



“LEVERAGING THE BLUE ECONOMY AND ACCESSING FINANCE FOR CLIMATE CHANGE AND NATURAL DISASTERS”

Saturday, October 13, 2012, 9:15 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
Location: Tokyo International Forum (TIF), Hall B5

8:30- 9:15 *Breakfast Reception*

9:15- 9:30 **Welcome**
Hon. Faumuina Tiatia Faaolatane Liuga, Minister of Finance, Samoa

9:30-11:00 **Session I. Leveraging the Blue Economy**

Presenter:

- Juergen Voegelé, Director, The World Bank

Discussants:

- Hon. Tom Murdoch, Minister of Finance, Kiribati
- Hon. Pierre Laporte, Minister of Finance, Seychelles

11:00-11:15 *Coffee Break*

11:15-11:45 **Session II. Priorities for the World Bank Group**

Dr. Jim Yong Kim, President, The World Bank

11:45-1:00 **Session III. Access to Finance for Climate Change and Natural Disasters**

Presenters:

- Naoko Ishii, Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson, Global Environment Facility
- Rachel Kyte, Vice President, The World Bank

Discussants:

- Hon. Nazim V. Burke, Minister for Finance, Grenada
 - Hon. Rick Houenipwela, Minister of Finance, Solomon
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1:30 *Chairman’s Conclusion*