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of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

**Second Hearing with Civil Society**  
**Thursday, 26 May 2016, 10 a.m.–1 p.m.**  
**Room XXVI, Palais des Nations**

### Preliminary programme

- 10–10.30 a.m.** Opening by the Chair of the Preparatory Committee, H.E. Ambassador Alfredo Suescum
- Welcoming remarks by the Deputy Secretary-General of UNCTAD, Mr. Joakim Reiter
- 10.30–11 a.m.** **Challenges and opportunities in multilateralism for trade and development**
- Lead discussant: Elise Buckle, International Trade Union Confederation*
- 11–11.30 a.m.** **Promoting sustained, inclusive and sustainable economic growth through trade, investment, finance and technology to achieve prosperity for all**
- Lead discussant: Sanya Smith, Third World Network*
- 11.30 a.m.–12 p.m.** **Advancing economic structural transformation and cooperation to build economic resilience and address trade and development challenges and opportunities, at all levels, within the UNCTAD mandate**
- Lead discussant: Jason Braganza, Tax Justice Network-Africa*
- 12–12.30 p.m.** **Contributing to the effective implementation of and follow-up to the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and relevant outcomes from global conferences and summits, as related to trade and development**
- Lead discussant: Bodo Ellmers, European Network on Debt and Development*
- 12.30–1 p.m.** **Closing remarks**