



**Global
Partnership**
for Effective Development
Co-operation

STRENGTHENING EFFECTIVE DEVELOPMENT COOPERATION FOR SDGS IMPLEMENTATION

Concept and Proposed Agenda for
Global Partnership Effective Development Co-operation
Regional Consultation for the Second High-Level meeting (HLM2) and Reflection from the
Global Partnership's second round monitoring on effective development cooperation
principles in the region of Latin America and Caribbean

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This document presents a tentative agenda for the Global Partnership for Effective Development Co-operation regional consultation for the HLM2 and reflection on the results of the 2nd round of monitoring.

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INTRODUCTION

At the 3rd International Conference on Financing for Development (FfD) in July 2015, a gathering of high-level political representatives, including Heads of State and Government, and Ministers of Finance, Foreign Affairs and Development Cooperation resulted in the Addis Ababa Action Agenda (AAAA). This document provided a new global framework for financing sustainable development that aligns all financing flows and policies with economic, social and environmental priorities. The decisions taken at this conference also set out a comprehensive set of policy actions by Member States in order to support mobilization of the means for a global transformation that were in September 2015 adopted as the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, which includes a set of 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) to end poverty, fight inequality and injustice, and tackle climate change by 2030.

In a related global stream focused on development effectiveness, the Global Partnership for Effective Development Co-operation (GPEDC) emerged from an agreement reached at the Fourth High-Level Forum on Aid Effectiveness in Busan, Republic of Korea in 2011. At the Forum, development stakeholders agreed to “hold each other accountable for making progress against the commitments and actions agreed on effective development co-operation, alongside those set out in the Paris Declaration on Aid Effectiveness and Accra Agenda for Action through i) agreeing on country-led frameworks based on national needs and priorities [for monitoring progress](#) and promoting mutual accountability; and ii) monitoring progress through a selective and relevant set of indicators at global level. Following the First High-Level Meeting (HLM) for the GPEDC in Mexico in 2014, the Second HLM will be held in Nairobi, Kenya on 28 November – 1 December 2016.

The Second HLM aims to amplify the positive impact of development co-operation over the next 15 years. It will

- Take stock of the implementation of development effectiveness principles and commitments;
- Provide a learning space on development effectiveness, showcasing successful example;
- Identify innovative approaches to sustainable development that can be scaled up;
- Position the Global Partnership to effectively contribute to implementation of the SDGs and the Addis Ababa Action Agenda

The Global Partnership’s monitoring framework includes a set of ten global indicators, which are grounded in the four principles of country ownership, results focus, inclusive partnerships; and transparency and accountability. Participation in the monitoring exercise is voluntary. The second round of the monitoring was launched in September 2015. With over 80 countries expressed their interest to take part in the second round monitoring, 80 countries have completed the collection and submission of country-level data. The global progress report as well as country monitoring profiles are being prepared to further inform the Global Partnership’s high-level and policy dialogue in improving the effectiveness and quality of development co-operation. The country profiles are expected to be made available in September 2016. The global progress report is expected for publication in Oct 2016, while an early dissemination of key findings and messages is foreseen for September 2016. Open access to the full data set is envisaged together with the report launch.

OBJECTIVES AND EXPECTED OUTCOMES

The objectives of the workshop are three-fold:

- Identification of lesson learned, innovations, and next steps from country-level experiences of managing diverse co-operation and financing flows and application of effective principles. Results of second round monitoring inform this discussion;
- Regional recommendations and priorities to be brought to the HLM2 and key messages to be highlighted from the region's experiences of effective development co-operation, including inputs to discussions on a refined Global Partnership monitoring framework;
- Formulate key political messages from the region arising from the monitoring findings and country implementation of SDGs to be fed into the HLM2 in Nairobi.

Presentations and plenary discussions at the consultation aim to be strongly anchored in country level experiences and emphasis will remain focused on promoting coherence between the agendas on Effective Development Cooperation, FfD and Agenda 2030. The discussions will reflect the various contexts in the region such as significance for MICs, and include opportunities to discuss strengthening modalities and policy environments to promote South-South and Triangular Cooperation.

The consultation will result in the following outputs:

- Demonstrated impacts of monitoring on effective development co-operation and multi-stakeholder coordination and dialogue at country and regional levels;
- Regional recommendations and priorities to be brought to the HLM2 and key messages to be highlighted from the region's experiences of FfD and GPEDC;
- Recommendations on broad parameters for refined monitoring framework, including strengthened monitoring process
- Regional recommendations on the outcome document of the HLM2.

PARTICIPANTS

- government representatives from Ministries of Planning and Finance and other relevant implementing ministries and policy makers;
- Government officials who have direct responsibility for overseeing the monitoring of Busan Commitments at the country level (National Coordinators).
- Focal points or representatives of providers of development co-operation at the country level playing a lead role in country level dialogue and coordination mechanisms.
- Focal points or representatives of civil society, parliaments, and the private sector playing a key role in supporting country-level dialogue.
- Focal points or representatives of regional platforms.

AGENDA

Day 1 – 31 October		
8.30-9.00	Registration	
9.00-10.00	<p>Opening and Introduction</p> <p>Welcome remarks (Government of Mexico, UNDP) Keynote opening remarks – Vice Minister – Government of Panama Objectives of the consultation and targets for the outputs</p> <p>Reference document: workshop agenda</p>	Panama; Mexico; UNDP
10.00-11.30	<p>Session 1: Building the Narrative - Multi-stakeholder partnership and financing the 2030 Agenda:</p> <p><i>This session will discuss the challenges of implementation and financing the SDGs in the LAC region</i></p> <p><i>Interactive Discussion:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ How can different flows of financing, knowledge, and innovation for development be harnessed to support the implementation of the SDGs? What is the story we want to tell from country perspectives? ▪ What are the major challenges in development cooperation? ▪ Policy and institutional reforms to strengthen the alignment of these resources with national priorities and results ▪ What is the vision from the region 	Moderated by Panama
11.30-11.45	Coffee/Tea break	
11.45-13.00	<p>Session 2: Implication of No-One-Behind Agenda for effective development co-operation</p> <p>This session will specifically reflect upon the Leaving No One Behind (LNOB) agenda for development co-operation:</p> <p><i>Interactive/roundtable discussion:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ How can the Leaving No One Behind agenda be realised? How do we “operationalize” the agenda in practice? ▪ What are the major implication of the Leaving No One Behind agenda for effective development co-operation principles? ▪ How would the Global Partnership for Effective Development Co-operation contribute to achieving the Leaving No One Behind? <p><i>Reference document:</i> Proposal on the LNOB as the fifth principle</p>	Moderated by Mexico
13.00-14.00	Lunch	
14.00-16.00	<p>Session 3: Global Partnership monitoring –key findings and lessons learned</p> <p><i>Plenary session:</i> JST presentation, followed by two or three governments reflection on</p>	Moderated by UNDP; JST presentation

	<p>key emerging pictures and priorities for the region</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Effective development cooperation principles and quality of partnerships in Post-2015 and FFD context ▪ Overview – the Global Partnership, approach and key findings (Presentation by Joint Support Team) ▪ Regional perspectives – key emerging pictures from the region ▪ Elements of refining the Monitoring Framework to fit better for the regional context <p><i>Reference document:</i> Presentation on key findings. Factsheet on the set of 10 indicators of the Global Partnership monitoring framework, proposed parameters for refining the monitoring framework</p>	<p>Reflections by two-three governments to be determined based on country monitoring profiles.</p>
16.00-17.30	<p>Session 4: Road ahead for the Second High Level Meeting</p> <p><i>Plenary session</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Key overview of the HLM2 <p><i>Discussions to focus on:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Emerging key political visions and commitments for the second High-Level Meeting 	<p>Moderated by Perú</p> <p>JST to provide key overview of the HLM2;</p>
Day 2: 1 November		
9.00-9.30	Recap from Day 1 and what to expect in Day 2	Mexico
9.30-11.00	<p>Session 5: Key recommendations and messages from the region for the Second High-Level Meeting and HLM2 Outcome Document</p> <p><i>Interactive discussion</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can the Global Partnership for Effective Development Co-operation add value to the challenges faced in the region in implementing the SDGs and Leaving No One Behind? • What are the priority commitments that need to be renewed and what additional commitments should be agreed in the HLM2? 	<p>Moderated by Mexico</p> <p>Mexico to outline key discussion points</p>
11.00-13.00	<p>Session 6: HLM2 Outcome Document Consultation</p> <p><i>Interactive discussion</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review the HLM2 outcome document draft 	El Salvador to lead
13.00-14.00	Lunch	
14.00-15.15	<p>Session 7: Learning from the Second Round Monitoring Process</p> <p>World Café</p> <p>The world café will be organised in three rounds of 20 minute discussions. For each round, participants will be divided in small</p>	<p>Moderated by JST</p> <p>3 world café leads</p>

	<p>groups of 5 and they will write the group's ideas on a flipchart. After 20 minutes, participants will change groups to discuss with different people.</p> <p>Reflection on key findings – country perspectives</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>What do you take as key headlines from the monitoring findings? Any major challenges/constraints to implementing the selected commitments from your country perspective?</i> ○ <i>What are the political messages that should be brought forward for the Nairobi HLM and a possible key element which should be considered for an outcome document</i> ○ <i>Alongside political messages, are there key recommendations/actions that need to be addressed at the technical level?</i> <p><u>Reference document:</u> country monitoring profiles</p>	
15.15-16.30	<p>Session 8: Strengthening the Monitoring Framework World Café</p> <p>The world café will be organised in three rounds of 20 minute discussions. For each round, participants will be divided in small groups of 5 and they will write the group's ideas on a flipchart. After 20 minutes, participants will change groups to discuss with different people.</p> <p><i>Strengthening of the monitoring framework – refined parameters and strengthening of process</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>What has been the value addition of the Global Partnership monitoring framework to your national development planning and mutual accountability processes?</i> ○ <i>Are there any major gaps exist in the monitoring framework in light of country and regional development context?</i> ○ <i>What challenges encountered in facilitating partnership engagement and multi-stakeholder dialogue/consultation process? What policy/technical guidance useful from the Global Partnership?</i> ○ <i>How have the monitoring and review processes impacted the strengths of multi-stakeholder dialogue process?</i> <p><u>Reference document:</u> Draft parameters for refined monitoring framework</p>	<p>Moderated by JST</p> <p>3 world café leads</p>
16.30-17.30	<p>Session 9: The Global Partnership Monitoring Framework – What are the key takeaways for the Region? Reporting back from the world café leads and plenary to come up with key recommendations on results from the monitoring and</p>	<p>Moderated by JST</p>

	<p>strengthening monitoring framework</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>How can strengthened monitoring framework address challenges encountered in country-led monitoring process</i> ▪ <i>What has been the key value-addition of the Global Partnership monitoring framework and process and its impact on multi-stakeholder partnerships at country level?</i> ▪ <i>What policy and technical guidance needed from the Global Partnership and how can the Global Partnership working arrangements be strengthened?</i> 	
17.30-18.00	<p>Closing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Recap of the Day 1, 2 - including revisit of expected outcomes from participants ▪ Evaluation of the workshop ▪ Closing <p><i>Reference document:</i> Evaluation questionnaire</p>	Government of Panama
18:00-20.00	<p>Closing Dinner hosted by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Panama</p>	Government of Panama