**WHY A SENIOR-LEVEL MEETING?**

The Global Partnership’s Senior-Level Meeting will:

- **Affirm effectiveness as an essential driver for sustainable development**: new country-level evidence will help galvanise development actors for the changes needed to accelerate efforts towards the 2030 Agenda.
- **Expand the effectiveness ‘network’ by convening development actors on a more equal footing**: a global and multi-stakeholder constellation of key decisionmakers from governments, multilateral organisations, civil society, the private sector, trade unions, parliaments, foundations, and academia.
- **Explore effectiveness challenges and priorities for the future**: with discussion of cross-cutting and emerging issues in development effectiveness, to help identify priorities, especially to reach those furthest behind.

**THE SENIOR-LEVEL MEETING WILL LAUNCH**

- 2018 Global Partnership monitoring results from a record 86 countries and over 100 development partners, covering more than 3,300 projects and programmes
- Principles for Effective Private Sector Engagement through development co-operation
- A Global Compendium of Good Practices
- An effectiveness Knowledge-Sharing Platform
- Tailored approaches to monitoring effectiveness, including in fragility contexts, and for the effectiveness of South-South Co-operation
- Voluntary Guidelines for Effective Triangular Co-operation
- A Co-Chairs’ Statement, to capture the latest efforts by partners on making development more effective.

**WHO WILL ATTEND?**

Vice-Ministers, Directors-General, Permanent Secretaries, civil society representatives, heads of organisations, parliamentarians and CEOs. Invitations will be sent to invited participants.

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**ADDRESSING HOW WE WORK TOGETHER, FOR MORE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT OUTCOMES**

- While progress is being made, achieving the 2030 Agenda will require urgent additional efforts.
- We have what we want to achieve in the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), and a framework for what this needs in the Financing for Development (FFD) process.
- Complementing these by addressing how we partner and work together will be critical to getting the 2030 Agenda back ‘on track’.
- The internationally-agreed effectiveness principles provide a framework for all stakeholders to maximise the potential of each dollar spent:
  - Ownership by partner countries
  - A focus on results
  - Inclusive partnerships
  - Transparency & mutual accountability
- Their power and relevance are evident in the record 86 countries that participated in the 2018 Global Partnership monitoring exercise.
- The effectiveness principles, in line with the 2019 HLPF theme, aspire to a more empowered, inclusive, and equal rapport between partners, for more sustainable development outcomes.