



The Future of Sustainable Development Financing

UN DESA Global Policy Dialogue on the Future of the World

Programme

Thursday, 14 April 2022, 8:30-10 a.m. EDT

Introduction (8 minutes)

• Mr. Gerald Berger, Moderator

Video: "Bridging the Great Financing Divide" (2 minutes)

Topic 1: Overcoming the great finance divide

(40 minutes)

- Stephany Griffith-Jones, Financial Markets Director, Initiative for Policy Dialogue, Columbia University, and Emeritus Professorial Fellow, Institute of Development Studies, Sussex University
- **Régis Marodon,** Senior Advisor on Sustainable Finance, French Development Agency (AFD)
- **Shari Spiegel,** Chief, Policy Analysis and Development Section, Financing for Sustainable Development Office, UN DESA

Topic 2: Addressing debt and debt sustainability

(35 minutes)

- **Niranjan Sarangi,** Senior Economic Affairs Officer, UN Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia (ESCWA)
- Oliver Schwank, Senior Economic Affairs Officer, Financing for Sustainable Development Office, UN DESA
- Cynthia Nona Tamale, Fellow, African Sovereign Debt Justice Network

Wrap-up (5 minutes)





• Moderator