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## INVITATION

### **Financing for sustainable development: Can the international financial system make the leap?**

Where: Conference Room A, United Nations Headquarters  
Between 46<sup>th</sup> Street and 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue, New York, NY 10017\*

When: Monday, 9 December 2013, 6:15 - 7:30 PM

#### Speakers:

H.E. Guilherme de Aguiar Patriota, Deputy Permanent Representative  
Permanent Mission of Brazil to the UN

Dr. Yanuar Nugroho, Director & Special Adviser to the Head President's Delivery Unit,  
Development Monitoring & Oversight, Republic of Indonesia

Ms. Linah Shimi, Deputy Head of Office "Official Development Assistance and Multilateral  
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Moderation: tba

The Rio + 20 Conference reaffirmed the three pillars of sustainable development: economic, social and environmental. As governments try to address the challenge of financing sustainable development that makes justice to all three dimensions, they will have to do so relying on an international financial and trading system that to a great extent predates such commitments and did not evolve in light of the need to serve them. Additionally, in a world where the exponential growth of finance has led to a finance-driven economy, how can the agenda subordinate finance to a real economy with human rights at the center?

This side-event will discuss whether and to what extent the current international financial, monetary and trading systems are equipped to make this leap, and what needs to happen in the agreement on the post-2015 development agenda to support the enabling of such transition.

**\* A UN grounds pass is required to attend this event.**