

Draft Agenda

Enhanced Effectiveness at Country Level Pilot Launch Workshop

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Workshop Objectives

This workshop is in line with Strategic Output 1: Enhanced support to effective development co-operation at country level of the 2017-2018 Work Programme of the Global Partnership for Effective Development Co-operation. Under this Strategic Output, the Global Partnership aims to support countries in mainstreaming effectiveness principles into development co-operation practices and strategically managing diverse development co-operation resources, as well as ensuring that country-level evidence on progress and challenges informs multi-stakeholder dialogue at national, regional and global levels to drive political decisions and promote behaviour change.

The **objectives** of the workshop are to: (i) review common challenges in the implementation of effective development co-operation commitments and to share lessons on addressing these challenges; (ii) develop a common understanding of the conceptual approach for the piloting work, including desired outcomes and implementation modalities; (iii) facilitate peer learning on the design of individual country pilots; and (iv) agree on next steps for the piloting work, including communications and reporting plans.

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08:30 – 09:00 **Arrival and registration**

09:00 – 09:20 **Welcome and opening remarks**

09:20 – 09:50 **Setting the scene**

09:50 – 11:05: **Session I: Global context**

The objective of this session is to review the global development co-operation context, including highlighting the global commitments made through the Nairobi Outcome Document, to provide an overview of the 2017-2018 Work Programme of the Global Partnership and introduce the objective of the country pilots.

11:05 – 11:20 **Coffee break**

11:20 – 12:30 **Session II: Country contexts and common challenges**

The objective of this session to review the common challenges faced in implementation of the principles of effective development co-operation, drawing primarily on the results of the 2016 Global Partnership monitoring exercise.

12:30 – 13:30 **Lunch break**

13:30 – 15:00 **Session III: Priority actions in effective development co-operation**

The objective of this session is to share experiences in enhancing the effectiveness of development co-operation at the country level, as well as to share and receive feedback, from peers, on the priority areas to be supported through the pilots.

15:00 – 15:15 **Coffee break**

15:15 – 17:30 **Session III: Priority actions in effective development co-operation (continued)**

18:00 – 20:00 **Welcome dinner**

- 09:00 – 09:10 **Review of outcomes of Day 1**
- 09:10 – 11:00 **Session IV: A coherent approach to country pilots**
The objective of this session is to agree on common interests and overall goals for the piloting work as a whole, and to define guiding questions that will serve as a 'common reference framework'. The common reference framework will ensure coherency and comparability as evidence collected from the individual pilots is collected and shared.
- 11:00 – 11:15 **Coffee break**
- 11:15 – 12:00 **Session IV: A coherent approach to country pilots (continued)**
- 12:00 – 13:00 **Lunch break**
- 13:00 – 14:00 **Session V: Agreeing on next steps**
This objective of this session is to agree on common elements for planning and reporting on the status of pilots throughout the implementation phase, as well as how reporting on final outcomes will be collected to inform Global Partnership knowledge products, particularly the *Global Compendium of Good Practices*.
- 14:00 – 14:45 **Session V: Agreeing on next steps (continued)**
- 14:45 – 15:00 **Coffee break**
- 15:00 – 16:30 **Session VI: Synergies and complementary evidence**
The objective of this session is to identify synergies with the work of various Global Partnership stakeholders, and to identify sources of complementary evidence to inform the design and implementation of pilots, as well as the *Global Compendium of Good Practices*.
- 16:30 – 16:40 **Completion of feedback survey**
- 16:40 – 16:50 **Conclusion**