

SMALL STATES FORUM 2026: AGENDA

Registration opens	10:30 AM
Seating starts	11:00 AM
Group photo	11:30 – 11:32 AM
Welcome remarks by Hon. John Briceño , <i>Prime Minister of Belize, Small States Forum Chair</i>	11:32 – 11:37 AM
Opening remarks by Ms. Anna Bjerde , <i>Managing Director of Operations, World Bank</i>	11:37 – 11:42 AM
Presentation: Small States Strategy Implementation Ms. Gallina Vincelette , <i>Vice President, Operations Policy and Country Services, World Bank</i>	11:42 – 11:52 AM
Presentation: Small States as an Asset Class Mr. Junaid Kamal Ahmad , <i>Vice President, Operations, MIGA</i>	11:52 – 12:02 PM
Plenary discussion moderated by Hon. John Briceño	12:02 – 12:55 PM
Reading of the draft Communiqué by Hon. John Briceño	12:55 – 12:58 PM
Wrap-up and closing remarks by Mr. Sarvesh Suri , <i>Vice President, Asia & Pacific, IFC</i>	12:58 – 1:00 PM
Hot lunch will be served	1:00 PM