Australia's interventions from the floor

Day Three Session One: From coordinated to integrated implementation of the 2030 Agenda: the development, humanitarian and peacebuilding nexus

Key points:

- First to thank to all the speakers for a very candid and thoughtful engagement with the topic and the challenges that we all face in making this a reality and to emphasise that we need to seize the opportunity that this presents to us and focus on results on the ground
- My question touched on unpicking the PGA's description of this work as interdisciplinary and asking for the panellists response to how to best interrogate this interdisciplinary approach:
 - First from recognising that each discipline will have its own strengths and how to risk manage or accentuate the strengths of each part (for example the need and drive for independence, impartiality and neutrality in our humanitarian colleagues) in a thoughtful and sophisticated way
 - Second from recognising that each discipline has a range of cross cutting weaknesses that could benefit from joint analysis, joint strategy and joint approaches including failure to mainstream gender and gender equality (SDGs, including SDG5 and WPS agendas), need for financing reform across the pillars as has been recognised many times, and need to become more flexible and innovative (how to do joint assessments, address holistic needs engage in practice response and simulations) and how are they integrated into new UNDAFs etc
 - o ...and whether there were examples of this or comments from the panellists on this.