

Invitation to Side-Event:

Strengthening Follow-up and Accountability: what options for FFD's future?

Co-organisers: Addis Ababa CSO Coordinating Group and Women's Working Group on FFD

Facilitating organizations: ACT Alliance, Beyond-2015, Bread for the World, CIDSE, Christian Aid, International Budget Partnership, Society for International Development

Speakers and Respondents:

- Mr. Uwe Kekeritz, Development Policy Spokesman of the Parliamentary Group Alliance 90 / The Greens, German Federal Parliament
- Mr. Tamer Mustafa, Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Egypt to the UN (TBC)
- Mr. Sergio Toro, First Secretary, Permanent Mission of Chile to the UN (TBC)
- Mr. Edem Sunday Eyo, First Secretary Permanent Mission of Nigeria to the UN (TBC)
- Aldo Caliarì, Director, Rethinking Bretton Woods Project, Centre of Concern
- Luisa Emilia Reyes Zuniga, Program Director: Policies and Budgets for Equality, Equidad de Genero: Ciudadania, Trabajo y Familia

Moderator:

- Jean Letitia Saldanha, Senior Policy Advisor, CIDSE

The Addis Ababa International Conference on Financing for Development will provide an agreement and follow up mechanism for the Monterrey Consensus and Doha Declaration. The measure of the commitment of states to orient the financial system and related components within the trade and monetary system to sustainable development and the human rights agenda will be gauged by the strength of the follow-up process. At the same time it is essential that follow-up of the Addis Ababa outcome document clarifies its role and interaction vis-à-vis the Monitoring, Accountability and Review of the Post-2015 framework and Sustainable Development Goals at the local, national, regional and global level, including in relation to the Means of Implementation.

The side-event will be an important space to discuss:

- What lessons from the current follow-up FFD?
- How to ensure normative discussions on FFD are effectively advanced?
- How to ensure that the Addis Ababa outcome supports SDG implementation through monitoring, accountability and review from the global to the local level.
- The design, representation and resourcing of the mechanisms
- Gaps that remain in the Addis Ababa follow up and how best to address them

Classic Hall, Hotel Elilly, Guinea Conakry St, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Wednesday 15 July from 13:15 to 14:45

A light lunch will be served from 13:00

To attend please register at the link [here](#) by no later than 10 July

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**Please note that only individuals registered for the official UN Third International Finance for Development Conference will be able to attend.*