

FOCUS SESSION 9:

Multi-stakeholder Approaches for Enhancing Multilateral Organisations' Contribution to Development Results

Tuesday 15:00-16:15, Room 1

Objective:

The session will provide an open space for dialogue among partner countries, multilateral organisations, and bilateral providers. Participants shall agree on actionable recommendations for improving the quality of earmarked funding, which shall give fresh impetus to the work on the implementation of \$25b of the Busan Partnership Document.

Session Format:

Panel discussion

Speakers/Panellists:

- Parliamentary State Secretary Thomas Silberhorn - Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development of Germany (Key-note speaker)
- Minister Pascal Canfin - Ministry of Foreign Affairs of France (Panelist)
- Herisoa Razanadrakoto - Special Advisor to the President of the Republic of Madagascar (Panelist)
- Kyle Peters - Vice President for Operational and Country Services at World Bank (Panelist)
- John Hendra - Deputy Executive Director UN Women
- Patrick Guillaumont - President of La Fondation pour les Études et Recherches sur le Développement International (Facilitator)

Background/Narrative:

Over the last decade, earmarked funding of the multilateral aid system has grown. This trend entails both challenges and opportunities for the different stakeholders. The World Bank, the United Nations and other organisations have launched a series of reforms to reduce fragmentation and improve the quality of funding. These reforms provide an excellent window of opportunity for bilateral providers and partner countries to support organisations' efforts to respond more

effectively to global development challenges and country needs. Stakeholders could build upon these emerging good practices to develop joint principles aiming at less fragmentation and proliferation and more effectiveness of the multilateral aid system.

Related Links:

- OECD/DAC Multilateral Aid Report, <http://www.oecd.org/dac/aid-architecture/multilateralaid.htm>
- Busan Building Block “Managing Diversity and Reducing Fragmentation”: “The Busan Commitments on Managing Diversity and Reducing Fragmentation: Stock-take and Emerging Issues”, February 2014, www.fragmentation-diversity.org
- World Bank, Management Framework for Partnership Programs and FIFs: http://siteresources.worldbank.org/CFPEXT/Resources/299947-1396037011592/PPFIFMF_SECM20130286_Public.pdf
- World Bank, Trust Fund Reform: http://siteresources.worldbank.org/CFPEXT/Resources/299947-1396037011592/TFReform_SecM20130285_Public.pdf

Organisers:

- France (Ministry of Foreign Affairs)
- Germany (Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development)
- World Bank
- Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD).

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