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**Agenda**

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10:00 **Welcome and introduction**
Moderated by: Ola Abu Al Ghaib, Manager, UN Partnership on Persons with Disabilities Fund (UNPRPD)

State Secretary Norway
Bjørg Sandkjær

President of IDA and EDF
Yannis Vardakastanis

Secretary General, Norwegian Federation of Organisations of Disabled People
Lilly Ann Elvestad

Deputy Director-General, Directorate General for International Partnerships, European Commission
Martin Seychell

10:15 **High level plenary discussion:** high level commitments
Moderated by: Catherine Naughton, Director, European Disability Forum

Regional Director, Europe and the Commonwealth of Independent States, UNDP Europe and Central Asia
Mirjana Spoljaric Egger

Regional Director, World Health Organisation, Regional Office for Europe
Hans Kluge

UNICEF Regional Director, Europe and Central Asia, and the Special Coordinator for the Refugee and Migrant Response in Europe
Afshan Khan

Assistant Director General, Regional Director for Europe and Central Asia, ILO
Heinz Koller

OHCHR Director, Field Cooperation and Technical Cooperation Division Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights
Christian Salazar

Head of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) Office for Europe
Jaroslaw Ponder

Director General, Directorate-General for European Civil Protection and Humanitarian Aid Operations, European Commission
Paraskevi Michou
National good practices as contribution to commitments
Moderated by Cathal Morgan, Technical Officer, Disability and Rehabilitation Health Services, World Health Organisation, Regional Office for Europe

Chairperson, Disabled People's Organisations Denmark (DPOD)
Thorkild Olesen

Executive Director, National Organization of Persons with Disabilities of Serbia
Ivanka Jovanović

Executive Director, International Rescue Committee (IRC) UK
Laura Kyrke-Smith

Deputy Minister of IDPs, Labour, Health and Social Affairs, Georgia
Tamila Barkalaia

Senior Adviser on Non-Discrimination and Disability Inclusion, Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Finland
Mina Mojtahedi

Advisor-commissioner of the President of Ukraine on a barrier-free society issues
Tatiana Lomakina

Chairman, State Agency on Medico-Social Expertise and Rehabilitation under the Ministry of Labour and Social Protection of Population, Azerbaijan
Anar Bayramov

Closing remarks

Secretary, European Disability Forum
Gunta Anca

Project Manager, Global Project Inclusion of Persons with Disabilities, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ)
Bernd Schramm