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Ensuring the sustainable management and stewardship of the deep seabed and its resources for the benefit of all humanity

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1pm-2:30pm NY time



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Background

The HLPF is the core UN platform for follow-up and review of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and its 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The 2021 session of the HLPF is taking place on 6-15 July 2021, under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council.

ISA is committed to the timely and effective achievement of the goals and targets of the 2030 Agenda through implementing the economic, social and environmental mandates assigned to it by UNCLOS and the 1994 Agreement. Such mandates include: (i) ensuring that activities in the Area are carried out for the benefit of humankind as a whole; (ii) ensuring effective protection for the marine environment and of human life with respect to activities in the Area; (iii) promoting and encouraging the conduct of marine scientific research in the Area; and (iv) promoting the effective participation of developing States in activities in the Area.











All 17 SDGs are relevant to the work of ISA, although it contributes more currently particularly to advance 11 of them.



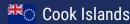




The Secretary-General of ISA has commissioned an independent report on the current and potential future contribution of ISA to the achievement of the 2030 Agenda.

The report is expected to be release at the end of July 2021. This side event organized on the margins of the HLPF aims to present the early findings of the report and highlight the key contributions of ISA towards the goals and targets set out by the 2030 Agenda.





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Agenda

Welcome address	
13:00 - 13:05	H.E. Mr. Michael W. Lodge, Secretary-General, ISA
Opening addresses	
13:05 - 13:10	Hon. Mark Brown, Prime Minister, Cook Islands
13:10 - 13:15	Mr. Miguel de Serpa Soares, UN Legal Counsel
•	tance of the Rule of Law in Ocean Governance to ensure the sustainable gement of the Area and its resources for the benefit of humankind
13:15 - 13:20	H.E. Mr. Burhan Gafoor, Permanent Representative of Singapore to the UN
13:20 - 13:25	H.E. Mrs. Vanessa Frazier, Permanent Representative of Malta to ISA and to the UN
	ritical importance of ongoing deep-sea research and science in ensuring the inable management of the Area and its resources
13:30 - 13:35	Hon. Mr. Song Sang Keun, Deputy Minister of Oceans and Fisheries, Republic of Korea
13:35 - 13:40	H.E. Mrs. Alison Stone Roofe, Permanent Representative of Jamaica to ISA
13:40 - 13:45	Mr. François Houillier, President, Institut Français de Recherche pour l'Exploitation de la Mer (Ifremer)
13:45 - 13:50	H.E. Mrs. Mathu Joyini, Permanent Representative of South Africa to the UN
Panel III Avenues to ensure that all financial and Other economic benefits can be shared equitably for the benefit of humanity	
13:50 - 13:55	Mr. Jens Frølich Holte, State Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Norway
13:55 - 14:00	H.E. Mr. Harold Adlai Agyeman, Permanent Representative of Ghana to the UN
14:00 - 14:05	Mr. Siosiua 'Utoikamanu, Member of the Legal and Technical Commission of ISA, Tonga
14:05 - 14:10	Dr. Gillian Davidson, Resolve
Interactive sessions	
14:10 - 14:25	All participants
Summary and conclusions	
14:25 - 14:30	H.E. Mr. Michael W. Lodge, Secretary-General, ISA