

Side event of the 74th session of the Executive Committee

Responding to situations of internal displacement from emergency to solutions

Moderated by Ms. Elizabeth Tan, Director, Division of International Protection, UNHCR

Speakers:

Mr. Sajjad Malik, Director, Division of Resilience and Solutions, UNHCR

Mr. Aliyu Tijani Ahmed, Federal Commissioner, National Commission for Refugees, Migrants and Internally Displaced Persons, Nigeria

Ms. Nyajima Gatloth, Internally Displaced Person Representative, South Sudan

Mr. Ibrahim Hassan, Executive Director, Marginalized Community Advocacy Network, Somalia

Ms. Caroline Sergeant, Senior Consultant, World Bank Group

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With over 71 million people internally displaced due to conflict and disasters, the challenges are immense, but so is our collective resolve to prevent, respond and find solutions to internal displacement. This side event will discuss the current global context and the role of UNHCR. It will provide different perspectives on responses across the continuum of emergency situations to pathways for solutions from the viewpoint of internally displaced persons, governments, development partners, civil society and the Office of the United Nations Office of the Special Advisor on Solutions to Internal Displacement.

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13:30-14:45

Palais des Nations, Room XXII

Refreshments will be served outside of the room prior to the event.

Interpretation in English and French will be available.

