

# KGID 2025

## Green Growth: The Path to Sustainable Jobs

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### Day 1. Plenary Session

#### Session 1. Opening Ceremony: Korea-World Bank Partnership

##### Speaker Bios



##### **Juergen Voegelé, Planet Vice President, The World Bank**

Juergen Voegelé is Planet Vice President at the World Bank Group, where he leads global efforts on agriculture, climate change, environment, urban development, water, and related sectors. Since joining the Bank in 1991, he has held a range of leadership roles, including Senior Director for Agriculture and Global Director for Climate Change.

Dr. Voegelé also chairs the CGIAR System Council and co-chairs the World Economic Forum's Global Future Councils. He holds a Ph.D. in Agricultural Economics and a Master's in Agricultural Engineering from the University of Hohenheim, Germany.



##### **Sangbu Kim, Digital Vice President, The World Bank**

Sangbu Kim is Digital Vice President at the World Bank Group, bringing over 27 years of leadership experience across public and private sectors. He has held senior roles in the Republic of Korea's President's Office, where he led national ICT initiatives in e-government, broadband, digital literacy, cybersecurity, and trade policy, as well as in the Korean Communications Commission and Ministry of Information and Communication.

Sangbu's private sector experience includes serving as Director of Government Affairs & Public Policy for Consumer Products at Google Asia Pacific, and as Vice President for Corporate Strategy, Investment, and Partnerships at LG Uplus. A South Korean national, he holds a Master of Public Administration from Harvard Kennedy School and a Bachelor of Business Administration from Seoul National University.



##### **Jisung Moon, Director General, Development Finance Bureau, MOEF, Korea**

Jisung Moon is Director General for the Development Finance Bureau at Korea's Ministry of Economy and Finance (MOEF). He previously served as Deputy Director General for the International Finance Bureau, Co-Chair of the G20 International Financial Architecture Working Group, and led the 56th ADB Annual Meeting task force.

From 2019 to 2022, he was a Senior Economist at the World Bank, supporting Korea's green growth agenda and contributing to the *Macro-Financial Review*. At MOEF, he also served as Director of International Financial Policy and Foreign Exchange Market Divisions. Earlier roles include Assistant Secretary to the President for Economic and

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