



High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development
under the auspices of ECOSOC

Theme: “Strengthening integration, implementation and review – the HLPF after 2015”

Wednesday, 1 July 2015¹

Trusteeship Council Chamber

10:00 am to 1:00 pm “The SAMOA Pathway: translating vision to action”

Moderator:

- H.E. Mr. Ronald Jean Jumeau, Ambassador for Climate Change and SIDS Issues, Seychelles

Panelists:

- Ms. Azeema Adam, Governor of Maldives Monetary Authority
- H.E. Mr. Aliioaiga Feturi Elisaia, Permanent Representative of Samoa to the UN
- Mr. Andrew Downes, Professor and Pro Vice-Chancellor, University Office of Planning and Development, University of the West Indies, Cave Hill Campus, Barbados
- Mr. Ben Glass, CEO, Altaeros Energies, Boston, USA

Lead discussants:

- Mr. Gustavo Fonseca, Director of Programs at the GEF
- Ms. Florence Pignolet-Tardan, Network of Regional Governments for Sustainable Development, La Reunion - France

3:00 pm – 5:00 pm “Reaching out to the world: Communicating the agenda”

Moderator:

- Ms. Cristina Gallach, Under-Secretary-General for Communications and Public Information

Panelists:

- H.E. Mr. Francis Lorenzo, Ambassador and Honorary President of South South News, Dominican Republic
- Mr. Grammenos Mastrojeni, Coordinator of environmentally sustainable development initiatives, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Italy
- Mr. Mitchell Toomey, Director of the Millennium Campaign
- Mr. David Droga, advertising executive and the founder of Droga5, Australia

Lead discussants:

- Ms. Edie Lederer, senior correspondent at the Associated Press
- Ms. Maria Melinda Ando, Asian-Pacific Resource and Research Centre for Women, Philippines
- Ms. Mary - Jane Ncube, Transparency International Zimbabwe, Zimbabwe

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm “Reaching out to the world: Training and learning for sustainable development”

Moderator:

- Mr. Jafar Javan, Director, UN System Staff College

¹ Delegations may send statements to <https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/contact> for online posting.

Panelists:

- H.E. Mr. Hans Winkler, Director, Diplomatic Academy of Vienna, Austria
- Mr. Romain Murenzi, former Rwandan Science Minister and Executive Director of The World Academy of Sciences
- Ms. Marianne Beisheim, senior researcher, Global Issues Division at Stiftung Wissenschaft und Politik, Germany

SD - Learning

Conference Room F

10:00 am to 1:00 pm **“Women’s Leadership Programme: Women’s Leadership for Sustainable Development”**

Ambassador Tania Dussey-Cavassini, Switzerland

Organizer: UNITAR with the support of UN Women

3:00 pm to 6:00 pm **“Introduction to innovation policy for developing countries”**

Ms. Adela Antic, Innovation, Entrepreneurship, Trade and Competitiveness

Organizer: The World Bank

Side Events

1:15 pm to 2:30 pm **“Human mobility in the context of the Post-2015 Development Agenda - Perspectives from the Global Forum on Migration and Development (GFMD)”**
(Conference Room 11)

Organizers: Global Forum on Migration and Development (GFMD) Support Team; International Organization for Migration

1:15 pm to 2:30 pm **“Transparency, Accountability and Participation: Building a Post-2015 Review Architecture that is Fit for Purpose”**
(Conference Room 7)

Organizers: Transparency, Accountability & Participation (TAP) Network; Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein to the UN

1:15 pm to 2:30 pm **“Integrating Three Levels of Accountability for a Robust and Effective Review Mechanism at HLPF”**
(Conference Room F)

Organizer: Centre for Community Economics and Development Consultants Society (CECOEDECON)

1:15 pm to 2:30 pm **“GSDR 2015: Highlights and Way Forward”**
(Conference Room 1)

Organizer: Division for Sustainable Development/UNDESA