **Over 800 organisations have endorsed** from climate, Indigenous Peoples, youth, faith, health, gender, human rights, unions and other constituencies, spanning global networks like 350.org and Friends of the Earth to local groups, and cities such as Sydney, Los Angeles and Barcelona.

We have a **small international support team** that supports and collaborates with partners to undertake:

- Regionally (e.g. Asia) and constituency (e.g. Youth, Faith) relevant campaigns and endorsement outreach
- Cities campaigning
- Media and communications
- Research, analysis and academic collaborations
- Political advocacy and government engagement

Directed Network

A global network of **800+** groups have endorsed the Treaty concept



Coordination

Our Steering Committee

Mohamed Adow, Power Shift Africa

Tzaporah Berman, Stand.earth

Meena Raman, Third World Network

Lidy Nacpil, Director, Asia Pacific Movement on Debt and Development

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Carlos Larrea, Universidad Andina Simón Bolívar

Mitzi Jonelle Tan, Youth Advocates for Climate Action Philippines

Richard Denniss, The Australia Institute

May Boeve, 350.org

Andrea Reimer, World Future Council

Lili Fuhr, Heinrich Böll Stiftung

Simon Taylor, Global Witness

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Sanjay Vashist, Climate Action Network South Asia

Niranjali Amerasinghe, ActionAid International

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Peter Newell, University of Sussex

Andrew Simms, New Weather Institute

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Harro Van Asselt, University of Eastern Finland

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Osprey Orielle Lake, Women's Earth & Climate Action Network

Tom Goldtooth, Indigenous Environmental Network (IEN)

Regional Partners



Existing Efforts

Demand-side campaigns

Our contribution:

Demand for global 1.5°C aligned phase out, commensurate with scale of problem

Focused pressure on governments & international cooperation

Demand for global just transition

Focus on coal, oil & gas industry as a whole

WMD analogy & normative shift

Cities / sub-national strategies

Bridge to connect with fossil fuel struggles beyond sit-specific battles

Frontline struggles

Reduce undue influence of industry

Finance, divestment & subsidies

Liability

Campaigners urge African Union to stop fossil fuel proliferation on continent

Op-Ed: Treat fossil fuels like nukes. Endorse a new nonproliferation treaty

Los Angeles Times

NZ should lead move to fossil-fuel reduction treaty

OPINION: It's time for a fossil fuel non-proliferation treaty

FOSSIL FUELS GET THE NUCLEAR TREATMENT IN NEW CLIMATE EFFORT

KEEP IT IN THE GROUND

US cities consider treating fossil fuels like nuclear weapons

Resolution Calls for Global Fossil Fuel Non-Proliferation Treaty

A Cold War lesson for the climate change era: Why we need a Fossil Fuel Non-Proliferation Treaty

Why we need a non-proliferation treaty for fossil fuels

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A new power play: The Fossil Fuel Non-Proliferation Treaty

News / Local News

Treat fossil fuels like nuclear weapons, says global treaty initiative

**The Dalai Lama and 100
other Nobel Prize winners
called for the 3 pillars of the
Treaty the day before the
2021 Leaders Climate
Summit**



Cities are also leading the call for a Treaty



Sydney



Toronto



Vancouver



Los Angeles



Barcelona



**Other municipal
councils such as
Amber Valley UK,
an ex-coal town**



**2,185 SCIENTISTS
+ ACADEMICS HAVE
JUST CALLED FOR
A FOSSIL FUEL NON
PROLIFERATION
TREATY**



PARLIAMENTARIANS' CALL
FOR A FOSSIL FUEL FREE FUTURE

- Coordinating **nationally-elected officials** who support the three pillars of the Fossil Fuel Treaty in the lead up to COP26
- **Initiated by 20 MPs and Senators from Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Pacific**, now with 120+ signatories from 25 countries.



Loren Legarda, Deputy Speaker,
House of Representatives,
Philippines



Charles Santiago, Member of
Parliament of **Malaysia**



Saber H Chowdhury, Member of
Parliament of **Bangladesh**



Juanita Goebertus Estrada,
Member of the House of
Representatives of **Colombia**



Congresswoman Paola Vega of
Costa Rica



Mercy Barends, Member of the
People's Representative Council
of **Indonesia**



Diah Pitaloka, Member of the
People's Representative Council
of **Indonesia**



Willy Aditya, Member of the
People's Representative Council
of **Indonesia**



Riaz Fatyana, Member of the
National Assembly of **Pakistan**



Argel Cabatbat, House of
Representatives of the
Philippines



France Castro, House of
Representatives of the
Philippines



Risa Honiveros, Senator of the
Philippines



Sarah Elago, House of
Representatives of the
Philippines



Jose Christopher "Kit" Belmonte,
House of Representatives of the
Philippines



Frank Habineza, Member of
Parliament of **Rwanda**



Nqabayomzi Kwankwa, Member
of the National Assembly of
South Africa



Stevenson Jakey Kuartel,
Senator, National Congress of
Palau



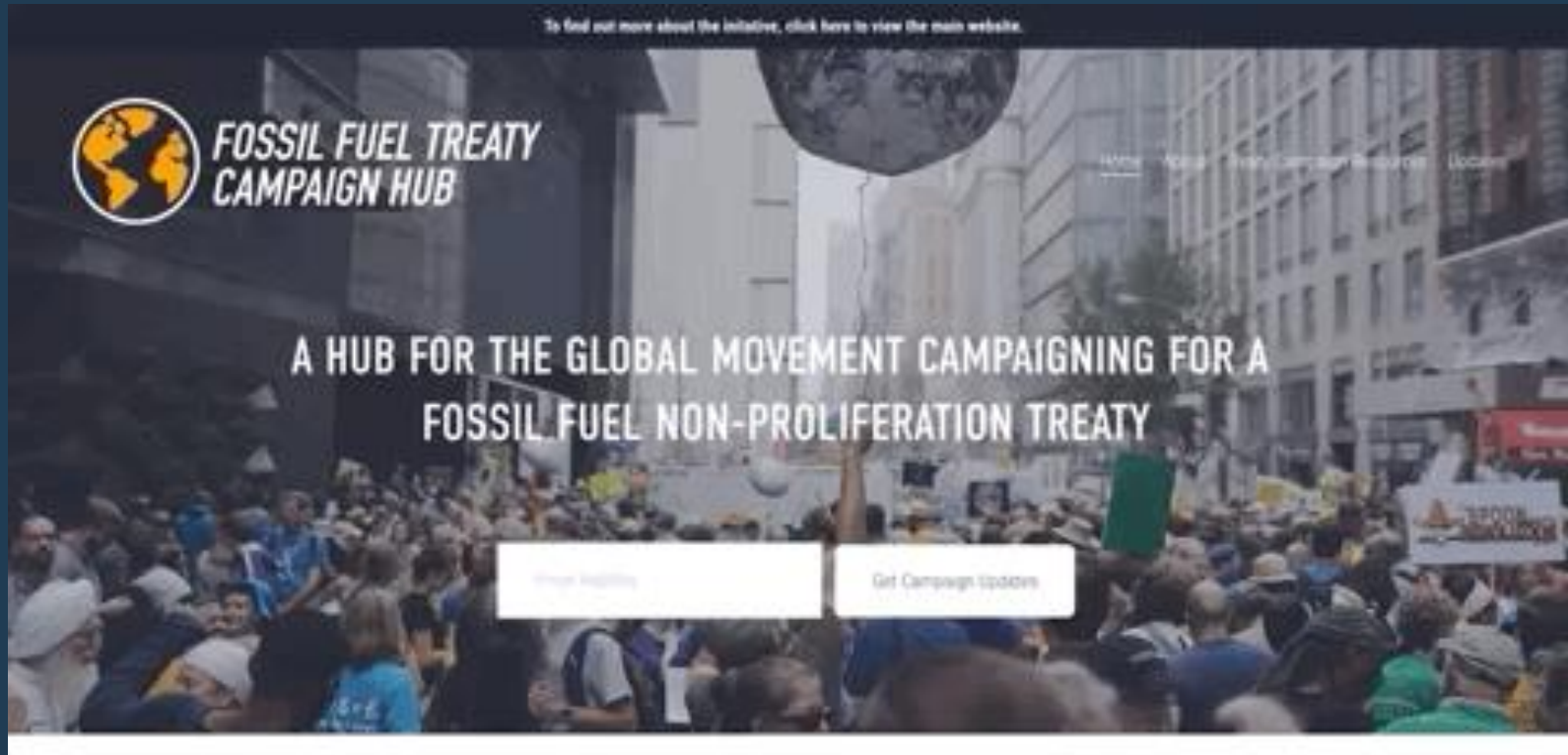
Abel da Silva, Member of
Parliament of **Timor-Leste**

Diplomatic Engagement

- **Club of Countries:** initial focus on those who may champion the club, ie those prepared to make international demands for cooperation, countries looking to the future role of coal, oil, and gas in their economies, and countries particularly vulnerable to climate impacts.
- **Global Registry of Fossil Fuels:** key to propelling supply side into international public policy discourse; transparency and accountability are key hooks; want to see this taken up this year.
- **Global Commission on Fossil Fuels:** or a formal UNSG report - would be major stepping-stone along the pathway of international and stakeholder co-operation, to build the case and support for a global treaty.
- **Global treaty and regime that:** 1) ends new exploration and production; 2) phases out existing stockpiles and production; 3) accelerates solutions for a managed and just transition.

Campaign & Comms

Introducing the Treaty Campaign Hub campaign.fossilfueltreaty.org



What can you do?



Endorse as an organisation at www.fossilfueltreaty.org



Promote the Treaty concept e.g. share [this video](#)



Call on cities in your region to endorse



Join a constituency-specific tactic – active statements calling for a Treaty from [youth](#), [academics](#), [Parliamentarians](#) and **faith leaders** (coming soon).



Invite nationally-elected officials to join the [Parliamentarians for a Fossil Fuel Free Future](#)



Learn more, endorse the Treaty and
join the campaign:

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