F20

The Favela 20 (F-20) aims to represent marginalized and excluded communities in decision-making processes. Its primary objective is to provide a platform for favela and periphery communities to have their voices heard and their concerns addressed within the scope of the G20. This is crucial because the challenges faced by these communities are inherently linked to global issues and the influence of government policies, whether local, regional, or international.

Recommendations

Our top recommendations involve:

- 1- Fighting Poverty and Hunger;
- 2- Ensuring Access to Water and Basic Sanitation;
- 3- Addressing the Climate Crisis;
- 4- Preventing Natural Disasters;
- 5- Promoting Access to Education and Digital Inclusion.

1- Social Inequalities:

1- Allocate financial resources for constructing and maintaining basic infrastructure, such as health clinics, schools, and public transportation, and invest in water and sanitation infrastructure for favelas and peripheries.

2- Taxation:

- 1- Review and reform the tax system to make it more progressive, ensuring that the wealthiest contribute fairly and proportionally. Allocate the revenue towards climate adaptation and mitigation in favelas and peripheries;
- 2- Create specific credit lines for entrepreneurs in favelas and peripheries, encouraging the development of local businesses.

3- Global Governance Reform:

1- Ensure the representation of favelas and peripheries in international forums and in developing global policies and investments, especially during G20 meetings and other multilateral organizations.

4- Sustainable Finance:

- 1- Create committees and specific agendas to develop sustainable finance, assessing the social, environmental, and climatic impact of economic activities, with a focus on favela and periphery communities;
- 2- Set up funds and credit lines specifically for solar energy projects and other renewable energy sources in favelas and peripheries.