

## Pre-Conference Major Groups and other Stakeholders Forum

**Venue:** Tui Atua Tupua Tamasese Efi (TATTE) Convention Center - Apia, Samoa

**Preliminary Agenda** (subject to change):

28 AUGUST 2014	
TIME	PROGRAM / ACTIVITY
16:30 – 17:30	Arrival of participants, gathering at venue
17:30 – 17:35	Ecumenical prayer – Rev. Letaulau Pesaleli, EFKS Nu’u Fou
17:35 – 17:45	Opening address: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prime Minister of Samoa and Minister for NGOs, Hon PM. Tuilaepa Aiono Sailele Malielegaoi</li> <li>• Conference Secretary-General, Mr. Wu Hongbo</li> </ul>
17:45 – 18:00	Welcoming remarks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SUNGO President, Seumanuula Moana Clarke</li> <li>• EU delegate to the UN, Thibault Devanlay</li> </ul>
18:00 – 18:20	Introduction of Steering Committee and presentation of the agenda for August 29th
18:20 – 19:15	<i>Light refreshments for Forum participants</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Entertainment by Ms. Susanna Suisuiki, performing the traditional Toloa Bird Dance, as well as Jennifer Nilon and Peta Siulepa</li> </ul>
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TIME	PROGRAM / ACTIVITY
8:30 – 8:40	Welcoming remarks –Vaasilifiti Moelagi Jackson, SUNGO Vice President Initial prayer – Tarusila Bradburg, YWCA
8:40 – 8:50	Adoption of agenda, appointment of Drafting Committee and Rapporteurs – Noelene Nabulivou, WMG
8:50 – 9:10	Briefing on the SIDS Outcome Document and entry points for MGoS support with implementation and participation in the Conference – Beppe Lovoi, DESA/DSD
9:10 – 9:50	Integrating gender equality, indigenous rights and human rights advocacy into SIDS, the Beijing+20 review, the post-2015 sustainable development agenda and UNFCCC processes – Noelene Nabulivou and Roberto Borrero
9:50 – 10:30	Regional group discussions on priorities and partnerships – Emele Duituturaga (facilitator) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tools for designing a successful partnership</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Resource mobilization</li> <li>• Partnership accountability and trust</li> </ul>
<b>10:30 – 11:00</b>	<i>Coffee break</i>
<b>11:00 – 11:30</b>	Plenary feedback on regional priorities and partnerships arising from a review of the outcome document
<b>11:30 – 12:20</b>	<p>Introduction to thematic consultations and the role of Major Groups – Noelene Nabulivou and Emele Duituturaga (facilitator: Gordon Bispham)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What makes effective partnerships in SIDS, including how they are governed and monitored</li> <li>• Inter-linkages between thematic areas, including how cross cutting issues impact on the way partnerships are designed</li> </ul>
<b>12:20 – 12:30</b>	Introduction to session on thematic priorities and agreement on allocation of participants to each of the stations – Pamella Thomas and Bernadette Pereira
<b>12:30 – 13:30</b>	<i>Lunch</i>
<b>13:30 – 15:00</b>	<p>Breakout discussion on thematic priorities – participants to cluster into small groups (stations) based on key SIDS priorities/concerns</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Climate Change and DRR (lead discussant: Fiu Mataese Elisara)</li> <li>• Sustainable Economic Development (lead discussant: Gordon Bispham)</li> <li>• Social Development (lead discussants: Noelene Nabulivou and Ananda Trotman)</li> <li>• Sustainable Energy (lead discussant: Hemsing Hurrynag)</li> </ul>
<b>15:00 – 16:00</b>	<p>Plenary feedback on the breakout discussion – Shantal Munroe-Knight (facilitator)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identification of common issues across themes</li> <li>• Identification of any gaps in implementation of priority areas and existing partnerships</li> <li>• Consideration of whether different approaches are needed in partnerships across themes</li> <li>• Identification of potential partnerships involving Major Groups under each theme</li> </ul>
<b>16:00 – 16:15</b>	<i>Coffee break</i>
<b>16:15 - 17:00</b>	Advocacy Strategies/Options during the Conference and in the post-conference follow-up – Shantal Munroe-Knight
<b>17:00 – 17:15</b>	Presentation of SD2015 Advocacy Toolkits – Ian Fenn, Stakeholder Forum
<b>17:15 – 18:15</b>	Presentation and feedback on the draft Forum Outcome/Statement
<b>18:15 – 18:45</b>	Conclusions and formal closing
<b>18:45 – 20:30</b>	<p><i>Cocktails with invitees to present outcome document</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CSO singer Shirley Tagi from Fiji, with multimedia photo presentations</li> <li>• Indigenous song by Roberto Borrero</li> </ul>