



Making the UN Development System Fit for Purpose to respond to the new Post-2015 Development Agenda

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My Responsibility/Role

My name is Anne Albrechtsen. I am the Chair of the New UNDG Advisory Group to Helen Clark, mainly for Fit for Purpose making the UN Development System Fit for Purpose to respond to the new Post-2015 development agenda.

Relevance to the operational work of the UN System

Come 1 January 2016, the UN has to **stand ready**, side by side with the member states, to support the implementation of this new agenda.



Fit for Purpose

- CEB, including HLCCM, HLCCP and UNDG, working together to rethink the vision for UN field operations.
- This vision will be turned into a set of transitional and truly transformative actions.

5 Driving Elements of Fit for Purpose

1. Universality
2. Integration
3. Human Rights
4. Equality
5. Data for Development



Universality

- No longer North and South, no longer North monitoring South
- Monitoring and accountability is a collective action
- Reach, relevance and voice of the UN everywhere in the world, and to all groups, to advocate for the agenda

Integration

- Social, economic and environmental pillars as basis of sustainable development
- All institutions, siloed around particular mandates, have to work better together
- Delivering as One as minimum for UN system to move forward
- Human rights, development and peace and security pillars of UN need to be brought together.



Human Rights

- Standing by human rights
- Moving forward Rights Up Front
- “Musketeer Spirit” when raising sensitive human rights issues



Equality

- Moving forward equality
- Taking tough stands with Governments to direct resource flows towards the most vulnerable

Data for Development

- Know where most vulnerable are to reach them
- Work together to ensure data is made available, transparent and shared
- Accountability to reach target groups



Expectations from UNCTs

- “We the people”: UN should remain accountable to the people it serves
- CEB stands behind Fit for Purpose agenda
- Standard Operating Procedures for Delivering as One is fundamental piece for accelerating change – but much more is required
- New spirit of working together around the world

