



UNGA 2019

During the opening week of the United Nations General Assembly (UNGA), BCIU traditionally hosts a series of programs with heads of state, cabinet ministers, and other senior government and multilateral officials from around the world. BCIU is proud to continue convening investor fora with leaders such as President Abdel Fattah el-Sisi of Egypt, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Phạm Bình Minh of Vietnam, and U.S. Secretary of Commerce Wilbur L. Ross. These gatherings underlie BCIU's mission of nearly 65 years: to facilitate global dialogue between the public and private sectors on issues of mutual concern.

This year we also aim to catalyze action in support of the UN's 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and the associated Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Our luncheon panel **"Accelerating Sustainable UHC: Improving Access to Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs) Care"** will address how Universal Health Coverage can be achieved through public-private partnerships focused on NCDs. We will discuss measures to accelerate progress toward inclusive economic growth during the **"Sustainability: SDG8 Partnerships Forum."** **"Getting to Net-Zero"** will focus on how policy, industry and finance must come together to achieve the net-zero carbon emissions goal by 2050.

Addressing global societal challenges will require greater cooperation and persistent dialogue, and BCIU looks forward to playing a continued role alongside our members, government, and multilateral partners in effectuating action in support of the SDGs. For more information on our UNGA calendar, please visit <https://bciu.zohobackstage.com/events>.

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