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for International
Development

Follow the Money:

Using Open Data to Track SDG Funding and Results

MONDAY, 18 JULY, 7:45 – 9:00 AM

EVENT OVERVIEW:

There is a need to 'follow the money' to make sure sufficient resources are going to the SDGs and that funds are spent effectively and without corruption, ensuring sustainable development results for everyone.

Greater openness and better open data can allow this to happen and to maximize the impact of funding.

The event will discuss how countries have used the International Aid Transparency Initiative (IATI) and other open data standards to track sustainable development monies and ensure 'no one is left behind'.

OPENING REMARKS

Karina Gould

Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of International Development, Government of Canada

CLOSING REMARKS

Simona Marinescu

Director, Development Impact Group, UNDP

PANELLISTS

- **Barun Dev Mitra**, Economic Minister, Permanent Mission of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
- **Harpinder Collacott**, Executive Director, Development Initiatives
- **Craig Fagan**, Head of Global Policy, Transparency International

MODERATOR

Sanjeev Khagram, Director, Global Partnership for Sustainable Development Data

LOCATION

United Nations Secretariat, Conference Building

Conference Room B (first basement)

Light breakfast served starting at 7:30 am.

RSVP

Please send confirmation email to: Jessica Ebrard (jebrard@transparency.org) by Thursday, 14 July.

Note: For non-UN pass holders, please confirm by Wednesday, 13 July to secure your event pass.

The event is organized by the governments of Bangladesh, Canada, Sweden and the United Kingdom in collaboration with the International Aid Transparency Initiative (IATI), Publish What You Fund, Transparency International and UNDP.