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# Global Developments and Social Security Challenges and Solutions

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## PRESENTATION OUTLINE



Global Forces Driving the Self-Employed and Platform Economy



Rising Social Security Challenges Amidst the Growth Self-Employed and Platform Economy



Pathways to Protection: ISSA's Role in Shaping Solutions



Leading the Way Forward



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## GLOBAL FORCES DRIVING THE SELF-EMPLOYED AND PLATFORM ECONOMY

*The expansion of informal economy brings significant impact, arising from various developments at the global scale*



Technological Advancements

Economic Shifts

Demographic Changes

Environmental and Health Crises

*Informal workers accounts for up to **61.2%**<sup>1</sup> of the world employed population*



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# RISING SOCIAL SECURITY CHALLENGES AMIDST THE GROWTH SELF-EMPLOYED AND PLATFORM ECONOMY

*Despite growth, the informal economy faces significant challenges in ensuring adequate social protection*

**2 billion**  
informal  
workers  
worldwide<sup>1</sup>

**COVERAGE GAP**

**REGULATORY AND POLICY BARRIER**

**INEQUALITY AND INCLUSION**

**SUSTAINABILITY AND FUNDING**



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## PATHWAYS TO PROTECTION: ISSA'S ROLE IN SHAPING SOLUTIONS



**ISSA Guidelines for Social Security Administration**

**Fostering Global Collaboration**

**Promotion of Holistic Social Protection**

**Sustainable Financing of Social Protection**



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## LEADING THE WAY FORWARD

**Harnessing Digital Transformation**

**Promoting Universal Coverage**

**Building Resilient Systems**

**Strengthening Partnerships & Knowledge Exchange**





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