

# ODA LEARNING SERIES 2020

## Webinar #1: Development Cooperation in/post COVID era



Thursday, 27 August 2020, 11.00 - 12.00 Istanbul time

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## “ SPEAKERS:



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Dr. Stephan Klingebiel is Director of UNDP Seoul Policy Centre. Before joining the Centre, he served as the Chair of the International and Transnational Cooperation research programme at the German Development Institute (Deutsches Institut für Entwicklungspolitik/DIE). He is Senior Lecturer at the University of Marburg, and has been a regular Visiting Professor at Stanford University, a visiting scholar at the Center on Democracy, Development, and the Rule of Law (CDDRL) at Stanford University, and guest researcher at the College of Humanities and Development Studies at the China Agricultural University (CAU) in Beijing.

### Sidney Leclercq

Mr. Sidney Leclercq is Policy analyst within the Foresight Outreach and policy Reform Unit in the Development Cooperation Directorate of the OECD. He leads the work of the Unit on Policy Reform for Development Cooperation. Sidney Leclercq holds a PhD in Political and Social Sciences from the Université libre de Bruxelles on international state building an development cooperation in the Great Lakes Region of Africa and a Master's Degree in European Studies (IEE-ULB). He was previously visiting fellow at the Université de Montréal and research fellow at the Université libre de Bruxelles and the Université catholique de Louvain. He was also part of the Belgian policy support research programmes ACROPOLIS (Academic Research Organization for Policy Support) on Aid effectiveness in fragile contexts and on Comprehensive approaches for development cooperation, and lectured in numerous universities including Sciences Po Lille, Université Saint-Louis – Bruxelles or Université de Liège.



### Sung-Il Son

Sung-Il Son, is the Director of the Program Strategy and Policy Planning Team, Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA). He joined KOICA in 2004 and recently finished serving as director of KOICA Uzbekistan Office.



## “ ABOUT THE EVENT:

The unprecedented health and socio-economic crises are expected to aggravate existing development challenges. At the opening webinar of this year's *ODA Learning Series*, co-organized by UNDP and OECD, we will:

- Explore ideas on what the future of development cooperation could look like;
- Analyze trends in international development cooperation in light of the COVID-19 pandemic;
- Discuss how development practitioners help countries respond to COVID-19 through the example of the Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA);
- Share experiences among new and emerging donors in the ECA region.

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