

## SIDE EVENT TO THE HIGH-LEVEL POLITICAL FORUM ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

# STRENGTHENING NATIONAL CAPACITIES FOR THE WORLD WE WANT – EMBEDDING EVALUATION IN VOLUNTARY NATIONAL REVIEWS

**Online event, 14 July 2020, 1–2.30pm EDT**

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This side event will showcase and share experiences on the use of evaluative thinking and evidence in Voluntary National Reviews (VNRs) and further foster a dialogue on the importance of positioning evidence in 2030 Agenda follow-up and reporting. The ultimate aim will be to promote evidence-based policy and decision-making to accelerate progress towards the SDGs.

*English-French simultaneous interpretation will be provided.*



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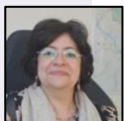
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