

*18 April 2016*

**Inaugural ECOSOC Forum on Financing for Development  
(New York, 18-20 April 2016)  
Trusteeship Council Chamber**

**PROGRAMME**

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- **Ms. Shamshad Akhtar**, Executive Secretary, United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) (*on behalf of five regional commissions*)

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. **General debate**

- Statements by Ministers and other high-level officials

[Ministers are encouraged to present on how their Governments are mainstreaming the AAAA into national sustainable development strategies and

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*Closing remarks:*

- President of ECOSOC, **H.E. Mr. Oh Joon** (Republic of Korea)

**19 April 2016**

9:00 - 10:00 a.m.

**Briefing for civil society and the business sector**  
ECOSOC Chamber

**General Segment**

**Interactive round tables on action areas and other components of the Addis Ababa Action Agenda (AAAA)**

10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

**Round Table A:**  
***“Global framework for financing sustainable development”***

*Chair:* **H.E. Mr. Ahmed Shide**, State Minister of Finance and Economic Cooperation, Ethiopia

*Moderator:* **Mr. David Nabarro**, Special Adviser on the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

*Panellists:* **Ms. Lakshmi Puri, Deputy Executive Director**, Strategic Partnerships, Coordination and Intergovernmental Support Bureau, United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN Women)  
**Ms. Maria Helena Semedo**, Deputy Director-General, Natural Resources, Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO)

*Lead Discussant:* **Ms. Isabel Ortiz**, Director, Social Protection, International Le.6 (onom)17.1 ] (ns)[[Int1 (e)-1.6 o1.6, on1609.6ogue4.6

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*Moderator:*

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*Lead Discussant:* **Mr. Lee C. Buchheit**, Partner, Cleary, Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton, LLP

*Systemic issues*

*Panellist:* **Mr. Min Zhu**, Deputy Managing Director, IMF (*will also intervene on debt issues*)

*Lead Discussant:* **Ms. Jo Marie Griesgraber**, Executive Director, New Rules for Global Finance Coalition

*Interactive dialogue*

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3:00 - 4:30 p.m.