

# SDGs Thematic Reviews

## What is the role of the UN Organization's Specialized Bodies?

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*(Event will be webcast)*

The follow up and review mechanism under discussion as part of the Post 2015 sustainable development framework proposes that thematic reviews may take place at the HLPF supported by reviews by the ECOSOC functional commissions and other inter-governmental forums.

Many of the goals and targets under consideration are already subject to in-depth and periodic thematic reviews by specialized bodies convened mostly by UN agencies, funds and programmes covering various aspects of the agenda.

In order to minimize reporting costs for Member States and stimulate synergies and complementarities between the already existing bodies, it would be important to explore ways to integrate the on-going thematic reviews into the overall global review mechanism under the auspices of the HLPF.

This event will brief the UN delegates on already existing thematic review processes and mechanism associated with specific targets and suggest practical ways to integrate these thematic reviews into the global monitoring mechanism.

### PRESENTATIONS

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