



PRESIDENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



THE PRESIDENT
OF THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL
COUNCIL

16 December 2022

Excellency,

We have the honour to invite you to a **joint briefing on Thursday, 19 January 2023 at 10a.m.** in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

The joint briefing responds to General Assembly Resolution 75/325 of 10 September 2021, entitled “Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly”, and related efforts to revitalize the work of the General Assembly and strengthen the Economic and Social Council.

The briefing will address areas of complementarity in the mandates of the two Charter bodies as we take progressive steps towards the SDG Summit to be convened during the High-Level week in September 2023.

Against this backdrop, we intend to enhance the coordination between all existing processes within the General Assembly and ECOSOC, benefitting from regular scientific inputs and engaging with wide range of stakeholders, including youth. We plan to take a cross-sectorial approach that is focused on transformation with a view to placing the SDGs at the core of our agenda whilst responding to the impact of the multiple and interlocking crises we find ourselves in today.

The joint briefing will also provide an opportunity for Member States to exchange views and perspectives in relation to the work and cooperation of the General Assembly and ECOSOC. We look forward to your open and constructive engagement as we forge ahead to ensure coherence, effectiveness, and efficiencies in our work.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of our highest consideration

Csaba Kőrösi
President of the General Assembly
during the seventy-seventh session

Lachezara Stoeva
President of the Economic and Social
Council at its 2022-2023 session