



## Official Side Event – HLPF2022

# Enabling small island states to achieve the SDGs through more forward-looking and holistic planning and governance

13 July 2022, 07.30 – 09.00 am New York time, online

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## Agenda

WEDNESDAY, 13 JULY 2022

TIME EST	ACTIVITY
07:15-07:30	<b>Tuning in</b>
07:30-07:45	<p><b>Opening Remarks</b></p> <p>Ms. Christine UMUTONI, UN Resident Coordinator for Mauritius and Seychelles (5 min.)</p> <p>Mr. Einar BJORGO, Director, Division SAAR, UNITAR (5 min.)</p> <p>Ms. Adriana ALBERTI, Chief, Program Management and Capacity Development Unit, DPIDG, UNDESA (5 min.)</p>
07:45 - 08:35	<p><b>Country experiences</b></p> <p><u>Facilitator:</u> Ms. Elena PRODEN, Senior Specialist, Strategic Implementation of the 2030 Agenda Unit, UNITAR (3 min.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> <p><b>Seychelles’ experience with integrated approaches: New National Development Strategy for long term transformation and implementation of the SDGs</b></p> <p>Ms. Elizabeth AGATHINE, Principal Secretary, Economic Planning Department, Ministry of Finance, Seychelles (10 min.)</p> </li> <li> <p><b>Mauritius and integrated approaches to planning: Integrated approaches to support SDGs and national planning</b></p> </li> </ul>

	<p>Mr. Latanraj GHOORAH, Lead Analyst, Economic Planning &amp; Development, Representative of Ministry of Finance (10 min.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Integrated approaches for national development planning and UNCT support to Mauritius and Seychelles</b></li> </ul> <p>Mr. Pierre FALLAVIER, Senior Partnerships Advisor, RCO for Mauritius and Seychelles (7 min.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Example of synergies between support on integrated approaches to planning and other activities on green economy and sustainable tourism</b></li> </ul> <p>Ms. Joya BHANDARI, Consultant, UNEP/UNCT for Mauritius and Seychelles (7 min.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Sharing the experience of Cyprus as EU small island country on long-term development planning and SDGs</b></li> </ul> <p>Ms. Sotiria Irene Sotiropoulos, Second Committee Expert, Permanent Mission of Cyprus to the UN (5-7 min.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Q&amp;A (8 min.)</b></li> </ul>
08:35 – 08:55	<p><b>Exchange on integrated planning</b></p> <p><u>Facilitator:</u> Ms. Veronique VERBRUGGEN, Senior Inter-Regional Advisor, DPIDG, UNDESA (3 min.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>System maps methodology for integrated approaches to national planning</b></li> </ul> <p>Mr. Andrea BASSI, UNITAR Expert Consultant (7 min.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Online poll and discussion</b></li> </ul> <p>(15 min.)</p>
08:55 - 09:00	Closing