# Jobs and Social Protection for Poverty Eradication and a Sustainable Recovery

## Financing for Development in the Era of COVID-19 and Beyond

### Provisional Agenda

28 September 2021, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm EST

**Moderator:** Ms. Nozipho Tshabalala, CEO, The Conversation Strategists

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| Opening Panel (3) | • Mr. António Guterres, Secretary-General of the United Nations  
• H.E. Mr. Andrew Holness, Prime Minister of Jamaica and Co-Convener of the Financing for Development in the Era of COVID-19 and Beyond Initiative (FFDI)  

**Setting the Scene:**  
• Mr. Guy Ryder, Director-General, International Labour Organization |
| Panel 1: Macro-economic policies to finance green jobs and social protection | • Ms. Kristalina Georgieva, Managing Director, International Monetary Fund  
• Mr. David Malpass, President of the World Bank Group  
• Mr. Mathias Cormann, Secretary-General of the OECD  
• Ms. Alicia Bárcena, Executive Secretary, Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean  
• Mr. Mauricio Claver-Carone, President of the Inter-American Development Bank  
• Mr. Muhammad Sulaiman Al Jasser, President of the Islamic Development Bank  
• Mr. Akinwumi A. Adesina, President of the African Development Bank  
• Mr. Achim Steiner, Administrator, UNDP  
• Ms. Mafalda Duarte, CEO of the Climate Investment Funds |
| High-Level Panel: | Setting the Scene: |
| National and Regional Commitments to create decent jobs, expand social protection, and support a just transition | • H.E. Mr. Alexander de Croo, Prime Minister, Kingdom of Belgium, co-chair, Group of Friends of Decent Work Commitments:  
• H.E. Carlos Alvarado Quesada, President of the Republic of Costa Rica  
• H.E. Mr. Guillermo Lasso Mendoza, Constitutional President of the Republic of Ecuador  
• H.E. Mr. Alberto Fernandez, President of the Republic of Argentina  
• H.E. Mr. Yemi Osinbajo, Vice-President of the Federal Republic of Nigeria  
• H.E. Mr. Mostafa Madbouly, Prime Minister of the Arab Republic of Egypt  
• H.E. Ms. Nirmala Sitharaman, Minister for Finance and Corporate Affairs of the Republic of India  
• H.E. Mr. Abul Kalam Abdul Momen, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of Bangladesh  
• H.E. Ms. Béata Habyarimana, Minister for Trade and Industry of the Republic of Rwanda  
• H.E. Ms. Alexandra Hill Tinoco, Minister for Foreign Affairs of El Salvador  
• H.E. Dr. Sania Nishtar, Special Assistant to the Prime Minister and Federal Minister, Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan  
• H.E. Ms. Jutta Urpilainen, European Commissioner for International Partnerships |
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| Panel 3: Mobilizing public and private investments for an inclusive and green recovery | The Way Forward:  
• Ms. Sharan Burrow, General-Secretary, International Trade Union Confederation  
• Ms. Michele Parmelee, Deloitte Global Deputy CEO and Chief People & Purpose Officer, and President of the International Organization of Employers (IOE)  
• Ms. Saadia Zahidi, Managing Director, World Economic Forum  
• Ms. Nila Kabeer, Professor of Gender and Development at the Gender Institute, London School of Economics and Political Science  
• Mr. Kailash Satyarthi, Nobel Peace Prize Laureate  
• Ms. Tasneem Essop, Executive Director, Climate Action Network International  
• Mr. Rémy Rioux, Director General of the French Development Agency and Chairman International Development Finance Club  
• H.M. Queen Máxima of the Netherlands, the United Nations Secretary-General's Special Advocate for Inclusive Finance for Development (UNSGSA) |
| Closing remarks | • Ms. Amina Mohammed, Deputy Secretary-General |