

Symposium

# Integrating Sustainability into the Post-2015 Development Agenda

featuring a keynote speech by Jeffrey Sachs



While the international community is accelerating its efforts to achieve the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) by 2015, the discussion on the post-2015 development agenda and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) is gathering momentum. We are now at a critical standpoint to address the integration of sustainability into the formulation and implementation of the post-2015 development agenda.

This symposium will feature a keynote speech by Prof. Jeffrey Sachs drawing on lessons learned from the MDGs to explore international debates and trends related to the post-2015 agenda. A panel discussion by experts in this field and an interactive session will follow the keynote speech.

## **2 October 2014** (THU) 14:00–16:40

U Thant International Conference Hall, United Nations University

#### KEYNOTE SPEAKER

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