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Moderator

Tariq Banuri, Director, Division for Sustainable Development, UN-DESA

Welcome Remarks

H.E. Mr. Charles T. Ntwaagae, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Botswana to the United Nations, and Bureau Member of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development (UNCSD)

Patrick Hayford, Director, Office of the Special Adviser on Africa (OSAA)

Peter Schwaiger, Deputy Head of Delegation, European Commission
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Panel One: The Macroeconomic Outlook: Africa emerging from the crisis

Mthuli Ncube, Chief Economist, African Development Bank *Discussant:*

Manuel Montes, Chief, Development Strategy and Policy Analysis, UN DESA

Panel Two: Fiscal Policy and Development: What's at Stake for African Economies?

Jean-Philippe Stijns, Economist, OECD Development Centre

Discussant:

David Rosenbloom, James S. Eustice Visiting Professor of Taxation, New York University, Director, International Tax Program

Pedro Conceição, Chief Economist and Head of the Strategic Advisory Unit, Regional Bureau for Africa, UNDP

Open Discussion