



President of the General Assembly 79th Session



United Nations General Assembly High-level Meeting on Middle-income Countries

Tuesday, 1 April 2025

10 a.m. – 6 p.m.

General Assembly Hall & Trusteeship Council Chamber, UNHQ, New York

Programme

Time	Session	Venue
10:00 a.m. - 10:40 a.m.	Opening Segment <ul style="list-style-type: none">- H.E. Mr. Philemon Yang, President of the General Assembly- H.E. Mr. Anatolio Ndong Mba, Vice President of the Economic and Social Council on behalf of President- H.E. Mr. Omar Hilale, Permanent Representative of the Kingdom of Morocco, on behalf of the Like-Minded Group in support of Middle-income Countries <u>Keynote Statements:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Ms. Rebeca Grynspan, Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development- Mr. Navid Hanif, Assistant Secretary-General for Economic Development on behalf of Under Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs	General Assembly Hall
10:40 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Plenary Segment <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Statements by Member States and Observers of the General Assembly	General Assembly Hall
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Lunch break	

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3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	<p>Panel Discussion: International development cooperation with middle-income countries, including policy and financial decisions</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <p>Ms. Dima Al-Khatib, Director of the United Nations Office for South-South Cooperation</p> <p><u>Panelists:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ms. Fabrizia Lapecorella, Deputy Secretary-General of Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) - Mr. Somik Lall, Senior Adviser to the Chief Economist of the World Bank Group - Mr. Avinash Persaud, Special Advisor on Climate Change to the President of the Inter-American Development Bank 	Trusteeship Council Chamber