PROGRAMME

Tuesday, October 22, 2013

15:00 - 18:00

Joint meeting of the Second Committee and the Economic Social Council in cooperation with the UN-DESA Expert Group on the World Economy (Project LINK)

"Inequality, Growth and the Global Economic Outlook"

Co-Chairs:

Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council, H.E. Mr. Ferit Hoxha (Albania)

Vice-Chair of the Second Committee, Ms. Oana Rebedea (Romania)

Opening remarks:

Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council

Introductory remarks:

Ms. Shamshad Akhtar, Assistant Secretary-General for Economic Development, Department of Economics and Social Affairs (DESA)

Presentation (1):

"Inequality and Growth"

Mr. Peter Pauly, Professor and Interim Dean, Rotman School of Management, University of Toronto, Canada

General discussion

Presentation (2):

"LINK Global Economic Outlook"

Mr. Pingfan Hong, Acting Director, Development Policy Analysis Division, DESA

Discussants:

Mr. Moazam Mahmood, Director, Economic and Labour Market Analysis Department, International Labour Organization

Mr. Dave Turner, Head, Macroeconomic Analysis Division, Economics Department, Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

General discussion

Closing remarks:

Vice-Chair of the Second Committee