

United Nations Framework Convention on International Tax Cooperation SYMPOSIUM PROGRAM

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Saturday, August 8, 2026

11:00am-6.30pm (coffee available 10.30am; Reception 6.00pm)

Lester Pollack Center, Furman Hall, NYU School of Law, 245 Sullivan Street New York, NY ,10012
Hybrid (Chatham House rules)

Time	Topic	Chair	Speakers
Morning Coffee: 10:30am-11:00 am (30 minutes)			
11:00am– 11:15am	Introduction and Opening Remarks	Professor Miranda Stewart, NYU Mr. Ramy Youssef, Chair, Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee (TBC)	
11:15am- 12:30pm Panel 1	Workstream I: <i>The Convention and cross-cutting themes</i> <i>Drafting and governance, taxpayer and human rights, sustainability, administrative cooperation and transparency</i>	Prof. Miranda Stewart, NYU	Panelists • Mr Daniel Nuer, Co-Lead, Ghana • Prof. Philip Baker KC, Oxford University • Dr. Tatiana Falcao • Mr. Bhaskar Goswani, India • Dr. Lyla Latif, University of Nairobi • Prof. Eric Zolt, UCLA Facilitated discussion
Lunch 12:30pm-1:15pm (45 mins)			
1:15pm- 2:00pm Lecture	UNU-WIDER Study on the Economic Implications of Protocol 1	Prof. Diane Ring, BC	Presenters • Dr. Amina Ebrahim, UNU-WIDER • Dr. Mona Barake, UNU-WIDER Q&A

2:00pm-3:30pm Panel 2	Workstream II: <i>Protocol 1: Key issues for taxation of services; legal and economic implications</i>	Dr. Zach Pougá, NYU and EY	Panelists • Mr. Christophe Waerzeggers, IMF • Dr. Frederik Heitmuller, ICTD • Ms. Wanjiru Kiarie, Kenya • Dr. Luisa Scarcella, ICC • Mr. Kehinde Kajesomo, Nigeria • Dr. Amina Ebrahim, UNU-WIDER Facilitated discussion
Coffee Break 3:30 pm-4:00pm (30 minutes)			
4:00pm-5:30pm Panel 3	Workstream III: <i>Protocol 2 Dispute resolution; Key issues</i>	Prof. Steve Shay, BC	Panelists • Ms. Marlene Nembhard-Parker, Co-Lead, Jamaica • Mr. Michael Braun, Co-Lead, Germany • Ms. Josefina del Rosario Lago, International Institute for Sustainable Development • Mr. Lai, Jun Han, Singapore • ATAF (TBC) • Asst. Prof. Fernando Loayza Jordán, Washington & Lee Univ School of Law Facilitated discussion
5:30pm-6:00pm	Thanks, Closing remarks	Professor Miranda Stewart	
6:00pm – 6:30pm Reception , Lester Pollack Center			
6:30pm Speaker Dinner , Snow Dining Room, Level 4, Vanderbilt Hall, NYU Law School			