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### Implementing the UN development agenda in the post-2015 era: The role of alternative transformative strategies

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Committee members, Professors Alonso, Cornia, and Ocampo, will brief on common elements of alternative transformative strategies to achieve inclusive and sustainable development beyond 2015. The global economic crisis of 2008-2009 exposed systemic failures in the workings of financial markets and major deficiencies at the core of economic policy making. This crisis came on top of several other crises. Tackling these challenges involves, first of all identifying a development strategy capable of promoting a broad-based economic recovery, with job creation and, at the same time, able of guaranteeing social equity and environmental sustainability both within countries as well as internationally. Over the past two decades, a few developing countries have achieved accelerated and broad-based economic growth and have undergone favourable social and economic transformations. Despite the variety of country experiences, it is possible to identify certain patterns of development in these countries' approaches that could inspire future development strategies. In addition, these alternative strategies need to be supported by improved global governance so as to promote a more equitable distribution of opportunities among countries and people, a more efficient provision of global public goods and a reduction of human, environmental and financial risks currently afflicting the international system.

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