

2016 CAPE conference

Where next for development effectiveness?

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Day 1 Tuesday 18 October

9.30 – 10.00 **Coffee and networking**

Throughout the conference there will be a wall available where people can write their ideas and priorities for the Nairobi Declaration.

10.00 – 10.15 **Introduction**

Welcome: **Ed Hedger**, Interim Executive Director, ODI

Outline of agenda: **Romilly Greenhill**, Team Leader, Development Finance, ODI

10.15 – 11.30 **Setting the scene**

Challenges on the road to Nairobi: how can the GPEDC incentivise more effective financing?

Chair: **Ed Hedger**, Interim Executive Director, ODI

Keynote address: **H.E. Mr Goodall Edward Gondwe**, Minister of Finance, Economic Planning and Development, Republic of Malawi

Gülden Türköz-Cosslett, Deputy Assistant Administrator and Deputy Director, UNDP

Brenda Killen, Deputy Director, OECD DCD

Fanwell Kenala Bokosi, Executive Director, African Forum and Network on Debt and Development (AFRODAD)

During this panel, speakers will discuss the main challenges on the road to Nairobi and where next for effective development cooperation in the SDG era.

11.30 – 11.45 **Coffee break**

11.45 – 13.00 **Question Time**

Country perspectives on the Nairobi agenda in the SDG era

Chair: **Ishbel Matheson**, Director of Public Affairs and Communications, ODI

Presentation: **Annalisa Prizzon**, Research Fellow, ODI

Heng Chou, Director, Policy and Aid Coordination, Council for the Development of Cambodia

Yvonne Quansah, Director of External Resource Mobilisation, Bilateral, Ministry of Finance, Ghana

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Informal and interactive interview-style discussion on the changing development finance landscape at country level and what this means for development effectiveness. Country representatives will be drawn in from the floor to outline their priorities for Nairobi. Attendees can participate in this interactive session by submitting and rating online questions to the panel.

13.00 – 14.00 **Lunch break**

14.00 – 15.30 **Policy simulation**

Facilitator: **Paul Jansen**, Programme Director, Salzburg Global Seminar

Participants will be split into different stakeholder groups with differing objectives for the new development effectiveness agenda. Through balancing conflicting interests and priorities with their fellow players, and thinking through the complementary or conflicting roles of different kinds of financiers and country stakeholder groups, participants will discover more about the practicalities of new development effectiveness cooperation in a new era.

15.30 – 16.00 **Coffee break and networking**

16.00 – 17.15 **Debate session**

Chair: **Paddy Carter**, Research Fellow, ODI

Should donor-backed investments in private enterprises be monitored under the GPEDC effectiveness framework?

Setting the scene: **Catherine Blampied**, Research Officer, ODI

Proponent: **Jesse Griffiths**, Director, Eurodad

Opponent: **Neil Gregory**, Head of Thought Leadership, International Finance Corporation

The new financing for development agenda places more emphasis than ever on leveraging and blending finance, and investing public funding to promote private-sector growth. This debate session will have a proponent and an opponent, with interactions from the floor. At the end of the debate, participants vote on whether the proponent or opponent has made the most convincing case and submit questions online.

17.30 – 19.00 **Drinks reception**

Day 2 Wednesday 19 October

10.00 – 10.15 **Recap of Day 1 and introduction to Day 2** Catherine Blampied, Research Officer, ODI

10.15 – 11.15 **Debate session**
Does the 'Leave No-One Behind' agenda trump country ownership? Romilly Greenhill, Team Leader, Development Finance, ODI
Helder Da Costa, Head of Secretariat, g7+
Javier Surasky, Research and Policy Coordinator, CEPEI

Leaving no-one behind is a core tenet of the new SDG agenda, and one which is hard to argue with. But focusing on individuals and countries who are left behind may raise uncomfortable questions for those who support country ownership. What happens when governments themselves are systematically marginalising particular groups? Does ownership apply even in very difficult governance environments, where those 'left behind' will increasingly be living?

11.15 – 11.45 **Coffee break**

11.45 – 13.00 **Discussion**
Implementing Development Effectiveness – A Reality Check Chair: Leni Wild, Head of Politics and Governance Programme, ODI
Brenda Killen, Deputy Director, OECD DCD
Neil Cole, Executive Secretary, Collaborative Africa Budget Reform Initiative (CABRI)
Antonio Tujan, Executive Director, IBON International
Anna Henttinen, Head of Profession for Evaluation, DFID

This session will explore frankly the successes, failures and politics of the development effectiveness principles in practice. What has the past decade of implementing an internationally-agreed effectiveness framework taught us about how it actually impacts (or does not impact) the behaviour of governments and development partners? Has it created unintended consequences or perverse incentives? How could we make the principles more 'politically smart'?

13.00 – 14.00 **Lunch break**

14.00 – 15.30 **Speed geeking session**
Priorities for Nairobi and beyond Facilitator: Gideon Rabinowitz, Policy Manager, Development Finance, Oxfam

A small number of 'speed geeking' participants will each propose one recommendation or priority for the Nairobi High Level Meeting of the GPEDC. The 'speed geeks' move around tables for a limited period of time to pitch their ideas. At the end of the session, participants vote for their priorities.

15.30 – 16.00 **Coffee break**

16.00 – 17.00 **Closing Session**

How should the development effectiveness framework be updated for a new era?

Chair: **Gwen Hines**, Director for International Relations, Department for International Development, United Kingdom

Henry Rotich, Cabinet Secretary to the National Treasury, Republic of Kenya

Ambassador Jeroen Verheul, Special Envoy of the Co-Chair of the Global Partnership for Effective Development Cooperation, Netherlands

Susanne Osterlund, Team Leader, Aid Effectiveness, DG International Cooperation and Development European Commission

Romilly Greenhill, Team Leader, Development Finance, ODI

17.00 – 17.10 **Closing Remarks**

Marta Foresti, Interim Executive Director, ODI

