

SECOND HIGH-LEVEL MEETING:

TOWARDS INCLUSIVE AND ACCELERATED IMPLEMENTATION OF THE 2030 AGENDA



Increasing the Effectiveness of Development Efforts

The Global Partnership for Effective Development Co-operation is an inclusive coalition, bringing together the full range of development actors, from governments and international organisations to civil society and the private sector. Through this multi-stakeholder platform, the Global Partnership provides practical support and shares knowledge to boost development impact, which is essential for the delivery of long-lasting results and the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals

(SDGs). The Global Partnership is centred around four effectiveness principles –country ownership, focus on results, inclusive partnerships and transparency and accountability. It works to strengthen developing country institutions, increase transparency and predictability of development co-operation, enhance gender equality and promote greater involvement of civil society, parliaments and private sector in development efforts.

Supporting the Implementation of the SDGs

Today, dynamic global partnerships are emerging to mobilize knowledge, expertise, technology, policies and financial resources that countries can use to accelerate progress on the 2030 Development Agenda. The Global Partnership provides a dedicated space for all stakeholders to advance the effectiveness of their respective development efforts in support of the SDGs and the Addis Ababa Action Agenda.

In particular it supports:

- Developing country leadership, strengthening of institutions and country systems
- Smarter, transparent development co-operation to deliver results that are predictable and aligned to developing countries' priorities;
- Partnerships across a range of stakeholders to maximise impact;
- Monitoring of progress in implementation through a process led by developing countries.



A Platform for the Future

The Second High-Level Meeting of the Global Partnership (HLM2) aims to amplify the positive impact of development co-operation over the next 15 years. The meeting will take stock of the implementation of development effectiveness principles and commitments and will provide a learning space, showcasing best practices and innovative development co-operation approaches. The HLM2 outcome document, which is based on a series of inclusive consultations, will outline how the Global Partnership can continue to contribute to the implementation of the SDGs and the Addis



HLM2: Key Information

HLM2 is taking place from 28 November - 1 December 2016 in Nairobi, Kenya. It is organised by the Government of Kenya with support from the Global Partnership's three Co-Chairs, the Steering Committee, and the OECD-UNDP Joint Support Team. See the Government of Kenya's HLM2 website, www.hlm2nairobi.go.ke, for registration and accreditation details and information. Visit the Global Partnership's website at www.effectivecooperation.org to see the HLM2 page, which includes the draft HLM2 Agenda and logistical note.

Leaders Segment

The leaders segment, from 30 November - 1 December 2016, will offer a unique platform for heads of state, ministers, local government officials, parliamentarians, heads of international organisations and leaders from civil society and the private sector to come together to discuss development co-operation.

The meeting will include seven plenary sessions, parallel discussions on bottlenecks, a series of side events and marketplace stalls for showcasing successful innovation and sharing knowledge.

Preparatory Days

Two preparatory days, from 28-29 November 2016, will precede the leaders segment, providing the opportunity for a broad range of stakeholders to meet in advance.

Forums are planned for civil society, youth, women, parliamentarians, foundations and the private sector. Findings from the Global Partnership's second monitoring round will provide timely input into discussions.

A workshop "Monitoring effective development co-operation: what have we achieved; how can we do better?" will provide a dedicated time and space for participants to prepare for the political discussions to take place during HLM2 plenary sessions. This Workshop will promote in-depth discussions on progress made and challenges encountered in promoting more

effective development co-operation. Discussions will also highlight success stories, encourage knowledge sharing and peer learning around innovative solutions, and identify key actions and practical next steps after HLM2 to promote more effective development co-operation.

Plenary Sessions

- Progress with implementing development effectiveness principles and commitments
- Achieving and financing the SDGs
- Learning from south-south and triangular co-operation
- Economic empowerment of women and youth
- Leaving no-one behind
- Innovative and inclusive multi-stakeholder partnerships
- The private sector's contribution to sustainable development

Women and Youth

Accelerated efforts are needed by all partners to unleash the power of women and youth as dynamic contributors to society. The Government of Kenya will lead a discussion on the economic empowerment of women and youth, focusing on the need for inclusivity and mainstreaming for effective and accelerated development.