

# Information for Development

***Mobilising Libraries in Asia-Pacific to Support UN Goals***

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The ability to access and apply information can be all too easily taken for granted. Yet it is arguably an essential development accelerator, enabling better decision-making from the individual to the government level. This seminar explores just some of the areas where information makes a difference, and Asia-Pacific's millions of libraries can help!

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