



Side event on “the Launch of the 2024 Africa Sustainable Development Report: Progress and prospect on the implementation of Agenda 2063 and Agenda 2030 for sustainable development in Africa”

Organized on the Margins of the High-Level Political Forum 2024

16 July 2024, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

**Venue: Conference Hall, AU Permanent Mission to the United Nations
New York, USA**

Agenda

Time	
	MC: Ms. Esther Azaa Yambou Tankou, Communications, African Union Commission
10:00am – 10:10am	Opening Session: Welcoming remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Her Excellency Monique Nsanzabaganwa (Dr.), Deputy Chairperson, African Union Commission (<i>Video</i>) • His Excellency Claver Gatete, Under Secretary General and Executive Secretary, United Nations Economic Commission for Africa
10:10am – 10:25am	- Overview of 2024 Africa Sustainable Development Report by Prof. Bartholomew Armah, Chief, Development Planning Section, United Nations Economic Commission for Africa
10:25am – 11:45am	Stakeholders’ perspective on reinforcing the Implementation of the SDGs & Agenda 2063 This forward-looking fire side chat enables key stakeholders to discuss innovative and sustainable solutions to moving the two Agendas forward. It will be an interactive session allowing questions to be asked from participants. It will further provide a platform for development partners to discuss what their institutions will be doing to move the two Agendas forward and speak of landmark initiatives like the Summit of the Future. Panellists: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dr. Jacob Mazalale, Principal Secretary for Economic Planning and Development, Ministry of Finance and Economic Affairs, Malawi 2. Ms. Botho Kebabonye Bayendi, Director, Office of Strategic Planning and Delivery, African Union Commission 3. Ms. Victoria Nyanjura - Founder of Women in Action for Women and the Head of Saint Bakhita Vocational Training Center 4. Dr. Dorsouma Al Hamndou, Manager, Climate Change and Green Growth, African Development Bank (<i>video</i>) Moderator: Dr. Raymond Gilpin , Chief Economist Regional Bureau for Africa, UNDP



11:45am	–	Official Launch, MC
11:55 am		
11:55am	–	Closing remarks, <i>Mr. Matthias Naab, Deputy Director a.i. Regional Bureau for Africa, UNDP</i>
12:00 noon		
12:00 noon		Refreshments