



HIGH-LEVEL EVENT PROGRAMME

VIRTUAL PLATFORM

16 November 2020 | 3:00 – 5:45 PM

WFP Executive Board, Second Regular Session, Rome

UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL OPENING OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD FOLLOWED BY HIGH LEVEL EVENT

- 3:00 – 3:05** Welcome to the United Nations Secretary-General opening the Board session and to all the panelists by co-moderators (President, WFP Executive Board, H.E. Ambassador Dr. Ulrich Seidenberger, and WFP Executive Director, Mr. David Beasley)
- 3:05 – 3:20** Keynote Address by **United Nations Secretary-General, Mr. António Guterres**
- 3:20 – 3:25** Co-moderators thank the Secretary-General and invite Mr. Guterres to remain connected for the opening of the High-Level Panel
- 3:25 – 3:55** **High-Level Panel – Speakers list**
Ms. Kristalina Georgieva, Managing Director of the International Monetary Fund
Mr. David Malpass, President of the World Bank Group
H.E. Josefa Leonel Correia Sacko, African Union Commissioner for Rural Economy and Agriculture
Ms. Jutta Urpilainen, European Union Commissioner for International Partnerships
- 3:55 – 4:00** United Nations Secretary-General provides initial thoughts on preceding presentations
- 4:00 – 4:10** **High-Level Panel – Speakers list (continued)**
Mr. Achim Steiner, Vice-Chair, United Nations Sustainable Development Group and Administrator, United Nations Development Programme
Mr. Mark Lowcock, United Nations Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs
- 4:10 – 4:15** Co-moderators sum up key points of the panelists
- 4:15 – 4:45** Member States interventions
- 4:45 – 5:30** Panel responses to Member States interventions
- 5:30 – 5:45** Wrap up and conclusions by the co-moderators
- 5:45** **Closure of High-Level Panel**