Global-commission reports by decision-maker type

Global-commission reports may target, involve directly or engage more generally any of the four types of decision-makers that are the focus of the Evidence Commission report. Government policymakers were the most frequent target audience for the 70 commission reports published since 2016 that we analyzed. Commission members were also most frequently described as government policymakers, and this type of decision-maker was also the focus of broader engagement of the commission reports we analyzed. Citizens were the least-frequent target audience, commission members, and focus of broader engagement. Many commission reports (52) did not single out any types of decision-makers as the basis for describing their commissioners.