# High-level Forum on Adolescent Girls and Agenda 2030

11 March 2016  
Trusteeship Council Chamber

## Provisional Programme

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| **10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Opening Plenary** | H.E. Mr. Mogens Lykketoft, President of the 70th Session of the General Assembly  
Dr. Babatunde Osotimehin, Executive Director, UNFPA  
Princess Lalla Meryem of Morocco, President of *Observatoire National des Droits de l'Enfant*  
Dr. Grace Gyimah-Boateng, Curious Minds, Ghana |
| **10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. High-level Interactive Panel** | “Prioritizing investments in health, education and empowerment of Adolescent Girls to achieve Agenda 2030”  
*Moderated by Dr. Babatunde Osotimehin, Executive-Director, United Nations Population Fund*  
Panel:  
Member States:  
- Hon. Marcela Huaita, Minister of Women and Vulnerable Populations, Peru  
- Hon. Prof. Nkanda Luo, Minister of Gender and Development of the Republic of Zambia  
Madame Monica Geingos, First Lady of the Republic of Namibia  
Ms. Sivananthi Thanenthiran, Executive Director at The Asian-Pacific Resource & Research Centre for Women (ARROW)  
Ms. María Jose Landeira Oestergaard, President of Zonta International  
Ms. Mayra Zamaniego Elige-Red LAC México  
Discussant – Geeta Rao Gupta, Deputy Executive Director (Programmes), UNICEF |
| **1:15 -2:45 p.m. – High-level Lunch hosted by H.E. Mr. Mogens Lykketoft, President of the 70th Session of the General Assembly for Ministers, leaders of delegations and other invited guests.** | “Investing in adolescent girls: A prerequisite for achieving the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development”  
(Delegates Dining Room, 4th Floor CB) |
| **3:00 - 5:30 p.m. High-level Interactive Panel** | |
“Leaving no Adolescent Girl behind. Protecting and upholding the rights of every girl”

*Moderated by Ms. Phumzile Mlambo-Ngcuka, Executive Director, UN Women

Panel:
Member States
  - Hon. Lourdes Xitumul Piox, Presidential Secretary for Women, Guatemala
  - Hon. Muruli Mukasa, Minister of Women and Vulnerable Populations, Uganda
Mr. Ahmad Alhendawi, Secretary-General’s Envoy on Youth
Ms. Katja Iversen, Chief Executive Officer of Women Deliver
Will Center, Director, Philips
Ms. Smiriti Thata, LACHS Asia Pacific

Discussant - Ivan Šimonović, Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights, UNHCHR

5:30- 5:45 p.m. Closing Segment

Closing remarks by Dr. Babatunde Osotimehin, Executive Director of UNFPA