
Excellencies, distinguished delegates,

The guiding question for this high-level round table is profound: **How do the three pillars of social development—poverty eradication, full and productive employment, and social inclusion—truly reinforce one another?** We believe the answer is found not in theory, but in the successful practice of a holistic, interconnected model that begins with the most vulnerable: our children.

The work of the **Amitofo Care Centre (ACC)** across Africa serves as a powerful, living blueprint. For the **past 20 years**, ACC—founded by **Master Huili**—has built a successful, **self-sustaining human ecosystem**. **ACC does not offer fragmented aid**; it delivers an integrated solution designed to break the cycle of poverty.

This model first addresses **Poverty Eradication** and **Social Inclusion** simultaneously. By providing thousands of orphans and vulnerable children with a complete living environment—shelter, millions of meals annually, clean water, and medical care—ACC creates immediate stability and safety. This foundation of care is the bedrock of inclusion, transforming the most excluded into protected, valued individuals.

But critically, this stability is immediately leveraged into the third pillar: **Full and Productive Employment**. The **K-12 school for vulnerable children** is the engine of this long-term strategy. They teach the local syllabus alongside global skills, specifically **English and Mandarin languages**. This is a deliberate design to equip these young people with the competencies to secure **decent work** in a globalized world, ensuring permanent, generational poverty eradication.

The lesson for us all is clear: The most effective **course-correction** is to stop viewing these three pillars as separate targets. ACC's success proves that **stability, inclusion, and opportunity-focused education** must be delivered as one unified, holistic investment.

By supporting these integrated ecosystems, we are not just fulfilling the commitments of the **Doha Declaration** and the **Copenhagen Commitments**—we are actively advancing the social cohesion, inclusive social policies, and protection of children and youth mandated by the **Pact for the Future**.

Thank you.
