



## A New Global Partnership Architecture: Catalyzing Action on the Post-2015 Development Agenda

Organized by the Permanent Mission of Romania to the UN and the Natural Resources Defense Council (NRDC)

**When: Tuesday, 10 December, 2013  
1:15 – 2:45 PM EST**

**Where: Trusteeship Council Chamber  
UN Headquarters, New York**

The world needs enhanced structures and cooperation to meet the opportunities and challenges of a rapidly changing, interconnected world. This timely event will examine the institutional architectures needed to meaningfully engage all stakeholders – including governments at all levels, the private sector, and civil society – in a “new global partnership” for transformative action on implementing the post-2015 development agenda. A panel of distinguished speakers – providing perspectives from national from the global north and south, local authorities, the private sector, civil society and the UN system – will initiate an interactive dialogue to explore the way forward in creating a results-oriented framework around the post-2015 development agenda that catalyzes partnerships and commitments to action.

The event will build upon NRDC’s recent [“Rio+20 to 2015: A New Architecture for a Sustainable New World”](#) Conference held at Yale University. Bringing together over 180 officials, academics, practitioners, and students, this conference examined the emerging architecture of non-globally negotiated commitments, partnerships and initiatives from all stakeholders that will be critical to the implementation of the new sustainable development agenda. At the side-event, NRDC will present its proposal for a new global partnership architecture that will help deliver meaningful results on the post-2015 development agenda.

### Speakers

***Moderator:*** Peter Lehner, Executive Director, Natural Resources Defense Council (NRDC)

- **H.E. Simona Miculescu**, Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of Romania to the UN
- **H.E. Tomas Christensen**, Senior Advisor for Partnerships, Executive Office of the Secretary-General of the United Nations
- **Dr. Yanuar Nugroho**, President’s Delivery Unit for Development Monitoring and Oversight, Republic of Indonesia
- **Jacob Scherr**, Director, Global Strategy and Advocacy, Natural Resources Defense Council (NRDC)
- **Maruxa Cardama**, Executive Project Coordinator, *Communitas Coalition for Sustainable Cities and Regions in the new UN Development Agenda*
- **Anastasia Thatcher**, Private Sector Engagement Lead, Accenture Development Partnerships