



# Launching the Agenda for Change

Increasing the impact of EU development policy and the future approach to budget support

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## Charlemagne Building

Rue de la loi 170

1000 Brussels

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- 14.00 – 14:30 Registration of participants and welcome coffee
- 14.30 – 14.40 Welcome and introduction to the event by the moderator  
**Erik Nyindu**, Editor in Chief, VoxAfrica
- 14:40 – 15.00 Increasing the impact of EU development policy and Budget Support: Presentation of the Communications by **Commissioner Andris Piebalgs**
- 15:00 – 15:10 Response by **Simon Maxwell**, Overseas Development Institute, UK
- 15:10 – 16:50 Open debate with contributions from the panel:
- § **John Rwangombwa**, Minister of Finance and Economic Planning, Rwanda
  - § **Filip Kaczmarek**, Member of the European Parliament, Poland
  - § **Helen Allotey**, Director, Ministry of Finance and Economic Planning, Ghana
  - § **Tamsyn Barton**, Director General, European Investment Bank
  - § **Núria Molina**, Director of European Network on Debt and Development
  - § **Commissioner Andris Piebalgs**
  - § **Simon Maxwell**, ODI, UK
- 16:50 – 17:00 Closing Remarks by Moderator

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