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Schedule

	Time	Events	Venue
Monday, April 17	8:00 a.m.	Press Credentials Pick-Up Opens	Press Registratioin Desk
Tuesday, April 18	9:00 a.m 10:00 a.m.	Press Briefing: World Economic Outlook (WEO) Only press are allowed entry into press conferences/briefings.	IMF HQ2, Conference Hall 2 (Press Briefing Room)
	9:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.	Civil Society Policy Forum	
	11:00 a.m 11:45 a.m.	Analytical Corner: The Transparency Dividend – How Data Transparency Pays Off, Big!	IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1- 1-660
		Moderator: SIMRAN MAXWELL , Secretary's Department, IMF	
		Presenter:	
		SANGYUP CHOI, Economist, Statistics Department, IMF	
	12:00 p.m 2:00 p.m.	LAC Chief Economist's Semiannual Report & Press Conference	World Bank Group J Building, J 1-050
	1:00 p.m 4:30 p.m.	Civil Society Policy Forum Sessions:	World Bank "I" Building, Rooms I2 210, 220 and 250
		 Why Impact Investment can be an Effective Tool for Social Development Learning to Realize Education's Promise: 	
		World Development Report 2018 1 Capacity Building or Capacity Renting? Getting Serious about Self-Sustaining CSOs in Times of Declining Funding	
		Stakeholder Dialog in Financing the Missing Middle: Lost in Translation	
	2:00 p.m 3:30 p.m.	Emerging Lessons on Environmental Assessment	World Bank Group MC Building, MC2-800
		Moderator: OTAVIANO CANUTO, Executive Director,	

Chairman, Committee of Development Effectiveness, World Bank

- ZEINAB ELBAKRI, Member, Inspection Panel, World Bank
- JULIA BUCKNALL, Director, Environment and Natural Resources, World Bank
- 1 RICHARD FUGGLE, Emeritus Professor, Environmental Studies, University of Cape Town
- MEDHA PATKAR, Founder, Narmada Bachao Andolan and National Alliance of People's Movements, India

2:00 p.m. - 2:45 p.m. Analytical Corner: Policy Design Using Big Data

IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1-1-660

Moderator: **TOM CHAPMAN**, Communications Department, IMF

Presenter:

1 MARZIE TAHERI SANJANI, Economist, European Department, IMF

2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Innovations to Prevent Gender-Based Violence: Building Evidence for Effective Solutions

World Bank Group MC Building, Preston Auditorium

Moderator: **GHIDA FAKRY**, International Broadcast Journalist

- 1 JIM YONG KIM, President, World Bank Group
- 1 CAREN GROWN, Senior Director, Gender CCSA, World Bank Group
- 1 ANNETTE DIXON, Vice President, South Asia, World Bank
- 1 CYRIL MULLER, Vice President, Europe and Central Asia, World Bank
- 1 VICTORIA KWAKWA, Vice President, East Asia and Pacific, World Bank
- JORGE FAMILIAR, Vice President, Latin-America and the Caribbean, World Bank
- SAMIA MSADEK, Director, Strategy and Operations Middle East and North Africa, World Bank
- 1 MORGAN LANDY, Director, Environment, Social and Governance Department, International Finance Corporation
- 1 ALESSANDRA GUEDES, Co-chair, Sexual Violence Research Initiative, Regional Advisor on Family Violence, WHO Regional Office for the Americas/Pan American Health Organization

3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Analytical Corner: External Assessments - Taking a Global View

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IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1-

Moderator: JOANNE CREARY, Communications

Department, IMF

Presenter:

		1 RUO CHEN, Economist, Strategic, Policy and Review Department, IMF	
	4:00 p.m 4:45 p.m.	Analytical Corner: Demographic Changes - The Good, the Bad and the Ugly	IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1- 1-660
		Moderator: SHANNON MANN , Communications Department, IMF	
		Presenters:	
		 MARCO ESPINOSA, Unit Chief, Institute for Capacity Development, IMF SANTIAGO ACOSTA ORMAECHEA, Economist, Institute for Capacity Development, IMF DIEGO WACHS, Research Assistant, Institute for Capacity Development, IMF 	
ednesday, April 19	8:30 a.m 9:15 a.m.	Press Briefing: Global Financial Stability Report (GFSR)	IMF HQ2, Conference Hall 2 (Press Briefing Room)
		Only press are allowed entry into press conferences/briefings.	
	9:00 a.m 5:30 p.m.	Civil Society Policy Forum	World Bank "I" Building, Rooms I2 210, 220 and 250
		Sessions:	
		1 The Role of Faith Inspired Actors in Ending Extreme Poverty and Advancing the SDGs	
		Going Forward or Backward: An Assessment of Access to Information at the IFIs Against Better Practice	
		Advocating and Investing for Nutrition and Agriculture by Empowering Women and Girls	
		Counting the "Missing Millions": Data Innovations to Reach Vulnerable Populations	
		Building Community Resilience to Natural Resource Conflict	
		1 Engaging Citizens for Better Development Results	
		1 CSO INTERIM WORKING GROUP - Progress Update	
		 Digital Identity, Financial Inclusion – Connecting Refugees to Thrive 	
		Engaging Civil Society to Make a Difference in Situations of Fragility, Conflict and Violence	
		Land Grabbing and Financial Intermediary Lending: Examining the Ties and How to Cut	

	Innovative Approaches from Civil Society to Tackle Corruption and Make Governments More Transparent	
	Moving towards Universal Health Coverage: Role of Citizen-Led Accountability to Improve Financial Access and Rights-Respect	
	Telework: Opportunities to Use ICT to Provide Access to Employment for Vulnerable Groups and People with Disabilities	
9:00 a.m 5:30 p.m.	Civil Society Policy Forum	IMF HQ2 03B-838
	Sessions:	
	1 The Role of the IMF in Domestic and International Taxation	
	1 Making Tax Work for Women's Rights	
	How Civil Society Can Engage and Activate Youth Role in the Accomplishment of the Agenda 2030, by Taking Action and Keeping Governments Accountable	
9:45 a.m 10:30 a.m.	Press Briefing: Fiscal Monitor (FM)	IMF HQ2, Conference Hall 2 (Press Briefing Room)
	Only press are allowed entry into press conferences/briefings.	
10:00 a.m 10:45 a.m.	Analytical Corner: The Informal Economy in Sub- Saharan Africa	IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1- 1-660
	Moderator: TILLA McANTONY , Communications Department, IMF	
	Presenter:	
	1 LEANDRO MEDINA, Economist, African Department, IMF	
11:00 a.m 12:30 p.m.	Jumpstarting the Next Revolution in Food and Agriculture	World Bank Group MC Building, Preston Auditorium
	Moderator: JOSEFINA TOWNSEND , Newscaster, Lima, Peru	
	 KRISTALINA GEORGIEVA, Chief Executive Officer, World Bank JEHIEL OLIVER, CEO and Founder, Hello Tractor ANNIE RYU, CEO and Funder, The Jackfruit Company KEES AARTS, CEO and Founder, Protix; Davos Technology Pioneer 2015 	

NATALIEY BITATURE, Co-founder COO, Musana Carts YOAV ZEIF, President, Americas Division, Netafim IMF HQ1 Atrium 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 Innovation, Technology, and Jobs p.m. Moderator: CHRISTINE LAGARDE, Managing Director, Speakers: WALTER ISAACSON, President and CEO Aspen Institute 12:30 p.m. - 1:15 p.m. Analytical Corner: Labor and Product Market Reforms IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1in Advanced Economies: Fiscal Costs, Gains, and 1-660 Support Moderator: LUIGI BRIAMONTE, Secretary's Department, IMF Presenter: 1 VALERIO CRISPOLTI, Senior Economist, Fiscal Affairs Department, IMF 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Chief Economists Roundtable: The Road to 2030-World Bank Group MC Building, MC 13-121 New Challenges, New Solutions Moderator: ANA REVENGA, Deputy Chief Economist, World Bank 1 PAUL ROMER, Senior Vice President and Chief Economist, World Bank MARIANNE FAY, Chief Economist, Sustainable Development, World Bank ROBERTA GATTI, Chief Economist, Human Development, World Bank WILLIAM MALONEY, Chief Economist, Equity, Finance and Infrastructure, World Bank 1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. FinTech and the Transformation of Financial Services IMF HQ1 Meeting Halls A&B Moderator: TAO ZHANG, Deputy Managing Director, **IMF** Speakers: 1 JEREMY ALLAIRE, Chief Executive Officer of Circle 1 LONG CHEN, Chief Strategy Officer, Ant Financial Services CHRIS CHURCH, Chief Business Development Officer, Digital Asset SANTIAGO FERNANDEZ DE LIS, Chief Economist of Financial Systems and

Regulation, BBVA

	 GREG MEDCRAFT, Chairman, Australian Securities and Investments Commission PATRICK MURCK, Fellow, Harvard Berkman Klein Center MARCO SANTORI, Partner at Cooley LLP ALEX TAPSCOTT, CEO, Northwest Passage Ventures CAROLYN WILKINS, Senior Deputy Governor, Bank of Canada BRADLEY J. WISKIRCHEN, Chief Executive Officer, Kount RYAN ZAGONE, Head of Regulatory Relations, Ripple 	
1:30 p.m 2:15 p.m.	Analytical Corner: Asia: At Risk of Growing Old Before Rich	IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1- 1-660
	Moderator: MALA NARAIN , Communications Department, IMF	
	Presenter:	
	1 UMANG RAWAT, Economist, Asia and Pacific Department	
2:30 p.m 3:15 p.m.	Analytical Corner: Central Bank Emergency Liquidity Support – Key Considerations and Practical Challenges	IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1- 1-660
	Moderator: DEIRDRE DALY , Secretary's Department, IMF	
	Presenter:	
	DIARMUID MURPHY, Financial Sector Expert, Monetary and Capital Markets Department, IMF	
3:00 p.m 4:30 p.m.	Partners' Roundtable on Investing in the Early Years: Identifying Synergies and Catalyzing Action	World Bank Group MC Building, MC 13-301
	 JIM YONG KIM, President, World Bank Group SRI MULYANI INDRAWATI, Minister of Finance, Indonesia 	
3:30 p.m 4:15 p.m.	New Economy Talk: The Impact of 5G Communications and Clean Power on Global Economic Growth	IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1- 1-660
	Speaker:	
	1 REED HUNDT , CEO, Coalition for Green Capital	
4:30 p.m 5:15 p.m.	Driving Digital Financial Inclusion in Africa	IMF HQ1 Gallery
	Opening Remarks: CARLA GRASSO , Deputy Managing Director, IMF	
	Moderator: ERIC CHINJE, CEO, African Media Initiative	

	5:30 p.m 6:30 p.m.	Speakers: 1 BENNO NDULU, Governor, Central Bank of Tanzania 1 TAYO OVIOSU, CEO Paga, Nigeria A Conversation with Phiona Mutesi (Queen of Katwe) Speakers: 1 PHIONA MUTESI, Chess Champion, Inspiration for the Film Queen of Katwe 1 SABINA BHATIA, Assistant Director, Public Affairs, COM	IMF HQ1 – Meetings Halls A&B
		Followed by screening of the film <i>Queen of Katwe</i> from 6:35 pm – 8:40 pm	
Thursday, April 20	8:45 a.m 9:15 a.m.	2017 Spring Meetings Opening Press Conference: World Bank Group President Jim Yong Kim Only press are allowed entry into press conferences/briefings.	IMF HQ2, Conference Hall 2 (Press Briefing Room)
	8:45 a.m 10:00 a.m.	Building Resilience in the Face of Increasing Threats	World Bank Group MC Building, Preston Auditorium
		1 Honorable KEITH MITCHELL, Prime Minister, Grenada 1 ROBERT GLASSER, Special Representative to the UN, Secretary-General for Disaster Risk Reduction 1 YASUSHI KANZAKI, Senior Vice President, Japan International Cooperation Agency 1 IVO MENZINGER, Managing Director, Global Partnerships, Swiss Re 1 KEIKO HONDA, Executive Vice President and CEO, Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency 1 CAROLINE HEIDER, Director General and Senior Vice President, Independent Evaluation Group, World Bank Group	
	9:00 a.m 5:30 p.m.	Civil Society Policy Forum Sessions: 1 Asia's Energy Choices Will Determine Success of Paris Agreement: Pathways to Achieving Eventual NetZero Emissions 1 The IMF/World Bank Policies and the Arab World's Transition Economies 1 Accountability for Community Concerns About Project Impacts: The Role of an Independent Accountability Mechanism	World Bank "I" Building, Rooms I2 210, 220 and 250

	Lessons Learned in Public Finance	
	Legal Framework of PPPs and Infrastructure Projects in Latin America	
	Independent Evaluation at the IMF: Role, Recent Work and Future Agenda	
	1 World Development Report 2017: Governance and the Law	
	Empower African CSOs for Education and Protection of Vulnerable Youth Segments: Case of Domestic Workers / Eastern Africa	
	Strengthening the role of IAMs in Latin American Megaprojects	
	Building Political Will: Engaging Policy Makers and Creating Accountability on Global Health	
	Resettlement and Integration of Internally Displaced Persons: Global Strategy	
	An Improved Regulatory Environment for Agricultural Inputs, Services and Market Access	
	From Promise to Progress: Decentralized Renewables and the End of Energy Poverty	
9:30 a.m 10:15 a.m.	IMF Managing Director Press Conference	IMF HQ2, Conference Hall 2 (Press Briefing Room)
	Only press are allowed entry into press conferences/briefings.	(33 3 3
9:30 a.m 11:00 a.m.	Unleashing Productivity – The Key to Sustaining Inclusive Growth	World Bank Group J Building, J B1-080
	Moderator: RACHELLE AKUFFO , Anchor, Global Business, China Global Television Network	
	 SRI MULYANI INDRAWATI, Minister of Finance, Indonesia DATO' SRI IDRIS JALA, Advisor to the Prime Minister on National Transformation Programme and CEO, Performance Management and Delivery Unit, Malaysia DANIEL LEIPZIGER, Managing Director, the Growth Dialogue 	
9:30 a.m 10:00 a.m.	Postcard from Angola and Beyond: Why Energy	IMF HQ1 Gallery

Subsidy Reform is Important

Innovative Financing for Nutrition: Why it Matters and How to Make it Work

1 Getting Energy Access Right - Trends and

	Speaker:	
	DELPHINE PRADY, Economist, Fiscal Affairs Department, IMF	
10:00 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Increasing Women's Financial Protection-What Can Insurance Do?	1777 F Street, NW
	Moderator: GILLIAN WHITE , Senior Associate Editor, The Atlantic	
	 SARAH FOUNTAIN SMITH, Assistant Deputy Minister, Global Affairs, Canada DIMITRIS TSITSIRAGOS, Vice President, New Business, IFC VOLKER HEY, Senior Policy Officer, BMZ INDRANI SUGATHADASA, Chairperson, Insurance Board, Sri Lanka GARANCE WATTEZ-RICHARD, Head, AXA Emerging Customers, AXA Group SHAUN TARBUCK, CEO, International Cooperative and Mutual Insurance Federation ANNA GINCHERMAN, Chief Product Development Officer, Women's World Banking 	
10:00 a.m 10:45 a.m.	New Economy Talk: The Next Billion - Unprecedented Opportunity with Universal Access to Technology	IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1- 1-660
	Speaker: 1 CHRISTOPHER SCHROEDER, Entrepreneur and Author of Startup Rising: The Entrepreneurial Revolution Remaking the Middle East	
11:00 a.m 12:15 p.m.	Emerging Markets: Resilience in a New World	IMF HQ1 Meeting Halls A&E
,	Moderator: MARK SCHIERITZ, Economics Correspondent, Die Zeit	
	Speakers:	
	 TAO ZHANG, Deputy Managing Director, IMF ILAN GOLDFAJN, President, Central Bank of Brazil 	
	 SRI MULYANI INDRAWATI, Minister of Finance, Indonesia KSENIA YUDAEVA, First Deputy Governor, Central Bank of Russia 	
11:00 a.m 11:45 a.m.	Analytical Corner: Bank Capital	IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1- 1-660
	Moderator: MARIA JOVANOVIC, Communications Department, IMF	

	Department, IMF	
11:00 a.m 3:30 p.m.	Civil Society Policy Forum	IMF HQ2-03B-838B
	Sessions:	
	Public Finance Management Practices that Deliver for Citizens: Lessons from Developing and Emerging Economies	
	1 Accelerating the Illicit Financial Flows Agenda	
11:00 a.m 12:00 p.m.	Generation Now: How Investing in Adolescents Today Can Change the World of Tomorrow	World Bank Group MC Building, Preston Auditorium
	Moderator: JULIE GICHURU , TV Host, Africa Leadership Dialogues/Entrepreneur	
	 JIM YONG KIM, President, World Bank Group MELINDA GATES, Co-Chair, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation PRITI PATEL, Secretary of State for International Development, United Kingdom MARIE CLAUDE BIBEAU, Minister of International Development and La Francophonie, Canada SABA ISMAIL, Co-founder, Aware Girls CLAVER GATETE, Minister of Finance and Economic Planning, Rwanda 	
12:00 p.m 12:45 p.m.	Analytical Corner: Growth and Equity - Can Countries Have it all?	IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1- 1-660
	Moderator: MARIA GUERRA BRADFORD, Secretary's Department, IMF	
	Presenters:	
	 MARINA MENDES TAVARES, Economist, Strategy, Policy and Review Department, IMF SANDRA LIZARAZO RUIZ, Economist, Strategy, Policy and Review Department, IMF 	
1:00 p.m 2:00 p.m.	Infrastructure: Latin America and the Caribbean's New Growth Engine	World Bank Group J Building, J B1-080
	Moderator: GABRIELA FRÍAS , CNN en Español	
	 ALBERTO TORRES, Head of Public Credit, Mexico JULIO HÉCTOR ESTRADA, Minister of Finance, 	
	Guatemala PAOLA TAPIA, Minister of Transport and Telecommunications, Chile LUIS CAPUTO, Minister of Finance, Argentina JORGE FAMILIAR, Vice President, Latin	

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	America and the Caribbean, World Bank	
1:00 p.m 1:45 p.m.	Analytical Corner: If Not Now, When? Energy Price Reform in Arab Countries Moderator: ANGHAM AL SHAMI, Communications Department, IMF Presenters: 1 OLIVIER BASDEVANT, Senior Economist, Middle East and Central Asia Department, IMF 1 ROBERT TCHAIDZE, Senior Economist, Middle East and Central Asia Department, IMF	IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1- 1-660
2:00 p.m 3:30 p.m.	Creating Markets, Creating Opportunities Moderator: NOZIPHO MBANJWA, Anchor, CNBC Africa 1 JIM YONG KIM, President, World Bank Group 1 MAURICIO CÁRDENAS, Minister of Finance and Public Credit, Colombia 1 PHILIPPE LE HOUÉROU – Executive Vice President and CEO, International Finance Corporation 1 DIMITRIS TSITSIRAGOS - Vice President, New Business, International Finance Corporation 1 IMAD FAKHOURY, Minister of Planning & International Cooperation, Jordan 1 CHRIS WOOD, CEO, West Indian Ocean Cable Company 1 TARA LINDSTEDT, Managing Director, Strategy & Finance, EP Global Energy Ltd. 1 VINCENT LE GUENNOU, Chairman of the Board of Directors, Eranove, and Co-CEO, Emerging Capital Partners	World Bank Group MC Building, Preston Auditorium
2:00 p.m 3:00 p.m.	Gender and Macroeconomics: What's Next? Moderator: SARA EISEN, CNBC Anchor "Worldwide	IMF HQ1 Atrium

Moderator: **SARA EISEN**, CNBC Anchor "Worldwide Exchange"

Speakers:

- 1 CHRISTINE LAGARDE, Managing Director, IMF
- WINNIE BYANYIMA, International Executive Director, Oxfam
- 1 **SIV JENSEN,** Minister of Finance, Norway
- 1 MUHTAR KENT, CEO, Coca Cola
- 1 AMINA J. MOHAMMED, Deputy Secretary General, United Nations

3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Implementing the 2030 Agenda: From Commitment to Action

World Bank Group MC Building, MC2-800 Moderator: MAHMOUD MOHIELDIN, Senior Vice

President, World Bank

PETER THOMSON, President, UN General Assembly

PATRICK ANTHONY CHINAMASA, Minister of Finance and Economic Development, Zimbabwe

1 MARCELLO DE MOURA ESTEVÃO FILHO, Deputy Finance Minister, Brazil

- JEAN MARIE LE GUEN, Minister of State for Development and Francophonie, France
- 1 **JESSICA LONG**, Managing Director, Accenture
- STEFANO MANSERVISI, Director-General, International Cooperation and Development, European Commission
- SHAOLIN YANG, Managing Director and Chief Administrative Officer, World Bank Group
- 1 AMINA MOHAMMED, Deputy Secretary-General, UN

3:15 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. Global Economy on an Upswing: Can it Work for All?

IMF HQ1 Meeting Halls A&B

Moderator: RANA FOROOHAR, Global Business Columnist, Financial Times

Speakers:

- DAVID LIPTON, First Deputy Managing Director, IMF
- 1 MARTIN FELDSTEIN, Professor, Harvard University
- WILLIAM MORNEAU, Minister of Finance, Canada
- 1 RAGHURAM RAJAN, Professor, Chicago Booth School of Business
- 1 AXEL WEBER, Chairman, UBS

3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. De-risking Countries: Reforms for Growth

World Bank Group J Building, J B1-080

Moderator: TOM KEENE - Bloomberg TV

- MAURICIO CÁRDENAS, Minister of Finance and Public Credit, Colombia
- SRI MULYANI INDRAWATI, Minister of Finance, Indonesia
- 1 MEHMET SIMSEK, Deputy Prime Minister, Turkey
- OLEKSANDR DANIYLUK, Mninister of Finance, Ukraine

3:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Analytical Corner: When a Boom Means Less Inequality - Commodity Cycles in Latin America

IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1-1-660

Moderator: **MARUSHIA GISLEN,** Secretary's Department, IMF

Presenter:

		MARIKA SANTORO, Economist, Western Hemisphere Department, IMF	
	4:30 p.m 5:30 p.m.	Boosting Women's Economic Empowerment	World Bank Group MC Building, Preston Auditorium
		Moderator: ZEINAB BADAWI , International Broadcaster and Chair of the Royal African Society	
		 JIM YONG KIM, President, World Bank Group PHUMZILE MLAMBO-NGCUKA, Executive Director, UN Women SIMONA SCARPALEGGIA, CEO, IKEA Switzerland SIGVE BREKKE, CEO, Telenor Group 	
	4:30 p.m 5:00 p.m.	Postcard from Armenia and Georgia: Monetary Policy Modeling	IMF HQ1 Gallery
		Speakers: 1 ARCHIL MESTVIRISHVILI, Vice Governor, National Bank of Georgia 1 ARMEN NURBEKYAN, Head of Research, Central Bank of Armenia 1 ANDREW BERG, IMF Deputy Director	
Friday, April 21	8:00 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Press Briefing: Asia and Pacific Department Only press are allowed entry into press conferences/briefings.	IMF HQ1-B-640
	9:00 a.m 9:45 a.m.	Press Briefing: European Department	IMF HQ1-B-640
		Only press are allowed entry into press conferences/briefings.	
	9:00 a.m 10:30 a.m.	Cities are Where the Future is Being Built	World Bank Group MC Building, Preston Auditorium
		Moderator: FEMI OKE, International Journalist	
		 PAUL ROMER, Senior Vice President & Chief Economist, World Bank CHRISTIANA FIGUERES, Former Executive Secretary, United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change EDWARD GLAESER, Professor of Economics, Harvard University (via videoconference). MOSTAFA MADBOULY, Minister for Housing and Urban Development, Egypt YONDELA SILIMELA, Executive Director: Development Planning at City of Johannesburg, South Africa 	

9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Civil Society Policy Forum

World Bank "I" Building, Rooms I2 210, 220 and 250

Sessions:

- 1 Women Entrepreneurs Driving Socioeconomic Change: Experiences from the Americas, Tunisia and India
- Free Education and the Question of Low-Fee Private Schools
- Infrastructure Investment and Development: Challenges and Opportunities
- Role of Access to Information in Promoting Development and Citizen Participation in Governance
- Strengthening Civil Society Engagement in National Planning Processes: Lessons learned from the Global Financing Facility
- 1 The New World Bank Environmental and Social Framework: Implementation Update
- 1 Future of the Civil Society Policy Forum
- 1 Countering Conflict Economies in Syria and Neighboring Countries
- Assessing IMF-WB's Technical Cooperation for Achieving 2030 Agenda
- 1 The World Bank in an Age of Populism: What does the Rise of Populist Governments Mean for the World Bank and its Relationship with Civil Society?
- Financial Inclusion for All: Uplifting the Invisible Class
- Pneumonia and Diarrhea: How Horizontal UHC Reforms Can Address Key Childhood Killers
- On Track to 1.5C: Mainstreaming Climate and Forest Actions in MDB Lending and Country Strategies

9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Civil Society Policy Forum

IMF HQ2-03B-838B

Sessions:

- 1 Are Governments and the Bretton Woods Institutions Fighting Inequality?
- 1 African Debt Crisis 2. 0
- Closing the Gender Gap in Finance

9:30 a.m 10:30 a.m.	Addressing the Refugee Crisis in Middle Income Countries	World Bank Group MC Building, Jim Wolfensohn Atrium
	Moderator: GHIDA FAKHRY , International Broadcast Journalist	
	 KRISTALINA GEORGIEVA, CEO, World Bank PRITI PATEL, Secretary of State for International Development, UK FILIPPO GRANDI, High Commissioner for Refugees, United Nations MARIE-CLAUDE BIBEAU, Minister, International Development and La Francophonie, Canada ISABELLA LÖVIN, Deputy Prime Minister, Minister, International Development Cooperation, Sweden IMAD FAKHOURY, Minister of Planning and International Cooperation, Jordan LILIANNE PLOUMEN, Minister, Foreign Trade and Development, the Netherlands ULLA TØRNÆS, Minister, Development Cooperation, Denmark GHASSAN HASBANI, Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Health, Lebanon 	
10:00 a.m 10:45 a.m.	Press Briefing: Middle East and Central Asia Department Only press are allowed entry into press	IMF HQ1-B-640
10:00 a.m 11:15 a.m.	Sub-Saharan Africa: How to Return to Vigorous Growth?	IMF HQ1 Meeting Halls A&B
	Moderator: ANTOINETTE SAYEH, Distinguished Visiting Fellow, Center for Global Development	
	Speakers:	
	 MITSUHIRO FURUSAWA, Deputy Managing Director, IMF RANDA FILFILI, CEO, Zena Exotic Fruits, Senegal DONALD KABERUKA, Senior Advisor, Boston Consulting Group ALAMINE OUSMANE MEY, Finance Minister of Cameroon FELIX MUTATI, Minister of Finance, Zambia 	
11:00 a.m 12:15 p.m.	Financing for Peace: Innovations to Tackle Fragility	World Bank Group MC Building, Preston Auditorium
	Moderator: KIM GHATTAS , BBC International Correspondent	
	 JIM YONG KIM, President, World Bank Group ANTÓNIO GUTERRES, Secretary General, United Nations JEAN-CLAUDE JUNCKER, President, European 	

	Commission KRISTALINA GEORGIEVA, Chief Executive Officer, World Bank DONALD KABERUKA, Co-chair, LSE-Oxford Commission on State Fragility, Growth and Development STEFANO MANSERVISI, Director General, European Commission PETER MAURER, President, International Committee of the Red Cross LAURE WESSEMIUS-CHIBRAC, Managing Director, Cordaid Investment Management	
11:00 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Postcard from Mongolia: Improving Tax Collections Speakers: 1 ZAYABAL BATJARGAL, Deputy Commissioner, General Department of Taxation of Mongolia 1 JOHN BRONDOLO, IMF Senior Economist	IMF HQ1 Gallery
11:30 a.m 12:15 p.m.	Press Briefing: African Department Only press are allowed entry into press conferences/briefings.	IMF HQ1-B-640
11:30 a.m 12:45 p.m.	50 Years After: The SDR's Role in the IMS Moderator: MAURY OBSTFELD, Economic Counsellor and Director, Research Department, IMF Speakers: 1 MOHAMED EL-ERIAN, Chief Economic Advisor, Allianz 1 JOSÉ ANTONIO OCAMPO, Professor, Columbia University 1 CATHERINE SCHENK, Professor, University of Glasgow 1 YI GANG, Deputy Governor, People's Bank of China	IMF HQ1 Meeting Halls A&B
12:30 p.m 1:00 p.m.	Press Conference: G-20 Only press are allowed entry into press conferences/briefings.	IMF HQ1-B-640
12:30 p.m 1:30 p.m.	Rebuilding for Tomorrow: Supporting Private Enterprise in Conflict-Affected Situations Moderator: DANIEL RUNDE, Director, Project on Prosperity & Development, Center for Strategic and International Studies 1 HANS PETER LANKES, Vice President, Economics And Private Sector Development, IFC 1 PAUL COLLIER, Director, International Growth	1777 F Street, NW

	Centre and Professor, Oxford University MOMUDU KARGBO, Minister Of Finance, Sierra Leone, and Chair, Of the g7 Group BOUBACAR PONA, Managing Director, Gaselia Industries Group		
1:00 p.m 2:00 p.m.	Boosting Revenues, Driving Development: Why Taxes Are Critical for Growth	World Bank Group MC Building, Preston Auditorium	
	Moderator: JOHN AUTHERS , Senior Investment Columnist, Financial Times		
	 JAN WALLISER, Vice President, Equitable Finance and Institutions, World Bank Group GARGEE GHOSH, Director Development Policy and Finance, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation DANA REIZNIECE-OZOLA, Minister of Finance, Latvia 		
1:00 p.m 2:15 p.m.	Can Global Integration Work for All?	IMF HQ1 Meeting Halls A&B	
1:00 p.m 1:45 p.m.	New Economy Talk: Around the World with GE: Views on Innovation and the Global Economy	IMF HQ1, Events Hall, HQ1- 1-660	
	Speaker:		
	1 JOHN RICE , Vice-Chairman, GE		
2:00 p.m 2:45 p.m.	Press Briefing: Western Hemisphere Department	IMF HQ1-B-640	
	Only press are allowed entry into press conferences/briefings.		
2:30 p.m 3:30 p.m.	De-Risking for Private Investors	World Bank Group MC Building, Jim Wolfensohn Atrium	
	Moderator: ALI VELSHI, NBC		
	 THIERRY DÉAU, CEO, Meridiam IMAD FAKHOURY, Minister of Planning and International Cooperation, Jordan JULIE MONACO, Global Head, Public Coverage, Citibank PHIL BENNETT, Vice President and Head of Client Services Group, EBRD KEIKO HONDA, Executive Vice President & CEO, MIGA 		
3:00 p.m 4:00 p.m.	Fostering Local Capital Markets—a Path to Growth and Prosperity	World Bank Group J Building, J 1-050	
	Moderator: HEIKE REICHELT , Lead Financial Officer,		

Centre and Professor, Oxford University

Head of Investor Relations & New Product Development, Capital Markets Department, World Bank Group

- 1 THOMAS SILBERHORN, State Secretary, Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development, Germany
- 1 HENRY ROTICH, Cabinet Secretary, National Treasury, Kenya
- JAN WALLISER, Vice President, Equitable Growth, Finance, and Institutions, World Bank Group
- PHILIPPE LE HOUÉROU, Executive Vice President and CEO, International Finance Corporation
- 1 DONALD KANAK, Chairman, Eastspring Investments
- 1 CATHERINE BOUVIER D'YVOIRE, Managing Director, Public Sector & Development Organizations, Standard Chartered Bank

3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Unlocking Financing for Climate Action

World Bank Group MC Building, Preston Auditorium

Moderator: **GHIDA FAKHRY**, International Broadcast Journalist

- 1 JIM YONG KIM, President, World Bank Group
- AL GORE, Former Vice President of the United States, Chairman, The Climate Reality Project
- 1 CHRISTIANA FIGUERES, Mission 2020 Convenor
- JEFFREY SKOLL, Founder and Chairman, Skoll Foundation, Participant Media, Capricorn Investment Group, and Skoll Global Threats Fund
- MAGDALENA ANDERSSON, Finance Minister, Sweden
- ERIK SOLHEIM, Executive Director, United Nations Environment Programme

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4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Postcard from Albania: Strengthening Central Bank Operations

Speaker:

 ELISABETA GJONI, First Deputy Governor, Bank of Albania

4:30 p.m. - 5:45 p.m. Productivity in the Age of Fewer, Older Workers

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Moderator: **JARED BERNSTEIN**, Senior Fellow, Center on Budget and Policy Priorities

Speakers:

- 1 **DAVID CANNING, Professor, Harvard University**
- 1 YASUYUKI SAWADA, Chief Economist, ADB
- 1 HAL VARIAN, Chief Economist, Google Inc.

Saturday, April 22	10:00 a.m 11:30 a.m.	State of the Africa Region Moderator: JULIE GICHURU, TV Host, Africa Leadership Dialogues/Entrepreneur 1 MAKHTAR DIOP, Vice President for Africa, World Bank 1 ALBERT ZEUFACK, Chief Economist, Africa, World Bank	World Bank Group J Building, J B1-080
	12:00 p.m 1:15 p.m.	Spotlight on Nutrition: Unlocking Human Potential and Economic Growth	World Bank Group MC Building, Jim Wolfensohn Atrium
		Moderator: JULIE GICHURU , Journalist & News Anchor, Kenya	
		 JIM YONG KIM, President, World Bank Group PRITI PATEL, Secretary of State for International Development, United Kingdom KEMI ADEOSUN, Minister of Finance, Nigeria YVONNE CHAKA CHAKA, Singer/Humanitarian, The Princess of Africa Foundation JULIO HECTOR ESTRADA, Minister of Finance, Guatemala RATAN TATA, Chairman, Tata Trusts 	
	12:45 p.m 1:30 p.m.	IMFC Press Conference Only press are allowed entry into press	IMF HQ2, Conference Hall 2 (Press Briefing Room)
		conferences/briefings.	
	1:00 p.m 1:30 p.m.	Postcard from Azerbaijan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan: Better Data for Better Decision Making	IMF HQ1 Gallery
		Speakers: 1 DANIEL BIRCHMEIER, Head, Multilateral Cooperation Unit, Switzerland State Secretariat for Economic Affairs 1 TAMARA RAZIN, IMF Senior Economist	
	2:00 p.m 3:15 p.m.	Central Bankers and Inclusive Growth Opening Remarks: DAVID LIPTON, First Deputy	IMF HQ1 Meeting Halls A&B
		Managing Director, IMF Moderator: TOBIAS ADRIAN , Financial Counsellor and Director, Monetary and Capital Markets Department, IMF	
		Speakers:	
		 CHARLES BEAN, former Deputy Governor/Chief Economist of the Bank of England SHARON DONNERY, Deputy Governor, Central Bank of Ireland 	

		 KAREN SHAW PETROU, Managing Partner, Federal Financial Analytics PERRY WARJIYO, Deputy Governor, Bank of Indonesia 	
	3:30 p.m 4:00 p.m.	Postcard from Zambia: Building Fiscal Capacity Speaker: 1 MUKULI CHIKUBA, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Finance of Zambia	IMF HQ1 Gallery
	4:15 p.m 4:55 p.m.	A Conversation on the U.S. Economy Speakers: 1 CHRISTINE LAGARDE, Managing Director, IMF 1 STEVEN MNUCHIN, Secretary, U.S. Treasury	IMF HQ1 Atrium
Sunday, April 23	3:00 p.m 4:30 p.m.	Digitalization: Revolutionizing Fiscal Policy and Systems Moderator: MARTIN SANDBU, Economics Writer, Financial Times Speakers: 1 DAVID LIPTON, First Deputy Managing Director, IMF 1 CAROLINE ATKINSON, Head of Global Public Policy, Google Inc. 1 ANDREW MCAFEE, Co-Director, MIT Initiative on the Digital Economy 1 ARVIND SUBRAMANIAN, Chief Economic Advisor to the Government of India	IMF HQ1 Meeting Halls A&B