



**2017 UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**UNDG SIDE-EVENT DRAFT SPEAKER PROFILE AND PROGRAMME**

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UN Development Group (UNDG), under the aegis of the Sustainable Development and Sustaining Peace Results Group, co-chaired by UNDP and PBSO

**DATE, TIME AND VENUE**

21 September, 13:15-14:45 PM, UN Conference Building, Conference Room 2

**HOST**

UNDG Chair Mr. Achim Steiner

**PANELISTS**

UN Deputy Secretary-General, Ms. Amina J. Mohammed

H.E. Mr. Adama Barrow, President of the Republic of The Gambia;

H.E. Mr. Almazbek Atambayev, President of the Kyrgyz Republic;

H.E. Mr. Luis Fernando Mejia, Minister of Planning of Colombia

H.E. Mr. Jong-moon Choi, Deputy Minister for Multilateral and Global Affairs of the Republic of Korea and Korea is also the Chair of the Peacebuilding Commission this year

H.E. Ambassador Miguel Ruíz Cabañas Izquierdo, Vice Minister for Multilateral Affairs and Human Rights of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Mexico

Ms. Mavic Cabrera Balleza, Founder and CEO of Global Network of Women Peacebuilders

**Programme outline (90 mins)**

<b>Welcoming Remarks</b>	UNDG Chair Mr. Achim Steiner
<b>Member State Remarks</b>	H.E. Mr. Adama Barrow, President of the Republic of The Gambia
	H.E. Mr. Almazbek Atambayev, President of the Kyrgyz Republic
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<b>Civil Society Perspective</b>	Ms. Mavic Cabrera Balleza, Founder and CEO of Global Network of Women Peacebuilders
<b>DSG Remarks</b>	UN Deputy Secretary-General, Ms. Amina J. Mohammed
<b>Dialogue between UN DSG and UNDG Chair</b>	
<b>Facilitated discussion and follow-up questions to panelists (23 mins)</b>	
<b>Concluding remarks</b>	UNDG Chair Mr. Achim Steiner