

## PROGRAMME

**Tuesday, October 22, 2013**

15:00 – 18:00

*Joint meeting of the Second Committee and the Economic Social Council in cooperation with the UN-DESA Expert Group on the World Economy (Project LINK)*

*“Inequality, Growth and the Global Economic Outlook”*

*Co-Chairs:*

Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council, H.E. Mr. Ferit Hoxha (Albania)

Vice-Chair of the Second Committee, Ms. Oana Rebedea (Romania)

*Opening remarks:*

Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council

*Introductory remarks:*

Ms. Shamshad Akhtar, Assistant Secretary-General for Economic Development, Department of Economics and Social Affairs (DESA)

*Presentation (1):*

*“Inequality and Growth”*

Mr. Peter Pauly, Professor and Interim Dean, Rotman School of Management, University of Toronto, Canada

*General discussion*

*Presentation (2):*

*“LINK Global Economic Outlook”*

Mr. Pingfan Hong, Acting Director, Development Policy Analysis Division, DESA

*Discussants:*

Mr. Moazam Mahmood, Director, Economic and Labour Market Analysis Department, International Labour Organization

Mr. Dave Turner, Head, Macroeconomic Analysis Division, Economics Department, Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

*General discussion*

*Closing remarks:*

Vice-Chair of the Second Committee

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