



PROGRAMME



Briefing in the margin of the ECOSOC Operational Activities Segment on the 2016 DCF Preparatory Process

“Development Cooperation, lever for integrated SDG implementation”

Monday, 22 February 2016 • 1:15 – 2:45 PM • Conference Room 8

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Opening Remarks

- **The role of ECOSOC in the SDG era:** H.E. Mr. Alejandro Palma Cerna, Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council
 - **The road to the 2016 High-level Meeting of the DCF:** Mr. Wu Hongbo, Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs
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1:35 – 1:55 PM

Briefing Presentations

- **Key messages from the DCF Uganda High-level Symposium:** H.E. Mr. Duncan Muhumuza, Permanent Mission of Republic of Uganda to the United Nations
 - **Themes of the DCF Belgium High-level Symposium:** H.E. Mrs. Bénédicte Frankinet, Permanent Representative of Belgium to the United Nations
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1:55 – 2:30PM

Discussion segment

The moderator, Mr. Navid Hanif, Director, Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination, DESA, will invite feedback and questions from participants.

- *How can we use the leverage of development cooperation to ensure integrated SDG implementation?*
- *What are key opportunities and challenges in adjusting development cooperation interventions for implementing the SDGs?*

What have been your early experiences in adapting your development cooperation institutions to the 2030 Agenda? What approaches are you taking and what lessons have you learned so far?

2:30 – 2:45 PM

Closing Remarks

Speakers share any final remarks.