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Expert Group Meeting on
**The use of non-renewable resource revenues for sustainable local development:
challenges and opportunities for developing countries**

New York, September 21, 2007

10:00-10:10 : [Welcome Remarks](#)

10:10-10:30 : Introductory Reflections: Mr. Jomo K. Sundaram, Assitant Secretary-General, UN-DESA

10:30 -12:00 : Country panel and local government perspectives

	Country	Speaker	Title of presentation
3	Chad	Ian Gary, Oxfam America	The Challenge of Channeling Extractive Industries Revenues Towards Local-Level Poverty Reduction
4	Chad	Gilber Maoundonodji, GRAMPTC Coordinator, Chad.	L'utilisation des revenus des ressources non-renouvelables pour le développement durable local :: défis et opportunités pour les pays en développement
1	Peru	Juana Kuramoto, <i>Grupo de Análisis para el Desarrollo</i> (GRADE)	Use of natural resource revenues for development in Peru

12:00 – 13:30 Lunch

13:30 – 15:00 : Country panel and local government perspectives (continued):

	Country	Speaker	Topic
1	Nigeria	Uwafiokun Idemudia, York University, Canada	Efficiency of oil multinational-driven development projects in the Niger Delta
2	Nigeria	Isaac Asume Osuoka,	Local and community perspectives on the use of oil and gas revenues in Nigeria
3	Ghana	Kwabena Sarpong Manu, Executive Director, MIME Consult Ltd.	Use of Non-renewable Resource Revenues for Sustainable Local Development

15:30 – 17:00 p.m. [Discussion panel](#) with all participants and concluding remarks: *how can we progress towards a more efficient and equitable use of natural resource revenues for local development?*

Moderator: Monica Kjollerstrom and David Le Blanc.