

**EU EXPERT GROUP WITH MEMBER STATES
ON PRIVATE SECTOR DEVELOPMENT IN THIRD COUNTRIES
*Agenda***

**Meeting on Monday 22 April 2013
Centre Borschette room AB-4B, Rue Froissart 36, Brussels**

Time	Agenda Item	Purpose
14:00 - 14:30	<i>Registration of participants (and travel cost reimbursement)</i>	
14:30 - 14:40	1. Opening by Philippe Loop, Head of Unit DEVCO.C4	
14:40 - 14:45	2. Adoption of the agenda	Adoption
14:45 - 15:15	3. Debriefing and EU MSs' feedback from the Stakeholder Conference on the Evaluation of EU's support to PSD in Third Countries ¹ (NB: no additional presentation of evaluation results is foreseen in the afternoon)	Discussion of conclusions and recommendations of evaluation presented at the Stakeholder Conference in the morning of the same day
15:15 - 15:30	<i>Coffee break</i>	
15:30 - 17:00	4. Study on "Engaging the private sector in develop- ment and extending EU blending activities" a. Presentation of preliminary results and key issues identified from the study task on "Mapping of EU and non-EU multilateral and bilateral organisations' strategies and initiatives supporting partnerships with private sector" (by KommunalKredit Public Consulting) b. Short presentations of key issues and lessons learned from private-public collaboration programmes of MSs: - Sweden (Carolina Benedictsson) - Austria (Reinhold Gruber) - Germany: Responsible & Inclusive Business Hubs (Dr Johanna Speer) c. Next steps of the study	Information and discussion with a focus on sharing experiences of MS from implementation of their private-public collaboration strategies and programmes
17:00 - 17:15	5. Any other business	
17:15 - 17:30	6. Next meeting and closing remarks (15')	

¹ The Evaluation report can be found at
http://ec.europa.eu/europeaid/how/evaluation/evaluation_reports/2013/1317_docs_en.htm.