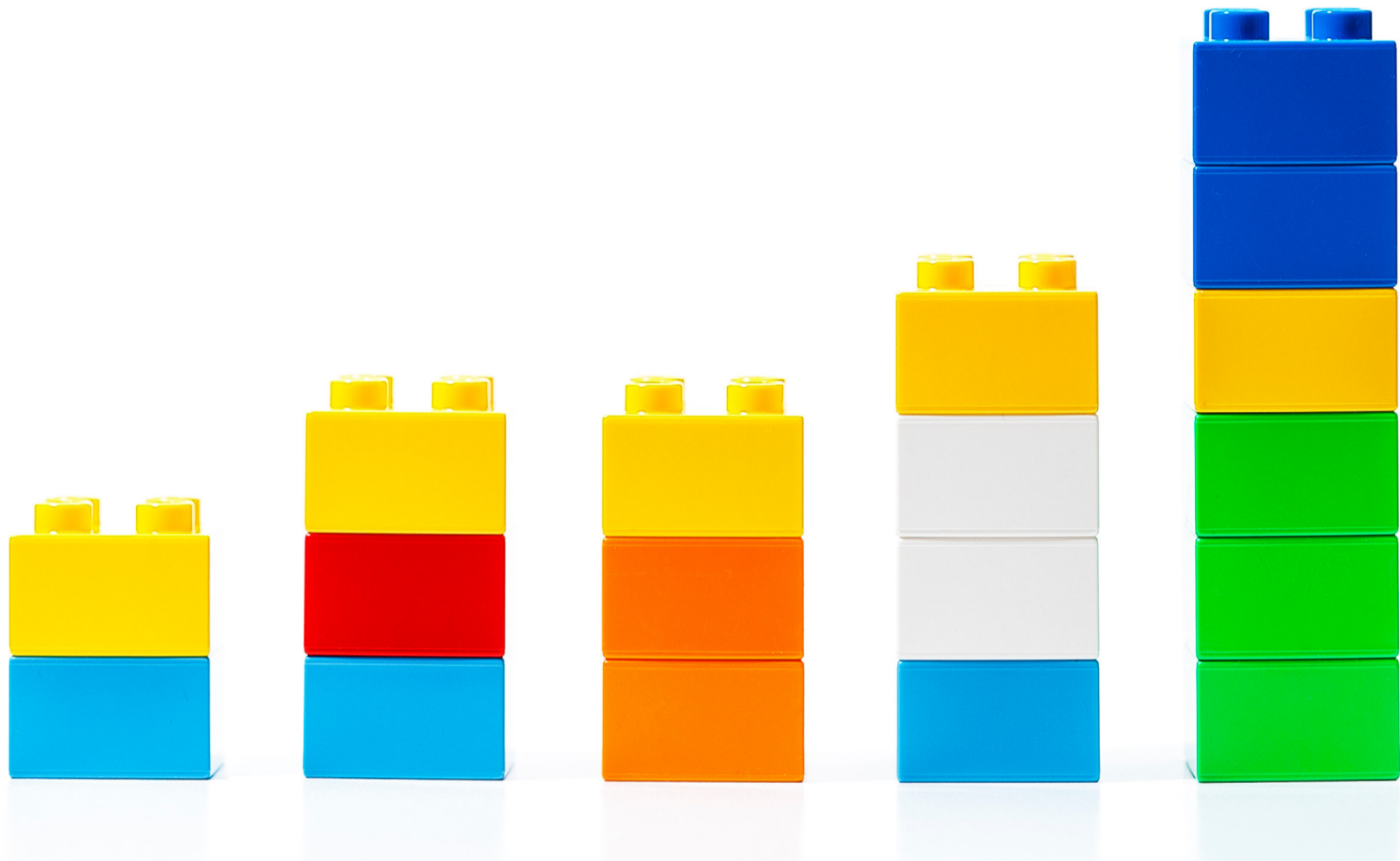


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# The Graduation Approach to Social Protection



**W**hat is “graduation” in the context of sustainable development? Not just a ceremony to celebrate finishing school, graduation is when rights-holders leave a social protection programme after reaching certain pre-determined indicators.

At this event, experts will discuss:

- whether or not graduation is compatible with a human rights-based approach to social protection;
- different contexts in which it is applicable, such as climate-change adapted contexts; and
- how it can be adapted to meet the needs of different groups, such as refugees and other displaced persons.

**27 June**

15:00-17:00

Room VIII, Palais des Nations

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