

Using Foresight Tools to Prepare for What's Ahead: A UN DESA Global Policy Dialogue

Tuesday, 28 January 2025

10:00-11:15 a.m. EST

Online

Programme

Introduction

(5 minutes)

- **Shakuntala Santhiran**, moderator

Panel 1: “Translating Economic Forecasts into Better Policymaking”

(32 minutes)

- **Shantanu Mukherjee**, Director, Economic Analysis and Policy Division, UN DESA
- **Dawn Holland**, Director of Economic Research, Moody’s Analytics
- **Keith Nurse**, President of the College of Science, Technology and Applied Arts Trinidad and Tobago

Video

(5 minutes)

- **“The Future of Humanity” Population Trends Decoded,** UN DGC and UN DESA

Panel 2: “Applying Population Projections to Prepare for the Future”

(32 minutes)

- **Clare Menozzi**, Chief, Demographic Analysis Section, Population Division, UN DESA
- **Priyansh Shah**, Founder and Director of the World Youth Heart Federation and representative of the UN Major Group on Children and Youth
- **Dean Spears**, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, University of Texas at Austin

Wrap-up and closing

(1 minute)

- Moderator