

Leaving nobody behind: enhancing disability inclusion across the international trading system

22 November 2023

Room XVII, Palais des Nations, Geneva

10:00 - 11:30 hrs.

Hybrid event

Programme

Welcoming remarks and moderation:

- **Miho Shirotori**, Acting Director, Division on International Trade and Commodities, UNCTAD

Opening statement:

- **Rebeca Grynspan**, Secretary General, UNCTAD

Video message:

- **Ville Tapani Tavio**, Minister for Development Cooperation and Foreign Trade, Finland

Presentation of the report:

- **Marzia Fontana**, Research Associate, Institute of Development Studies, United Kingdom

Panel discussion:

- **Heidi Schrodeus-Fox**, Ambassador, Permanent Mission of Finland to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva
- **Anderson Gitonga**, Inclusive Development Director, CBM Global
- **Judith Fessehaie**, Head, SheTrades Initiative, International Trade Centre
- World Trade Organization representative (tbc)

The panel discussion will be followed by open discussions with opportunity for Q&A with the panelists.