

Side Event organized by the World Bank Group

Migration and Development: A Roadmap to a Global Compact

Sunday, September 18, 2016, 5:30-7:00 pm Venue:Conference Room 5 (UNHQ NY)

The event will highlight possible elements needed to be included in the proposed "Global compact for safe, orderly and regular migration." World Bank will present a paper highlighting global migration trends, fundamental drivers and the benefits and costs of migration, and a role for the MDBs and IFIs.* Global leaders in the panel will share their country's vision, expectations and a practical roadmap for the proposed global compact.

Chair:Mahmoud Mohieldin, Senior Vice President for the 2030 Development Agenda,
UN Relations and Partnerships, World Bank

Presentation of the World Bank Paper "Migration and Development: A Role for the World Bank Group", by *Dilip Ratha*, Lead Economist and Head of KNOMAD, World Bank

Panelists:

Ambassador Shahidul Haque, Foreign Secretary, Government of Bangladesh

Suzanne Sheldon, Director, United States Department of State Bureau of Population, Refugees and Migration

Gilbert F.Houngbo, Deputy Director General, International Labor Organization

Marta Foresti, Interim Executive Director, Overseas Development Institute

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* see http://blogs.worldbank.org/peoplemove/migration-and-development-role-world-bank-group