

Multi-stakeholder Partnership Dialogues at the Third International Conference on Small Island Developing States

## Session 3: Social development in SIDS, Health and NCDs, youth and women

Savaii Partnerships Hall, Apia, Samoa | Tuesday, 2 September 2014, 3 - 6 PM

### Preliminary Programme



#### 3:00 pm - 3:20 pm - Opening

- 3:00 to 3:15 Opening remarks by the chair: Mr. Winston Dookeran, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Trinidad and Tobago
- 3:15 to 3:20 Remarks by Ms. Helen Clark, Administrator, UNDP

#### 3:20pm - 5.45 pm - Keynote Presentations & Interactive Partnership Dialogue

The session will include **key note presentations** by leading experts in the priority area sub-cluster with five minutes each.

Key note presentations would seek to maintain balance of speakers between:

- Pacific/AIMS/Caribbean SIDS regions
- Governmental/UN entities/Non-governmental

The session will be organized in three sub-clusters, moderated by Ambassador Yanerit Morgan, Deputy Permanent Representative of Mexico to the United Nations in New York

#### Social development in SIDS (3.20 - 4.05 pm)

- 3:20 to 3:25 Mr Ewen McDonald, Deputy-Secretary of the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade of Australia
- 3:25 to 3:30 Ms. Irina Bokova, Director General, UNESCO
- 3:30 to 3:35 Mr. Fuimaono Falefa Lima, Dean of Faculty of the School of Business and Entrepreneurship, National University of Samoa
- 3:35 to 4:05 **Interactive dialogue**/Q&A or presentation of partnership from the floor (3 min per participant)

### **Health and NCDs (4.05 pm – 4.55 pm)**

- 4:05 to 4:10 Hon Dr Leao Talalelei Tuitama Minister of Health, Independent State of Samoa
- 4:10 to 4:15 Mr Toomas Palu, Sector Manager of the Health, Nutrition and Population, World Bank South East Asia and Pacific Region
- 4:15 to 4:20 Dr Colin Tukuitonga, Director General of the Secretariat of the Pacific Community
- 4:20 to 4:55 **Interactive dialogue**/Q&A or presentation of partnerships from the floor (3 min per participant)

### **Youth and Women (4.55 pm – 5.45 pm)**

- 4:55 to 5:00 Minister from a Member State (TBC)
- 5:00 to 5:05 Mrs. Phumzile Mlanbo-Ngcka, Executive Director, UN Women
- 5:05 to 5:10 Ms. Noelene Nabulivou, Development Alternatives with Women for a New Era (DAWN) and SIDS focal point for the Women's major group (Fiji)
- 5:10 to 5:15 Ms Karuna Rana, SIDS Youth AIMS Hub and focal point for the Children and Youth major group (Mauritius)
- 5:15 to 5:45 **Interactive dialogue**/Q&A or presentation of partnerships from the floor (3 min per participant)

At the end of each key note presentation, participants are invited to an **Interactive Partnership Dialogue** among all stakeholders in reviewing existing successful partnerships, launching innovative partnerships, and foster discussion on key priorities for Small Island Developing States in the area of “*Social development in SIDS, Health and NCDs, youth and women*” and its sub-cluster.

Interventions from the floor on partnerships should be focus, succinct, limited to three minutes, and would seek to maintain balance between:

- New and existing partnerships
- Pacific/AIMS/Caribbean SIDS regions
- Governmental/UN entities/Non-governmental

### **5.45 pm – 6.00 pm – Closing**

Concluding remarks by the chair - Summarizing of session in form of set of **recommendations & opportunities** for SIDS in the priority area