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As the designated representative of the Secretary-General, the Resident Coordinator (RC) leads the work of the UN system – currently with 17 active UN Agencies in Albania - in the implementation of the UN Programme of Cooperation for Sustainable Development 2017-2021, promoting EU integration and the acceleration of Agenda 2030. The RC leads the UN Country Team in consultation with the host Government, to agree and define on the UN’s strategic response to country’s priorities. On behalf of the UN system, the RC forges strategic partnerships with national and local authorities, development partners, civil society and private sector actors, among others, in pursuit of the Programme of Cooperation, Agenda 2030, the full realization of human rights, and leaving no one behind.

Rita provides substantive advice on innovative economic and SDG policies to the UN Resident Coordinator and UNCT, as well as to national counterparts in government and other relevant partners to inform the CCA, UNSDCF, joint programmes and system wide action for the 2030 Agenda. She plans, facilitates evidence-based Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) analysis in support of a shared understanding by the UN Country Team (UNCT) of sustainable development trends, challenges and opportunities in programme countries.

Azeta provides substantive support for the development and implementation of UN Country Team (UNCT) data and research strategies and assists in the development and expansion of strategic research and data partnerships. She coordinates inter-agency efforts in the monitoring, mid-year and yearly reporting of UNCT results and administers UN Info Albania.

Guri coordinates the UN joint Communications Team and contributes to strategy advocacy and programme communications in support of GOA- UN Programme of Cooperation for Sustainable Development 2017-2021. He assists in partnership building and media relations, provides substantive support for digital communications and supports publications and branding management.

Silvana ensures effective and efficient administrative and logistical support to the RC and efficient functioning of the RCO. She ensures provision of effective communications flow support to the RCO, scheduling to the RC and UNCT meetings.

Osman provides reliable and safe driving services to the UN Resident Coordinator and RCO staff, other high-ranking UN officials and visitors ensuring highest standards of discretion and integrity, sense of responsibility, excellent knowledge of protocol and security issues.

The Partnerships and Development Finance Officer assists in providing substantive support for strategic planning for and coordination of UN Country Team (UNCT) partnerships. S/he participates in joint resource mobilization, analyses trends and provides substantive support on financing for development options, instruments and modalities to the RC and UN Country Team.

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