



***Improving the Effectiveness of the PoA:  
Implementation Challenges and Opportunities***

**Wednesday, 20 October 2010, from 13:15 to 14:30  
Conference Room 4, United Nations, New York**

***13:15 – 13:20 Opening Remarks***

Dr Christiane Agboton-Johnson, Deputy-Director, United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research

***13:20 – 13:40 Presentation of the project: Aims and Objectives***

Ms Sarah Parker, Researcher, United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research

***13:40 – 13:50 Implementation challenges in Latin America***

Ms Maria Pía Devoto, Director, Asociación Para Políticas Publicas

***13:50 – 14:00 Implementation challenges and opportunities***

H.E. Mr Hellmut Hoffmann, Permanent Representative of Germany to the Conference on Disarmament

***14:00 – 14:30 Q&A and Moderated Discussion***

***14.30 End of Event***

**A sandwich lunch will be served at 13:00 in the West Delegates Lounge**