

# THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS: EXPERIENCES AND PROGRESSES ON THEIR IMPLEMENTATION IN EUROPE

OCTOBER 25<sup>th</sup>, ROME



## AGENDA

**14:00 REGISTRATION**

**14:30 WELCOMING REMARKS**

**Benedetto DELLA VEDOVA**, Under-Secretary of State, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation (MAECI)

**Marco FREY**, President, Global Compact Network Italy Foundation (GCNI)

**Enrico GIOVANNINI**, Spokesman, Alleanza per lo Sviluppo Sostenibile (ASvIS)

**15:00 KEYNOTE SPEECH: Making Global Goals Local Business to Rise the 2030 Challenge**

**Lise KINGO**, CEO and Executive Director, United Nations Global Compact (UNGC)

**15:20 SESSION I: Towards SDGs Implementation: the European perspective**

*Moderated by:* **Nikica KUSINIKOVA**, Contact Point, Global Compact Network Macedonia, The FYR

**Roberto RIDOLFI**, Director for Sustainable Growth and Development, DG Development and Cooperation-EuropeAid, European Commission (EC)

**Maria Benedetta FRANCESCONI**, Head of the National Contact Point Secretariat for the OECD Guidelines, Ministry of Economic Development (MiSE)

**Stefan CRETS**, Executive Director, CSR Europe

**16:10 SESSION II: Implementing SDGs: The Contribution of Businesses**

*Moderated by:* **Steve KENZIE**, Executive Director, Global Compact Network United Kingdom

**Stefano VENIER**, CEO, Hera Group

**Alberto GIOVANNINI**, President, Salini Impregilo

**Ernesto CIORRA**, Head of Innovation and Sustainability, Enel Group

**17:00 COFFEE BREAK**

**17:15 CLOSING REMARKS: Moving a Step Forward in Promoting SDGs**

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**Giovanni MORO**, Scientific Advisor, FONDACA – Fondazione per la cittadinanza attiva

**Angelo RICCABONI**, Full Professor at University of Siena, Chair of Fundación PRIMA (Partnership on Research and Innovation in the Mediterranean Area), Chair of SDSN Assembly.

### INFO & CONTACTS

The Conference will be held in English and a translation service is not provided at the moment. Participation is **only by invitation**. To **express your interest**, please send an e-mail to:

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