The Side Event will serve to highlight the opportunities for transitioning from traditional models of assistance to refugees to a more comprehensive and integrated long-term approach. This will mean working on several fronts at once: adopting a coherent approach to addressing root causes and humanitarian needs, building multi-stakeholder partnerships, bringing in local governments, civil society and development actors sooner to help refugees and their hosts, and incorporating longer term planning and financing for solutions beyond the emergency phase. The session will examine how inclusive partnerships and predictable cooperative arrangements can best address refugee and migration challenges within the context of the implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals. It will also explore avenues for the inclusion of refugees and internally displaced persons into national development plans, and prospects for stronger engagement by development partners and international financial institutions, including through innovative financing instruments.

The Side Event will also provide the opportunity to engage with developing countries of origin, transit and destination, including national and local government representatives and CSOs, as well as field practitioners representing members of the DAC Temporary Working Group on Refugees and Migrants on the ground. The Secretariat encourages you to further circulate this invitation to your delegates.
located in Nairobi and the Eastern Africa region as well as to other relevant stakeholders and interlocutors.

**EXTENDED Registration to the Side Event**
Please contact Laura Gamez (laura.gamez@oecd.org), the focal point, no later than Wednesday 23rd November. In order to register, please provide Laura with the following information:
Surname, First name, Title, Document type/ID (e.g. passport), Doc. Number, Nationality, organisation, designation (head of delegation, minister, delegation).
*When registering for the Side Event, please indicate if you have already been registered for the HLM2 (e.g. via national delegation co-ordinator) to avoid double registration.
Further information on HLM2 of GPEDC registration can be found on the HLM2 website.

**Visa and Medical Requirements to Enter Kenya**
For those participants traveling from outside Kenya, logistical information can be found on the website of the HLM2. In particular, we invite you to check out visa requirements and medical requirements.

Should you have any questions, inputs, or wish to be further involved in the Side Event, please feel free to get in touch with anna.piccinni@oecd.org and annabel.mwangi@oecd.org.