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Day 1 - Tuesday, October 15, 2019

9:00 am – 12:00 pm	I 2-220 WBG and IMF Orientation				
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Lunch Break				
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm	I 2-220 Preparation session with Moderator of the CSO Roundtable with WBG Executive Directors				
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Coffee Break				
3:00 pm – 4:30 pm	I 2-210 Strengthening Partnerships between Faith Actors and Multilateral Agencies to Achieve Better Development Outcomes Arigatou International for The Moral Imperative, PaRD, Strength in Diversity Development Centre	I 2-220 Forests & Climate Change: How Can Mainstreaming Forests Address Challenges of Climate Change and Development? Centro Mexicano de Derecho Ambiental (CEMDA), BIC	I 2-250 Disrupting the Divides in Democracy and Governance Programming in Fragile and Conflict Affected Settings Mercy Corps, NDI, IRI, PACT, Counterpart, Democracy International, IFES, Catholic Relief Services	I 5-040 A Complaint by any other name...Good Practice among Independent Accountability Mechanisms Centre for Research on Multinational Corporations, Accountability Counsel, FUNDEPES	IMF HQ2 03B-838B Strengthening Civil Society Voices on Sustainable Debt and Development Policies in West and Central Africa Africa Forum and Network on Debt and Development
5:00 pm – 6:30 pm	Preston Auditorium Civil Society Roundtable with World Bank Group Executive Directors				

Day 2 - Wednesday, October 16, 2019

9:00 am – 10:30 am	<p>I 2-210 Advancing a Feminist Approach to Women's Economic Inequality</p> <p>African Women's Development and Communication Network (FEMNET), ActionAid Fight Inequality Alliance Public Services International</p>	<p>I 2-220 World Bank Group Paris Alignment: Governance and Private Sector Participation in the Energy Sector</p> <p>Urgewald, BIC Europe, Fair Deal for Guyana, IDI, PMCJ, Christian Aid, Bretton Woods Project</p>	<p>I 2-250 Strengthening Access to Remedy for Communities Affected by Environmental and Social Harms</p> <p>IFC/MIGA Compliance Advisor Ombudsman (CAO), SOMO</p>	<p>I 5-040 The Future of Financial Assistance</p> <p>The Cash Learning Partnership, Finn Church Aid</p>	<p>IMF HQ2 03B-838B Are We Sitting on a New Debt Time Bomb? Tackling the Debt Emergency</p> <p>Eurodad, Latindadd, Afrodad, Jubilee USA Network, Jubilee Germany, Norwegian Church Aid, Debt Justice Norway</p>
10:30 am	Coffee break	I 2-440 Regional Networking: European and Central Asian CSOs			
11:00 am – 12:30pm	<p>I 2-210 Young People in the New Work Order</p> <p>Global Voices, Sustainable Innovation Development Centre</p>	<p>I 2-220 Mobilizing Public & Private Finance for Climate Action: Policies, Networks, Stakeholder Multipliers and Climate Funds</p> <p>Stakeholder Advisory Network on Climate Finance, Third Generation Environmentalism</p>	<p>I 2-250 PPPs in Latin-America: Challenges and Opportunities for Quality Infrastructure</p> <p>FARN, AAS, Eurodad, LATINDADD</p>	<p>I 5-040 Assessing Social and Gender Impacts in Development Policy Financing</p> <p>Bretton Woods Project, Bank Information Center, European Network for Debt and Development</p>	<p>IMF HQ2 03B-838B Public Registers of Beneficial Ownership: Essential or Overhyped?</p> <p>Civil Society Legislative Advocacy Centre, TI Nigeria, TI, Tax Justice Network</p>
12:30pm-1:30pm	I 2-220 Lunch Session with WBG Townhall Moderator				
1:30pm-2:30pm	I 2-250 CSPF Working Group Election Process				
3:00pm-4:00pm	MC Preston Auditorium WBG - Civil Society Townhall				
5:00pm-6:00pm	IMF HQ1 Meeting Halls A&B, HQ1 3-430 IMF - Civil Society Townhall				
6:00pm-7:30pm	IMF HQ1 Bistro, HQ1 2-713 CSO Networking Reception				

Day 3 - Thursday, October 17, 2019

9:00 am – 10:30 am	I 2-210	I 2-220 Social Enterprises, Sustainable Investment and Decent Work	I 2-250 The World Bank's Role in Fragile and Conflict - Affected Situations: Lessons for IDA19 and the FCV Strategy	IMF HQ2 03B-838B The IMF and Inequalities: Tensions between Structural Adjustments and Structural Transformations
		Self Employed Women Association, International Center for Research on Women	International Rescue Committee, Mercy Corps, the Center for Global Development	Society for International Development, CESR, ANND, DAWN, GPF, TWN, Social Watch, FES
10:30 am	Coffee break	I 2-440 Regional Networking: Middle Eastern and North African CSOs		
11:00 am – 12:30 pm	I 2-210 Sustainable Development Goals on Inequality and Work: Reviewing the Alignment of IMF, World Bank	I 2-220 Reaching the Tipping Point for Sustainable Finance: The Role of Emerging Donors & IFIs	I 2-250 Ensuring Projects Do Not Discriminate Based on Sexual Orientation, Sex Characteristics or Gender Identity	IMF HQ2 03B-838B IMF and Right to Food: Conditionality on Food and Agriculture in the Arab Region
	International Trade Union Confederation, CESR, BWP, FES	Fair Finance Asia, Responsibank Indonesia, Japan Center for a Sustainable Environment and Society	BIC Europe, CGE, Gender Action, HRC, HRW, NGLCC, Outright Action International	Arab NGO Network for Development
12:30 pm	Lunch Break			
1:30 pm – 3:00 pm	I 2-210 The Role of the World Bank in Facilitating Stolen Asset Return	I 2-220 Towards a Global Green New Deal – Financing for a Sustainable Future	I 2-250 Environmental Crisis in the Amazon, SDGs and the Role of the WB: Brazilian and Bolivian Perspectives	IMF HQ2 03B-838B IMF Conditionality Reform in Promise and Practice: What does the evidence show?
	ANEEJ, BIC, International State Crime Initiative	Heinrich Boell Foundation, International Trade Union Confederation	Institute of Socioeconomic Studies, CEDLA, Christian Aid	BU GDP Center, Bretton Woods Project, ITUC, Arab NGO Network for Development
3:00 pm	Coffee break	I 2-440 Regional Networking: Latin American and Caribbean CSOs		
3:30 pm – 5:00 pm	I 2-210 Youth Networking Event: Coming Together for a Sustainable Future	I 2-220 Dedicated Grant Mechanism: A Replicable Direct Access Financing Model for Indigenous Peoples?	I 2-250 Emerging Challenges to the Right to Education, Alternative Solutions, and the Role of the World Bank	IMF HQ2 03B-838B Cutting to the Core: Rethinking the IMF's way of doing Business to tackle Gender Inequalities
	SustainUS	Climate Investment Funds, SAN	Oxfam, RESULTS, GCE-US, GI-ESCR, Eurodad, ActionAid	CESR, Oxfam, BWP, ANND, GATJ

Day 4 - Friday, October 18, 2019

9:00 am – 10:30 am	<p>I 2-210 Preventing Corruption: Tackling Integrity Risks across the 2030 Agenda and analyzing Effectiveness of Prevention Tools ANCE-Togo, FORES Argentina, Transparency International, CSAEINC-Nigeria</p>	<p>I 2-220 Development and Accountability Challenges in FCV Countries World Bank Inspection Panel, Oxfam International</p>	<p>I 2-250 Human Rights, Climate Change, Alleviating Poverty...Can WB country Strategies Rise to the Challenge? Examples BIC Europe, Open Society Institute Tajikistan, Soros Kazakhstan Foundation</p>	<p>IMF HQ2 03B-838B The IMF's Work on Social Spending: What's Next? International Monetary Fund</p>
10:30 am	Coffee break		I 2-440 Regional Networking: African CSOs	
11:00 am – 12:30 pm	<p>I 2-210 The Status (Quo) of Women's Empowerment in the MENA Region: Perspectives from the Field Hands Along the Nile Development Services, Inc.</p>	<p>I 2-220 Update on the Environmental and Social Framework (ESF) World Bank</p>	<p>I 2-250 Right to Recovery: Children's Wellbeing, Mental Health and Recovery from Conflict Save the Children</p>	<p>IMF HQ2 03B-838B A Compact for Assured and Sustainable Financing of Social Protection Floors in Developing Countries Bread for the World, World Council of Churches, ACT Alliance</p>
12:30 pm	Lunch Break			
1:30 pm – 3:00 pm	<p>I 2-210 Liberia and Somalia: Microcosms into Debt Relief, Climate Crises and Resilience Intersectionality Somalia NGO Consortium, Jubilee USA, Oxfam in Somalia, Qatar Red Crescent, Save Somali Women, WASDA</p>	<p>I 2-220 Integrated Energy Plans and the Role of IFI Support for Universal Sustainable Energy Access World Resources Institute, Oxfam America, Sustainable Energy for All</p>	<p>I 2-250 The World Bank's Advice on Best Practice in Education: A Critical Analysis Global Campaign for Education-US, Education International, Focal Point Global, National Education Association, RESULTS</p>	<p>IMF HQ2 03B-838B The IMF & Climate Change: Can the Fund help Countries avoid a 'Climate Minsky Moment' SOAS Centre of Sustainable Finance, SOAS University of London, Bretton Woods Project</p>
3:00 pm	Coffee break		I 2-440 Regional Networking: South and East Asian CSOs	
3:30 pm – 5:00 pm	<p>I 2-210 In-country Anti-corruption Reviews: Lessons Learned and Recommendations for Effective Civil Society Engagement Anti-Corruption Action Center, Rasheed, Transparency International, TI Ukraine, IDLO</p>	<p>I 2-220 Leader or Laggard: Is the World Bank responding fast enough to the Climate Crisis? SSNC, OCI, BWP, ACSEA. CLEAN, BIC Europe, Tearfund, The Big Shift Global, Christian Aid</p>	<p>I 2-250 Leveraging Private Sector Engagement in Health: Maximizing or Obstructing Progress towards Universal Health Coverage? Oxfam GB, Eurodad, Latindadd, Wemos, Initiative for Social and Economic Rights Uganda</p>	<p>IMF HQ2 03B-838B Reshaping Public Finance Policy to Ensure Quality Public Services ActionAid, Eurodad, International Trade Union Confederation, Jubilee Debt Campaign UK</p>