



The Global South

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Panel discussion, report
launch with live stream

WHEN September 12 at 10.30 - 12.00

WHERE Bergen Global, CMI

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How can cooperation between the countries in the global south transform international development? And how can traditional donors like Norway contribute?

On the Programme:

- Jorge Chediek, Director of the UN Office for South-South Cooperation
- Jens Frølich Holte, State Secretary Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- Panel discussion with questions: South-South - Cooperation in Development Work:
 - Elling Tjønneland, Researcher CMI
 - Jon Wigum Dal, Director International Department, Haukeland University Hospital
 - Knowlden Juma Ochieng, Adviser, International Department, Red Cross Norway
 - Marit Bakken, Director of Programmes, Norec
 - Tale Kvalvaag, The Knowledge Bank, Norad

Launch of South-South in Action (2019), a report jointly produced by Norec and UN Office for South-South Cooperation. [The report will be handed out, but if you want a sneak peak, follow this link.](#)

The audience will have the opportunity to ask questions, comments and answers.

The event will be livestreamed at [CMIs YouTube Channel](#).

Background information:

In 1978, the UN established a unit with the purpose of promoting and financing development cooperation between countries in the global south. This form of development cooperation has proven to be efficient, building on existing competencies and resources in the global south. Many former low-income countries have reached the level of middle-income and are acting as both recipients of aid while at the same time being donors. Traditional donors in the global north have also contributed into this work through so-called Triangular Cooperation. In Norway, Norec is a main contributor, having facilitated some 100 projects since 2002 where volunteers and professionals are exchanged between cooperating institutions in countries of the global south.

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