

## **PROJECT TITLE**

**Strengthening voice of Indian CSOs/ Increasing representation of Indian CSOs interests in multilateral and bilateral development cooperation through capacity building and participation in G20, BRICS and QUAD.**

## **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

**India will be hosting the presidency of the G20 (Group of 20 nations), in 2023. For India, it can hold both opportunities and challenges, the opportunity to influence the global economic governance agenda, make it inclusive and showcase its achievements, and the challenge of taking on the humungous task as G20 President in challenging times of pandemic and global economic slowdown. Continuing the efforts to engage with global multilateral forums towards advancing civil society space and participation, the partner VANI will initiate a focus on the India-U.S.-Japan-Australia Quadrilateral initiative (formally the Quadrilateral Security Dialogue (QSD) and colloquially the Quad or QUAD).**

## **ACTIVITIES UNDER THE PROJECT**

- Analysis of the Last 5 Communiques of Civil Society with G20**
- Meeting with Indian CSOs on Key Asks of Civil Society in 2023's G20 Agenda**
- Workshop to sensitize CSOs on G20 & BRICS and the envisioned role of Civil Society during India's G20 Presidency**
- Policy Paper on Indian and Global Civil Society's Key Asks in G20 Summit and Related Focus Group**
- Study on Reforms needed in G20 and BRICS Structures**
- Research Analysis on Scope of Civil Society Engagement in QUAD**

## **PROJECT TIMELINE**

- January-October 2022**

