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- Mr. Alexander Trepelkov is Officer-in-Charge of the Division for Sustainable Development Goals (DSDG) in the UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN DESA). The Division serves as the global secretariat for the 17 Sustainable Development Goals of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, with a focus on providing substantive support, integrated policy analysis, building multi-stakeholder partnerships and capacity development in thematic areas such as water, energy, climate, ocean, transport, science and technology, as well as special concerns of small island developing States (SIDS).
- In 2010-2018, he was Director of the Financing for Development Office, where he worked since 2000. His previous work in UN DESA was in the areas of Macro- and Micro-economic and Social Policy Analysis and Public Administration and Finance. Prior to joining the UN Secretariat in 1989, Mr. Trepelkov was employed for 12 years in the Russian diplomatic service.



**Ayman El Tarabishy**

Executive Director, International Council for Small Business (ICSB)

- Dr. Ayman El Tarabishy serves as the Executive Director of the International Council for Small Business. He is also the deputy chair of the Department of Management at the George Washington School of Business.
- His work involves bringing the principles of Humane Entrepreneurship to the forefront of entrepreneurship education in addition to promoting the voices and visibility of MSMEs, portrayed through his influential work in creating the United Nations Name Day for MSME Day celebrated on 27 June.



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**Asteria Caberte**

Regional Director, Department of Trade and Industry,  
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- Ms. Asteria Caberte serves as the Regional Director for Central Visayas, Department of Trade and Industry, the Philippines. She has extensive experience in working with Micro-Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) in the Philippines, including working as Small Business Counsellor. She is also the Lead Convener for the nomination of Cebu City as a UNESCO City of Design.
- Ms. Caberte earned the Secretary's Award for exemplary service to the victims of Typhoon Haiyan in November 2013, as well as the Employee of the Year (Executive Level) in 2013. She earned her Master's in Business Management from the University of the Philippines and her Bachelor's in Business Administration from the University of San Carlos.



**Dragan Radic**

Head, Small and Medium Enterprises unit (SME),  
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- Mr. Dragan Radic is Head of the Small and Medium Enterprises unit (SME) of the International Labour Organization (ILO). Mr. Radic began his ILO career in 2008 as Senior Specialist for Employers' Activities. He was in charge of capacity building of Employers' and Business Member Organisations (EBMOs) in the area of advocacy, strategy development and membership service offerings in East Asia. In 2012 he moved to ILO's Central and Eastern European office where his focus was capacity building of EMBOs in Central and Eastern Europe. In 2018, he took the position as Head of the SME Unit in ILO's headquarters in Geneva.
- Prior to joining the ILO, Mr. Radic was a Chief Executive Officer of Accuro Health Insurance in New Zealand and Business Services Manager of New Zealand Nurses Organisation. He holds MBA degree from New Zealand Massey University and Honours Degree in Psychology from Croatia.



**Majda Dabaghi**

Director of Green and Inclusive Growth, International Chamber of Commerce (ICC)

- Ms. Majda Dabaghi is the Director of Green and Inclusive Growth at the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC). Majda leads the ICC Commission on Environment and Energy, leading business engagement that promotes inclusive economic growth in line with the UN climate change and Sustainable Development Goals.
- She is also the UNFCCC Focal Point for business and industry non-governmental organizations, promoting the private sector commitment to the implementation of the Paris Agreement by showcasing private sector leadership and action and providing constructive policy input from business to the UNFCCC process.
- Ms. Dabaghi is fluent in French, English and Arabic.