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**WRAPPING UP – Key messages and way forward**

**Speaker Bios**

**Ms. Eliza ANYANGWE, The Guardian - MODERATOR**



Eliza Anyangwe is a Cameroon-born, London-based writer, editor and moderator. After seven years at the Guardian (and a short stint at CNN International) she set up The Nzinga Effect, a platform to tell the stories of women from Africa and the diaspora. A guest lecturer on the international communications programme at IULM in Milan, Eliza has also spoken on panels from SXSW Interactive in Austin, to the Web We Want festival in London. As a moderator, she has worked for organisations including Dell, Southbank Centre, Stockholm International Water Institute, ITC, ECOSOC and Government of Belgium and many others. Eliza is fellow of the Royal Society

for the Arts.

**Mr. Manuel Montes, Permanent Observer and Senior Advisor on Finance and  
Development, The South Centre - MODERATOR**



Manuel F. Montes, Permanent Observer and Senior Advisor on Finance and Development at the South Centre, was previously Chief of Development Strategies, and Chief of Policy Analysis and Development in the UN's Financing for Development Office, United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UNDESA); UNDP Regional Programme Coordinator, Asia Pacific Trade and Investment Initiative based at the Regional Centre in Colombo, Sri Lanka. He holds a PhD in Economics from Stanford University. His recent publications have been in areas of macroeconomic policy, development strategy, income inequality, climate change financing and industrial policy. He was a founding member of the

Independent Commission to Reform International Corporate Taxation (ICRICT).

**Mr. Martin RIVERO, Coordinator, Social Cohesion and South South Cooperation, Ibero-American General Secretariat**



Ex Director Ejecutivo de la Agencia Uruguaya de Cooperación Internacional (AUCI) durante la Presidencia de José Mujica entre 2010 y 2015. Ex Secretario Ejecutivo del Programa Iberoamericano para el Fortalecimiento de la Cooperación SUR- SUR (PIFCSS). Master (MA) on Development Studies del Institute of Social Studies (ISS), La Haya, Holanda. Ha sido funcionario y consultor en temas de cooperación internacional, desarrollo humano y políticas públicas para diversas instituciones de cooperación y organismos internacionales.

**Mr. Jorge CHEDIK, Director, and Envoy of the Secretary-General on South-South Cooperation, UNOSSC**



Since October 2015, Mr. Jorge Chediek has been the Director of the United Nations Office for South-South Cooperation. In March 2016, Mr. Chediek was appointed by the UN Secretary-General as his Envoy on South-South Cooperation. Prior to this, Mr. Chediek served as the UN Resident Coordinator/UNDP Resident Representative in Brazil (2010-2015). In that capacity, he was, among others, also the Director of the International Policy Centre for Inclusive Growth, UNDP's global forum for policy dialogue and South-South learning on social development innovations. Born in 1960, he holds a Master of Science in Foreign Service (honors) from Georgetown University in Washington, D.C., and a Bachelor of Science in Political Science from Catholic University in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

**Ms. Angela BESTER, Consultant**

Angela is an independent consultant from South Africa. She has supported the work of the DCF analysing the Mutual Accountability Surveys conducted by UNDESA in 2013 and 2015. Angela conducted the Scoping Study on Monitoring, Review and Accountability for Development Cooperation post-2015 for UNDESA, and has prepared analytical papers on capacity building and results-based management for the Quadrennial Comprehensive Policy Review of the United Nations. She is a former Director-General of Social Development, South Africa.

**Mr. Paulo ESTEVES, General Supervisor and Researcher, BRICS Policy Centre**

During the last 20 years Paulo Esteves has combined academic and policy oriented work in the field of International politics. Since 2010 his research and publications have focused on international development, south-south cooperation and emerging powers. Dr Esteves coordinated policy dialogues, policy-oriented research and analysis, the evaluation of development programs. Served as UNDP consultant and ECOSOC advisor and was a research fellow at Rice University, Copenhagen University and Brown University. Currently, is an associate professor at the Institute of International Relations (PUC-Rio) and the Director of the BRICS Policy Center. Was a founding member of the Brazilian International Studies Association and its president from 2011 to 2015. Paulo Esteves is a founding Holds a PhD in Political Science.