

4th Annual G-24/AFI Policymakers' Roundtable on Financial Inclusion

Reception Hall (Room 2-307), IMF HQ1
700 19th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

Sunday 22 April 2012, 13:30 - 15:30

The G-24/AFI Roundtable is an annual high-level meeting that provides a platform for engaging developing country policymakers on global financial inclusion policy initiatives. This year's G-24/AFI Roundtable, the fourth since its launch in 2009, will focus on national commitments to financial inclusion being developed and implemented by developing and emerging country policymakers. The Roundtable also provides a platform to discuss the role of key global partners and the G20's Global Partnership for Financial Inclusion (GPI) in supporting countries to make their commitments a reality.

13:30	Registration and refreshments
13:45	Welcoming and opening remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arvind Virmani, Executive Director at the IMF and G-24 Chair of the Deputies • Njuguna Ndung'u, Governor of the Central Bank of Kenya and Chair of the AFI Steering Committee
13:55	Country commitments to financial inclusion under the Maya Declaration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alfred Hannig, Executive Director, AFI • Sanusi Lamido Sanusi, Governor of the Central Bank of Nigeria • Claver Gatete, Governor of the National Bank of Rwanda • Benno Ndulu, Governor of the Bank of Tanzania
14:20	Supporting country commitments through the G20 and Other Partners <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Juan Manuel Valle Pereña, Head of Department, Mexican Ministry of Finance and GPI co-chair • Alain Damais, Head of Official Development Assistance and Multilateral Development Institutions, Direction Generale du Tresor and GPI co-chair • Mahmoud Mohieldin, Managing Director, World Bank • Cyrus Rustomjee, Director, Economic Affairs Division, Commonwealth Secretariat
14:35	Open discussion and feedback Facilitator: Amar Bhattacharya, Director, G-24 Secretariat
15:10	Wrap-up and next steps
15:20	Closing remarks