



High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development

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Trusteeship Council Chamber, United Nations Headquarters
New York, 26 September 2019

10:00 - 10:30 Opening Segment

Opening and Welcome Remarks

H.E. Mr. Tijjani Muhammad-Bande, President of the 74th Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations

Statement

H.E. Mr. António Guterres, Secretary-General of the United Nations

Keynote address

H.E. Mr. Nana Addo Dankwa Akufo-Addo, President of **Ghana**

Mr. Bill Gates, Co-chair, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

Ms. Sola David-Borha, CEO Africa Regions, Standard Bank Group

10:30-11:45 Interactive Dialogue 1 – Putting public resources to work for more equal, sustainable societies, including by combatting illicit financial flows

Moderated by Ms. Sarah Cliffe, Director of New York University Center on International Cooperation

10:30– 11:10 Segment 1

H.E. Mr. Muhammadu Buhari, President of **Nigeria** (delivered by Mr. Prince Clemi Ikanade Agba, Minister of State for Budget and National Planning, Nigeria)

H.E. Dr. Mohammad Shtayyeh, Prime Minister of the **State of Palestine**

H.E. Mr. Kokhir Rasulzoda, Prime Minister of **Tajikistan**

H.E. Mr. Alexander De Croo, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance and Development Cooperation of **Belgium**

H.E. Mr. Darren Allan Henfield, Minister of Foreign Affairs of **The Bahamas**

Ms. Svetlana V. Lukash, G20 Sherpa and Deputy Chief, Presidential Experts' Directorate, Office of the President of the **Russian Federation**

Response by experts



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11:10– 11:45 Segment 2

H.E. Mr. Idriss Déby Itno, President of **Chad**

H.E. Mr. Imran Khan, Prime Minister of **Pakistan**

H.E. Mr. Neven Mimica, Commissioner for International Cooperation and Development of the **European Union**

H.E. Mr. Jose Valencia Amores, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Human Mobility of **Ecuador**

H.E. Mr. Dag-Inge Ulstein, Minister of International Development of **Norway**

H.E. Mr. Ma Zhaoxu, Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs of **China**

Response by experts

Experts:

Mr. Manuel Montes, Senior Advisor of the South Centre

Mr. Kevin P. Gallagher, Professor, Boston University

Ms. Irene Ovonji-Odida, Commissioner, Independent Commission for the Reform & International Corporate Taxation, & Member of AU/ ECA High Level Panel on Illicit Financial Flows (Mbeki panel)

Ms. Sneha Shah, Refinitiv - Thomson Reuters

11:45-13:00 Interactive Dialogue 2 - Financing the SDGs and climate action against rising debt burdens

Moderated by Mr. Matthew Bishop, The Rockefeller Foundation

11:45– 12:25 Segment 1

H.E. Mr. Ralph Gonsalves, Prime Minister of **St. Vincent and the Grenadines**

H.E. Mr. Voreqe Bainimarama, Prime Minister of **Fiji**

H.E. Dr. Dionisio da Costa Babo Soares, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation, **Timor- Leste**

H.E. Mr. Ciarán Cannon, Minister of State for Foreign Affairs and Trade of **Ireland**

H.E. Mr. Gedu Andargachew, Minister of Foreign Affairs of **Ethiopia**

Response by experts

12:25 – 13:00 Segment 2

H.E. Mr. Danny Faure, President of **Seychelles**

H.E. Mr. José Ulisses Correia e Silva, Prime Minister of **Cabo Verde**

H.E. Ms. Francine Baron, Minister of Foreign Service of **Dominica**

H.E. Mr. Gaston Browne, Prime Minister of **Antigua and Barbuda**

H.E. Ms. Emanuela Claudia Del Re, Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of **Italy**

H.E. Mr. Jerome X. Walcott, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade of **Barbados**



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Response by experts

Experts:

Mr. Eric LeCompte, Jubilee USA Network

Ms. Gita Gopinath, Chief Economist of the International Monetary Fund (IMF)

Ms. Rebecca Grynspan, Ibero-American Secretary General

Mr. Baba Musa, Director General of the West African Institute for Financial and Economic Management

15:00-16:25 Interactive Dialogue 3 – Moving the money to fill the climate action and SDGs financing gap

Two sessions featuring a small number of institutional investors having an engaging discussion on removing the obstacles to attract private capital with select Heads of State or Government and/or Ministers of Finance or Central Bank Governors.

Moderated by Ms. Gillian Tett, Chair of Editorial Board and Editor-at-Large, the Financial Times

15:00 – 15:45 Segment 1

Keynote address by H.E. Mr. Tharman Shanmugaratnam, Senior Minister of the **Republic of Singapore** and Chair of the G20 Eminent Persons Group on Global Financial Governance

H.E. Mr. Julius Maada Bio, President of **Sierra Leone**

H.E. Ms. Monica Juma, Cabinet Secretary for Foreign Affairs and International Trade of **Kenya**

Mr. Matthew Rycroft, Permanent Secretary at the Department for International Development (DFID), **United Kingdom**

Mr. Frank Elderson, Executive Director of Supervision of the **Netherlands Bank**

Mr. Akinwumi Adesina, President of the **African Development Bank**

Ms. Anne Finucane, Vice Chair and CEO of **Bank of America**

Mr. Mark Wiseman, Chairman of **BlackRock Alternative Investors**

15:45 – 16:25 Segment 2

Keynote address by Mr. David Lipton, IMF Acting Managing Director

H.E. Mr. Andrew Holness, Prime Minister of **Jamaica**

H.E. Mr. Jusuf Kalla, Vice President of the Republic of **Indonesia**

Ms. Carin Jämtin, Director General of the **Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency**

Mr. Maurice Tulloch, Chief Executive Officer of **Aviva**

Ms. Julie Hanna, Executive Chairwoman of **Kiva**



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Mr. Eric Xiandong Jing, Executive Chairman and Chief Executive Officer **Ant Financial Services Group**

Mr. Michael Sabia, President and CEO of the **Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec**

16:25-17:45 Interactive Dialogue 4 – Announcements and new initiatives

Presentation of new announcements, commitments and initiatives by Member States and other stakeholders supporting the implementation of climate action and the SDGs

Moderated by Amb. Louis Alfonso de Alba, Special Envoy for the 2019 Climate Summit

H.E. Mr. Allen Chastanet, Prime Minister of **St. Lucia**

H.E. Mr. Mohamed Azmin Ali, Minister of Economic Affairs of **Malaysia**

H.E. Mr. Peter Eriksson, Minister for International Development Cooperation of **Sweden**

H.E. Mr. Rasmus Prehn, Minister for Trade and Development Cooperation of **Denmark**

H.E. Mr. Marcelo Ebrard, Secretary of Foreign Affairs of **Mexico**

H.E. Mr. Nasser Bourita, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, **Morocco**

H.E. Mr. Jean Asselborn, Minister of Foreign and European Affairs of the Grand Duchy of **Luxembourg**

H.E. Mr. Ville Skinnari, Minister for Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation of **Finland**

Mr. Keith Krach, Under Secretary for Economic Growth, Energy and the Environment of the **United States**

H.E. Ohood Al Roumi, Minister of State of Happiness and Wellbeing of the **United Arab Emirates**

Mr. Manuel Sager, Director-General of the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation, **Switzerland**

H.E. Ms. Donatienne Hissard, Director of Sustainable Development, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of **France**

Mr. Amar Bhattacharya, Brookings Institution - *Report of the Technical Task Force on Mobilizing \$100 billion per year by 2020*



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Mr. Rémy Rioux, International Development Finance Club Chair

Ms. Barbara Zvan, Investor Leadership Network

Ms. Stephanie von Friedeburg, International Finance Corporation

Ms. Anne-Marie Levesque, Chair of the 2X Working Group -
2X Challenge of the Development Finance Institutions of Canada (FinDev), Denmark (IFU), Finland (Finnfund), France (Proparco), Germany (DEG), Italy (Cassa Depositi e Prestiti – CDP), Japan (JBIC and JICA), the Netherlands (FMO), Sweden (Swedfund), the United Kingdom (CDC) and the United States (Overseas Private Investment Corporation - OPIC)

Ms. Lise Kingo, CEO and Executive Director, UN Global Compact

Mr. Richard Curtis, SDG Advocate and Movie Director

Mr. Gerbrand Haverkamp, Executive Director, World Benchmarking Alliance

Ms. Maria Ramos, Co-chair of Secretary-General's Task Force on Digital Financing of the SDGs

Two representatives from the Youth Climate Summit:

Ms. Dominique Souris, Co-Founder and Executive Director, Youth Climate Lab

Ms. Genevieve Jiva, Pacific Islands Climate Action Network Coordinator

17:45-18:00 Closing Session

H.E. Marc Andre Blanchard, Permanent Representative of Canada and Co-Chair of Group of Friends of Financing for Development

H.E. Ms. Amina J. Mohammed, Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations

H.E. Ms. Mona Juul, President of the Economic and Social Council

H.E. Mr. Tijjani Muhammad-Bande, President of the 74th Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations