



# Private Sector Engagement Working Group

Meeting, 17 June 2025, Geneva

## Agenda

### Logistical information

Information on the overall schedule of the DCED Annual Meetings 16 – 19 June is [available online](#).

**Date and time:** Tuesday, 17 June 2025, 9:00-15:00 CET, with an additional DCED-wide exchange session from 15:00-17:00 CET

**Venue:** Geneva; venue details circulated to DCED members

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Time (CET) <i>Subject to change</i>	Topic	Lead
08:30	Optional tea and coffee on arrival	
08:45 – 09:20	<b>Welcome, round of introductions</b>	Tobias Zeller (Chair),
09:20-10:30	<b>An update on categories, instruments and lessons on effectiveness in PSE: Presentation and discussion with the German Institute for Development Evaluation (DEval)</b> This session will be based on DEval's new in-depth thematic report which consolidates insights from previous DEval evaluations and research on PSE (English version forthcoming).	Magdalena Orth (Senior Evaluator, Deval) and GIZ
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee break	
11:00-12:15	<b>Taking stock of PSE evidence – Presentation and discussion of 3ie's forthcoming, global PSE Evidence and Gap Map</b> GIZ has commissioned 3ie, the International Initiative for Impact Evaluation, to produce a holistic overview of rigorous evidence and research gaps related to PSE – including through traditional ODA but also emerging South-South cooperation and domestic efforts from individual L&MICs. This session will serve to present and discuss key findings from this effort.	3ie, GIZ

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12:15- 13:15	Lunch break – buffet style, at the venue	
13:15-14:00	<b>Important member updates, opportunity to discuss other work plan elements for the next year</b>	Tobias Zeller, Melina Heinrich-Fernandes (DCED Secretariat)
14:00-15:00	<b>Towards a shared Theory of Change on PSE – including ways to capture domestic benefits of PSE for donor countries</b> This session will explore how an overarching Theory of Change on PSE could look, based on common categories and instruments and intended results across agencies. As domestic pressures are rising to also capture and communicate benefits for donor country companies and economies, this session will also explore how this might be done – with inputs by GIZ, NL MoFA and FCDO, as well as next steps (as foreseen under the FY25-26 work plan).	Joint PSE WG and RM WG session, led by the DCED Secretariat with inputs by GIZ, NL MoFA and FCDO
15:00 – 15:30	Coffee break	
15:30-17:00	<b>Informal DCED-wide exchange on new priorities for PSD and the DCED emerging from the changing global aid context</b> - <i>Cross-Working Group session/ Open to all members</i>	DCED Secretariat

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