



# FINANCING FOR SDGs

Breaking the Bottlenecks of Investment from Policy to Impact

June 11, 2018 · ECOSOC Chamber, United Nations

**09:00-09:20**

## **Opening Segment**

- H.E. Mr. Miroslav Lajčák, President of the General Assembly of the United Nations
- H.E. Ms. Amina Mohammed, Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations
- Dr. Mukhisa Kituyi, Secretary-General of UNCTAD

**09:20-10:00**

## **Set the stage: Introductory Presentations**

- Video message of Mr. Bill Gates, Co-Chair and Trustee, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation
- Mr. Douglas L. Peterson, President and CEO of S&P Global
- Ms. Namita Vikas, Group President & Global Head, Climate Strategy & Responsible Banking, YES Bank Ltd
- Mr. Mustafa Suleyman, co-founder and Head of Applied AI of DeepMind
- Mr. Steve Waygood, Chief Responsible Investment Officer, Aviva
- Mr. Tariq Fancy, Chief Investment Officer of Sustainable Investing, BlackRock

**10:00-11:30**

## **Panel 1: Build fertile soil for business: providing concerted leadership**

**Moderator:** H.E. Mr. E. Courtenay Rattray, Permanent Representative of Jamaica to the United Nations

### **Speakers:**

- H.E. Mr. Peter Kažimír, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance of the Slovak Republic
- H.E. Mr. Martin Bille Hermann, State Secretary for Development Cooperation of Denmark





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- H.E. Dr. Luky Eko Wuryanto, Vice President and Chief Administration Officer of Asia Infrastructure Investment Bank
- H.E. Mr. Marc-André Blanchard, Permanent Representative of Canada to the United Nations, Co-Chair of Group of Friends of SDG Finance
- Ms. Marjete Jager, Deputy Director General of Directorate-General for International Cooperation and Development (DG DEVCO), European Commission
- Ms. Julia Prescott, Chief Strategy Officer, Meridiam Infrastructure, Emerging Africa Infrastructure Fund (EAIF)

**11:30-13:00**

## **Panel 2: Let the investment grow: filling in the gap of trillions**

**Moderator:** Ms. Lise Kingo, CEO of UN Global Compact

**Speakers:**

- H.E. Mr. Vazil Hudák, Vice President of the European Investment Bank
- Professor Jeffery Sachs, External Adviser to the President of the General Assembly
- Ms. Grete Faremo, Executive Director, UNOPS
- Mr. Juan Yermo, Deputy Chief of Staff of the OECD Secretary-General
- Mr. Tony Kalm, President of One Acre Fund

**15:00-16:15**

## **Panel 3: Remove the hurdles of irrigation: channeling investment to the ground**

**Moderator:** Mr. Elliott Harris, Assistant Secretary-General for Economic Development, Chief Economist





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- Dr. Zamir Iqbal, Vice President Finance & CFO, Islamic Development Bank
- Mr. Abdoulaye Mar Dieye, Assistant Secretary-General of UNDP
- Mr. Christian Deseglise, Global Head of Central Banks and Global Sponsor of Sustainable Finance for HSBC
- Ms. Tara Nathan, Executive Vice President of Public-Private Partnerships of MasterCard
- Ms. Terri Toyota, Member of the Executive Committee, World Economic Forum

**16:15-17:30**

## **Panel 4: Secure the fruits: maximizing investment impact**

**Moderator:** Dr. James Zhan, Senior Director of Investment of UNCTAD

## Speakers:

- H.E. Mr. Luis Fernando Mejía, Director of National Planning Department (DNP) of Colombia
- H.E. Dr. Belay Begashaw, Director of the SDG Center for Africa
- Mr. Mark Thornton, CEO of B4P
- Ms. Amanda Wallace, Executive Director of Infrastructure Investments Group of J.P. Morgan Asset Management
- Mr. Orlando Ferreira, Chief Strategy Officer, IDB Invest

**17:30-17:55**

## **Report of moderators**

**17:55-18:00**

## **Closing Segment**

- H.E. Mr. Miroslav Lajčák, President of the General Assembly of the United Nations

