



## **SDG 1: Community-level adaptation practices to reduce disaster risk, build resilience and end poverty**

**14 November 13.15 – 14.45**  
**Arabian meeting room**

*This session focuses on disaster risk reduction, disaster risk management, adaptation and mitigation measures and how these actions can productively bring people out of poverty. During the discussion, panelists will bring examples of good practices that are contributing to achieving the SDG1 goal, including investments in early action and poverty reduction, and how to scale up community level action (such as safety nets and social protection). Participatory action, consultative processes and scaling up at national level will part of the discussion. The risks of how climate change affects the flow (in and out) of poverty would also be a focus of interest*

Panelists:

**Nina Gualinga**, Indigenous woman of Kichwa Community of Sarayaku, Ecuador

**Samuel Pohiva**, Secretary, Local Government and Community Development, Head of Tonga National Safety and Protection Cluster, Ministry of Internal Affairs, Tonga

**Sunya Orre**, Director of Technical Services at the National Drought Management Authority

**Prema Gopalan**, Director SSP India and global advisor on Community led Resilience to HC and Groots International, India

Moderator:

**Mary Robinson**, Special Envoy on El Niño and Climate

