

Lessons learned: Supporting a human rights-based approach to the SDGs

Side event at the Africa Regional Forum on Sustainable Development

Thursday 18th April

14:30-16:00

Toubkal Room, Palais des congrès de la Palmeraie, Marrakesh.

Curious about how human rights can contribute to effective SDG implementation?

Join this event, where representatives of the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights, states, national human rights institutions and civil society will share concrete experiences, lessons learned, best practices and solutions to be used in furthering a human rights-based approach to the SDGs.

The event will be interactive and include discussions, an interactive quiz and a presentation of DIHR and OHCHR new online-tools for integrating SDGs and human rights.

See the full description and program of the event at:

<http://bit.ly/humanrights-sdgs>.

Speakers:

- **Mr. Adam Abdelmoula**
Director, Human Rights Council and Treaty Mechanisms Division, Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights
- **Mr. Vincent Operemo**
Senior Planner for Strategic Planning, National Planning Authority, Uganda
- **Ms Hellen Apila**
Femnet and representative of the Women's Major Group
- **Mr. Koome Miriti**
SDG Focal Point, Kenya National Commission on Human Rights
- **Ms. Francesca Thornberry**
Strategic Adviser on Human Rights and Sustainable Development, Danish Institute for Human Rights

Moderator:

- **Commissioner Joseph Whittal**
Commission on Human Rights and Administrative Justice, Ghana