



**Together, building a better enabling space for all social organisations around the world**

*On the occasion of the [25th anniversary of CIVICUS](#), [RACI](#): the Argentine Network for International Cooperation, expresses how being part of CIVICUS - the Global Alliance for Citizen Participation – is beneficial to building a better enabling space for all social organisations in the world together.*

“It is with much joy that RACI joins in the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of CIVICUS. From us here at the Argentine Network for International Cooperation, we want to wish CIVICUS a happy birthday and hope for twenty-five years more to come. CIVICUS marked a difference in RACI, highlighting a past and present in our institutional growth and the strengthening of our campaigns and events.

CIVICUS allowed local organisations in Argentina to be informed of world tendencies and campaigns such as Action 2015 and campaigns like Leave No One Behind permitted grassroots organisations in Argentina to be informed about world issues and aware of the importance of international events such as the 2030 Agenda.

CIVICUS allows us to capacitate ourselves, to be informed, and connected to organisations based all over the world that share difficulties, challenges and good practices similar to ours.

So, in truth, for RACI there is a past and present before becoming a member of CIVICUS, and of course, through our cooperation with CIVICUS activities, we feel that we can be a channel through which we can capitalize the initiatives that CIVICUS leads on a global scale.

Moreover, CIVICUS allows us to keep growing and strengthening ourselves. In regards to our memberships, RACI was able to generate engagement mechanisms with its partners in remote areas that a lot of times suffer from difficulties, and through these tools and mechanisms that CIVICUS assisted us with, we were able to be closer to our partners. For all of these motives and twenty-fifth more, it is a pride for RACI to be a member of CIVICUS and we hope to keep building together a better enabling space for all social organisations in the world.”

*If you also want to share your experience as a member of CIVICUS, through written or audio-visual testimony, please send your contributions with the subject: [25th anniversary testimonial], at [membership@civicus.org](mailto:membership@civicus.org) .*