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## **ECOSOC Special Meeting**

### **Aftermath of recent hurricanes:**

### **Achieving a risk-informed and resilient 2030 Agenda**

*24 October 2017, 10:00 – 13:00*

**Conference Room 2**

### **Draft Programme**

- 10:00 – 10:20 Opening**  
Welcoming remarks by Her Excellency Marie Chatardová, President of the Economic and Social Council  
Opening remarks by His Excellency Miroslav Lajčák, President of the General Assembly  
Opening remarks by Her Excellency Amina J. Mohammed, Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations
- 10:20 – 10:30 Special address**  
Dr. Douglas Slater, Assistant Secretary-General, Human and Social Development, The Caribbean Community (CARICOM)
- 10:30 – 11:30 Panel Discussion**  
Moderator:  
Ms. Lisa Friedman, Reporter, New York Times  
Panelists:  
Ms. Alicia Bárcena Ibarra, Executive Secretary of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC)  
Mr. Robert Glasser, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Disaster Risk Reduction, United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNISDR)  
Ms. Ursula Mueller, Assistant Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Deputy Emergency Relief Coordinator, Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA)  
Ms. Jessica Faieta, Assistant Secretary-General and Regional Director for Latin America and the Caribbean, United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)  
Mr. Francis Ghesquiere, Head of the Global Facility for Disaster Reduction and Recovery (GFDRR), the World Bank Group
- 11:30 – 12:55 Interactive Discussion**
- 12:55 – 13:00 Closing Remarks**  
Her Excellency Marie Chatardová, President of the Economic and Social Council