

Twelfth WTO Ministerial Conference (side event)

**Session title: International Support Measures (ISMs) for the Graduating LDCs:
Perspectives from South Asia**

Jointly organised by

*IISD, Citizen's Platform for SDGs, Bangladesh; SAWTEE, Nepal and Centre for Research on
Bhutanese Society, Bhutan*

To be held virtually on Thursday, December 2nd, 2021 from 12.00-1.15 pm (CET)

5.00-6.15 pm (Dhaka and Thimpu time), 4.45-6.00 pm (Kathmandu time)

Session Plan

Session timing: 1 hour 15 minutes (12.00-1.15 pm)

Moderator of the session: Dr. Debapriya Bhattacharya, Convenor, Citizen's Platform for SDGs, Bangladesh and Member, UN CDP (5 minutes)

Distinguished Panelists:

- Professor Mustafizur Rahman, Distinguished Fellow, Centre for Policy Dialogue (CPD), Bangladesh (Keynote Presentation; 17 minutes)
- Mr. Rabi Shanker Sainju, Executive Member, SAWTEE, Nepal (10 minutes)
- H.E Ambassador Mr. Sonam Tobden Rabgye, Centre for Research on Bhutanese Society, Bhutan (10 minutes)

Open Floor Discussion (Q/A): 20 Minutes

Concluding Remarks by the Moderator: 10 minutes