



## SIDE EVENT

*Fulfilling the promise  
of the Millennium  
Declaration:*

## **The MDG Achievement Fund experience**

**Wednesday**  
**25 September 2013**  
ECOSOC Chamber, 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm



Empowered lives.  
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On the occasion of the 68th Session of the United Nations General Assembly, the Permanent Mission of Spain to the United Nations and the United Nations Development Programme are honored to invite you to a side event. This event will showcase the results, success and mechanisms of the **Millennium Development Goals Achievement Fund (MDG-F)** ([www.mdgfund.org](http://www.mdgfund.org)), one of the largest, most comprehensive and collaborative development efforts devised to support MDG attainment.

The MDG-F's 130 joint programmes in 50 countries across the world have captured lessons which can inform the evolving post-2015 development agenda. We hope you can join the many MDG-F partners at this event.

The event will be available via livestreaming on [webtv.un.org](http://webtv.un.org) and [mdgfund.org](http://mdgfund.org).

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*The MDG-F has worked  
with 50 countries*

# Programme

- ▶ 17.30. Welcoming. Moderator: **Irina Bokova**, Director-General of UNESCO
- ▶ 17.40. The view from Member States: donor and participants
  - **Mariano Rajoy**, President of the Government of Spain
  - **María Ángela Holguín Cuéllar**, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Colombia
  - **Minister of Senegal**
- ▶ 18.00. Institutional video
- ▶ 18.05. The view from the UN System
  - **Helen Clark**, Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme and Chair of the United Nations Development Group
- ▶ 18.20. A Better Place song (<http://abetterplace.mdgfund.org/>) – with the attendance of **Playing for Change**'s band with musicians from 9 countries across the globe.

## LATIN AMERICAN AND THE CARIBBEAN



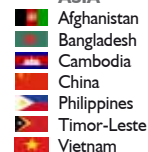
## AFRICA



## ARAB STATES



## ASIA



## EASTERN EUROPE

