



**GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
AD HOC OPEN-ENDED WORKING GROUP  
TO FOLLOW UP ON THE ISSUES CONTAINED IN THE OUTCOME OF THE CONFERENCE ON  
THE WORLD FINANCIAL AND ECONOMIC CRISIS AND ITS IMPACT ON DEVELOPMENT**

Fourth meeting  
30 April 2010, Conference Room 4 (NLB)

**TENTATIVE PROGRAMME**

***“Access to credit and concessionary finance; fiscal space for  
countercyclical policies; and the current global reserve system”***

Co-Chairs:

**H.E. Mr. Morten Wetland**  
Permanent Representative of Norway

**H.E. Mr. Lazarous Kapambwe**  
Permanent Representative of Zambia

3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Panel presentations:

**Mr. Daniel Titelman** [Bio](#) [Presentation](#)  
Director, Development Studies Division, UN-ECLAC

**Mr. Elliot Harris** [Bio](#) [Presentation](#)  
Special Representative of the IMF to the UN

**Ms. Lisa Schineller** [Bio](#) [Presentation](#)  
Director for Sovereign Ratings in Latin America, Standard and Poor's

4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Interactive discussion

Statements by:

**G77 and China** [Statement](#)

**Rio Group** [Statement](#)

**European Union** [Statement](#)

**Background documentation:**

UN-ECLAC “*The reactions of the Governments of the Americas to the international crisis: an overview of policy measures up to 31 December 2009*”

ECLAC/ILO Bulletin N° 2. “*The Employment Situation in Latin America and the Caribbean: Crisis in the labour markets and countercyclical responses*”

UN-ECLAC “*Latin America and the Caribbean in the World Economy 2008 - 2009. Crisis and opportunities for regional cooperation*”