



HIGH-LEVEL POLITICAL FORUM ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

An Interregional Dialogue Governance and policy coherence for accelerating action on the SDGs in the post-COVID-19 era

*Co-hosted by the Governments of Romania and Mongolia
in partnership with the OECD and IGES*

July 15, 2020 8:00 AM-9:00 AM EST

08:00-8:03 **Welcoming remarks**

Moderator: Eric ZUSMAN, Research Director, Center for Sustainability Governance
Institute for Global Environmental Strategies (IGES)

08:03-8:50 **Interactive Dialogues**

Capacities for Policy Coherence and Governance for SDGs and COVID recovery

Romania: László Borbély, State Counsellor, National SDG Coordinator Government of Romania

OECD: Ernesto Soria Morales, Senior Policy Analyst, Policy Coherence for Sustainable
Development, Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

Tools for Strengthening Governance and Policy Coherence for SDGs

Mongolia: Mr. Bayarsaikhan Banzragch, Chairman of the National Development
Agency of Mongolia

IGES: Kazuhiko Takeuchi, President, Institute for Global Environmental Strategies

Strategies and plans for sustainable development

Malta: George Said, Director, Department for Sustainable Development, Office of the Prime
Minister

ESDN: Annika Lindblom, President, European Sustainable Development Network

Transparency and accountability for sustainable development

Egypt: Ahmed Kamaly, Deputy Minister of Planning, Monitoring and Administrative Reform for
Planning Affairs

APRM: Eddie Maloka, CEO, African Peer Review Mechanism

Learning lessons and good practices on governance and policy coherence for SDGs

Canada: Ahmed Hussen, Minister of Families, Children and Social Development of Canada

Italy: Mara Cossu, Directorate General for Sustainable growth and development quality of the
Ministry for Environment, Land and Sea Protection

Governance beyond government-partnership

WBCSD: Filippo Veglio, World Business Council for Sustainable Development

ARROW Bindu Bhandari, Asian-pacific Resource and Research Centre for Women

08:50-9:00 **Q&A**

Closing remarks by Tatyana Teplova, Head of Division, Policy Coherence for SDGs, OECD