

PROGRAMME

OPENING CEREMONY

9 am – 10 am / General Assembly Hall

MODERATOR

Ms. Ghida Fakhry

International broadcast journalist

Drummers from Mamaroneck High School

9.00am

OPENING REMARKS

H.E. Mr. Mogens Lykketoft

President of the 70th session of the UN General Assembly

9:10 – 10am

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

H.E. Mr. Jan Eliasson

Deputy Secretary General, United Nations

Ms. Victoria Barrett

ACE Fellow (youth representative)

Mr. Forest Whitaker

SDG Advocate and Activist

Mr. Sunny George Verghese

Co-Founder and Group Chief Executive Officer, Olam International Ltd.

Ms. Leymah Gbowee

SDG Advocate and Liberian peace activist

Moderated Dialogue

Prof. Jeffrey Sachs

Director of the Earth Institute at Columbia University, SDG Advocate

Prof. Nebojsa Nakicenovic

Deputy Director General and Deputy Chief Executive Officer, International Institute for Applied System Analysis (IIASA)

PLENARY

Action at All Levels: National Implementation

10am – 2.30pm / General Assembly Hall

3pm – 9pm / Trusteeship Council Chamber

10am – 12:50pm

National Statements by Member States, Observers, UN system Principals, and Civil Society Representatives

12:50 – 1:00pm

Special briefing by Chinese G20 Sherpa on G20 and implementation of the 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda

1:00 – 2.30pm

National Statements by Member States, Observers, UN system Principals, and Civil Society Representatives

3:00 – 9:00pm

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CSO Speakers

Ms. Vanessa Rosemary Anyoti

World Young Women's Christian Association (YWCA), Tanzania

Mr. Najib Saab

Arab Forum for Environment and Development (AFED), Lebanon

Mr. Thauan dos Santos

Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

Ms. Siva Thanenthiran

Asian Pacific Resource and Research Centre For Women, Malaysia

INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION ONE

Financing poverty eradication and sustainable development

10am – 1pm / ECOSOC Chamber

10:05 **KEYNOTE SPEAKER**
 Dr. Mark Carney *Governor of the Bank of England and Chair of the Financial Stability Board (FSB)*

10:15 – 11:45am **PANEL 1** ***The way ahead: Successful frameworks and strategies for financing the Sustainable Development Goals and the paradigm shift towards low carbon societies***

MODERATOR

Ms. Maggie Lake *Anchor and Correspondent, CNN International*

PANELLISTS

H.E. Ms. Izabella Teixeira *Minister of Environment of Brazil*
 Mr. Torben Møger Pedersen *Chief Executive Officer, Pension Denmark*
 Ms. Namita Vikas *Group President and Country Head, Responsible Banking & Chief Sustainability Officer, YES Bank*
 Ms. Barbara Adams *Senior Policy Advisor, Global Policy Forum*

DISCUSSION LEADS

Ms. Ingrid-Gabriela Hoven *Director General, Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development of Germany*
 Mr. Stefano Prato *Managing Director, Society for International Development*
 Ms. Héla Cheikhrouhou *Executive Director, Green Climate Fund*
 Mr. Enrique García Rodríguez *Executive President and Chief Executive Officer, Development Bank of Latin America (CAF)*

11:42am ***Interview with Mogens Lykketoft, President of the General Assembly on taxation, conducted by Ghida Fakhry***

11:45am **PANEL 2** ***Enhancing international cooperation in tax and financial matters***

MODERATOR

Mr. Mukhisa Kituyi *Secretary-General, UNCTAD*

PANELLISTS

Mr. José Antonio Ocampo *Director of the Economic and Political Development Concentration in the School of International and Public Affairs, Member of the Committee on Global Thought and co-President of the Initiative for Policy Dialogue at Columbia University*
 Mr. Min Zhu *Deputy Managing Director, IMF*
 Ms. Winnie Byanyima *Executive Director, OXFAM International*
 Mr. Tom Butler *President and Chief Executive Officer, International Council on Mining and Metals*

DISCUSSION LEADS

Mr. Marcos Bonturi
 Ms. Tove Maria Ryding

*Director, Global Relations Secretariat, OECD
 Policy and Advocacy Manager – Tax Justice,
 EURODAD*

Mr. Vicente Paolo Yu

*Head of Administration and Coordinator,
 Global Governance for Development
 Programme, South Centre*

HIGH-LEVEL LUNCH

Partnerships for SDG Implementation

1pm – 3pm / Delegates Dining Room

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1:15pm

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*President of the 70th session of the UN
 General Assembly*

1:25pm

MODERATED DIALOGUE

Mr. Peter Bakker

*President, World Business Council for
 Sustainable Development (WBCSD)*

Mr. Jeremy Oppenheim

*Programme Director, Global Business for
 Sustainable Development*

Ms. Rhea Suh

*President, Natural Resource Defense Council
 (NRDC)*

1:45pm

ROUNDTABLE CONVERSATIONS

2:35pm

MODERATED DIALOGUE

Note: High Level Partnership Lunch for invited guests only

INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION TWO

Technology and Data for SDGs

3pm – 6pm / ECOSOC Chamber

3:00pm

PANEL 1

***Enhancing Technology Development and Cooperation for Sustainable
 Development Goals***

MODERATOR

Mr. Andrew Steer

*President and Chief Executive Officer, World
 Resources Institute*

OPENING REMARKS

Mr. Achim Steiner

Executive Director, UNEP

PANELLISTS

H.E. Mr. Sirodjidin Aslov

*Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of
 Tajikistan*

H.E. Mr. Esben Lunde Larsen

*Minister for Environment and Food of
 Denmark*

Mr. Li Yong

Director-General, UNIDO

Ms. Rachel Kyte

*Chief Executive Officer, Sustainable Energy
 for All & Special Representative of the United
 Nations Secretary-General*

Mr. Thomas Videbaek
Ms. Barbara Birungi

*Chief Operating Officer, Novozymes
Director, Women in Technology Uganda*

DISCUSSION LEADS

Dr. Peter Singer

Chief Executive Officer, Grand Challenges Canada

Prof. Xiaolan Fu
Ms. Robynne Anderson

*Director of TMCD, Oxford University
Chief Executive Officer, Emerging Ag Inc.*

DISCUSSION SUMMARY

Prof. Elmer Colglazier

Senior scholar, American Association for Advancement of Science, Co-chair of the UN 10-Member Group to support the TFM

4:30pm PANEL 2 *Harnessing the Data Revolution for SDGs: opportunities and challenges*

MODERATOR

H.E. Ms. Amina Mohamed

Minister of Environment of Nigeria

OPENING REMARKS

Mr. Wu Hongbo

Under-Secretary General, UNDESA

PANELISTS

H.E. Mr. Kenred Dorsett

Minister of Environment and Housing of The Bahamas

Ms. Lisa Grace S. Bersales
Mr. Babatunde Osotimehin
Mr. Christian Friis Bach
Ms. Lara Birkes

*Co-chair of IAEG-SDGs
Executive Director, UNFPA
Chair of UN Regional Economic Commissions
Chief Sustainability Officer, Hewlett Packard Enterprise*

Ms. Erica Hagen

Board Member and Founder, Map Kibera

DISCUSSANTS

Ms. Atefeh Riazi

Assistant Secretary General and UN Chief Information technology officer

Mr. Mosharraf Hossain

Director of Policy and Influencing, ADD International

Dr. Robert Chen
Mr. Robert Kirkpatrick

*Director of CIESIN, Columbia University
Director, UN Global Pulse*

DISCUSSION SUMMARY

Mr. John McArthur

Senior Fellow, Brookings Institution

HIGH-LEVEL RECEPTION

Climate Action in the Context of Sustainable Development

6:00pm – 7:30pm / East Lounge, 1st floor

Moderator:

Ms. Christiana Figueres

Executive Secretary of UNFCCC

6:15pm

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H.E. Mr. Mogens Lykketoft

President of the 70th session of the UN General Assembly

6:20pm

H.E. Mr. Ban Ki-moon

Secretary-General of the United Nations

6:25pm

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

H.E. Mr. Tuilaepa Aiono Sailele Malielegaoi

Prime Minister of Samoa

H.E. Ms. Ségolène Royal

Minister of Environment, Energy and Marine affairs, President of COP21

H.E. Mr. Mohammed bin Abdulla Al-Rumaihi

Minister of Municipality and environment of the State of Qatar

Mr. Gérard Mestrallet

Chief Executive Officer, ENGIE

Mr. Patrick Khulekani Dlamini

Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director, Development Bank of Southern Africa

Mr. Xiuhtezcatl Roske-Martinez

Civil society representative

Note: High Level Climate Reception for Head of Delegation (HoD) and invited guests only