



Voluntary Local Review Series: Leaving No One Behind

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8:00-9:30 EST (New York time)

Draft Programme

8:00 – 08:10	<p>Opening and main purpose of the workshop</p> <p>Mr. Amson Sibanda, Chief, National Strategies and Capacity building Branch, Division for Sustainable Development Goals, DESA</p>
8:10 – 8:30	<p>VLR as a tool for ensuring that no one is left behind</p> <p>Moderator: Ms. Riina Jussila, Sustainable Development Officer, National Strategies and Capacity building Branch, Division for Sustainable Development Goals, DESA</p> <p><i>Introduction and lessons learned from the Voluntary National Reviews (5 min.)</i></p> <p><i>Mini-panel: Brief interventions (5 min each)</i></p> <p>Guiding questions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. How can a VLR process enhance inclusion and non-discrimination? How do we ensure that those furthest behind are reached first?2. What is the role of data collection for ensuring that no one is left behind? How can we ensure disaggregated data availability and its use in decision-making?3. How can a VLR contribute to the national efforts of ensuring that no one is left behind? How can a VLR contribute to a Voluntary National Review (VNR) in this regard?
8:30 – 9:00	<p>From Principle to Practice: Leaving no one behind in the VLR Process</p> <p>Breakout groups</p> <p>Guiding questions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. How to reflect the principle of leaving no one in your process and in your report?2. How to ensure that disadvantaged and marginalized groups can contribute to SDG planning and VLR processes?



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	3. What is the role of citizen-generated data and other innovative data collection methods?
9:00 – 9:20	Report back
9:20 – 9:30	Closing Mr. Amson Sibanda, Chief, National Strategies and Capacity building Branch, Division for Sustainable Development Goals, DESA