Tackling Corruption as an Obstacle to Development as Team Europe

Lunch seminar 3 March 2023

Swedish Permanent Representation to the EU, 30 Square de Meeûs, Brussels

11:30-11:45 Registration / Coffee

11:45-13:15 Seminar Moderated by Martin Roncercay, ECDPM.

- 11.45-11.55 Introduction and framing of the discussion
  Corruption as an obstacle to inclusive development in a broader perspective and potential for a renewed Team Europe approach. Findings from new ECDPM paper. Katja Sergejeff, ECDPM

- 11.55-12.00 VTC Message from Swedish Minister for International Development Cooperation and Foreign Trade, Mr. Johan Forssell

- 12.00-12.10 Key lessons from EU support to anti-corruption efforts in partner countries1. Ms Chiara Adamo, Acting Director, DG INTPA

- 12.10-12.30 Holistic approaches to anti-corruption at country level
  - Team Europe approach to tackling corruption. Klas Rasmussen, Senior Anti-Corruption Policy Specialist, Sida.
  - Team Europe seizing the opportunity for anti-corruption reform in Moldova and Zambia. Dr David Jackson, U4 Anti-Corruption Resource Center.

- 12.30-13.10 The way forward as Team Europe – Panel discussion with the audience: Chiara Adamo (COM) Klas Rasmusson (Sida), David Jackson (U4), Verena Zoppei (GIZ).
  - What should be the top three priorities for Team Europe to be more effective in tackling corruption as an obstacle to development?

- Closing remarks. Swedish Permanent Representation to the EU

13:15-14:00 Lunch sandwich and mingle

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1 Based on the recent Evaluation of the European Union support to rule of law and anticorruption in partner countries (2010-2021)