



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

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

Friday, 26 June 2015

Trusteeship Council Chamber

10:00 am - 10:10 am Adoption of the provisional agenda of the HLPF

10:10 am - 10:45 am Opening plenary

Remarks by:

- H.E. Mr. Martin Sajdik, President of ECOSOC
- H.E. Mr. Rudolf Hundstorfer, Federal Minister for Labour, Social Affairs and Consumer Protection, Austria
- Mr. Wu Hongbo, UN Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs (message delivered by Mr. Thomas Gass, UN Assistant Secretary-General for Policy Coordination and Inter-Agency Affairs)

Representatives from major groups and other stakeholders:

- Mr. Kadir Topbaş, Mayor of Istanbul and President of UCLG, Turkey
- Ms. Frances Zainoeddin, Gray Panthers NY
- Mr. Hirotaka Koike, Japan Youth Platform for Post-2015

10:45 am – 1:00 pm “Shaping the world for 2030: From vision to transformative action”
(setting the stage)

Keynote:

- H.E. Mr. David Donoghue, Co-Facilitator of the negotiations on the post-2015 development agenda

Moderator:

- Mr. Henry Bonsu, International Broadcaster, Ghana

Panelists:

- H.E. Mr. Juan Manuel Gomez Robledo, Deputy Foreign Minister for Multilateral Affairs and Human Rights, Mexico
- H.E. Mr. David Donoghue, Co-Facilitator of the negotiations on the post-2015 development agenda
- Mr. Mayacine Camara, Director, Department of Planning and Economic Policies, Ministry of Economy, Finance and Planning of Senegal, and Chair of the African Regional Forum on Sustainable Development
- Mr. Babatunde Osotimehin, Executive Director of UNFPA

Lead discussant:

- Mr. Marwan Bishtawi, Associate Coordinator of the Pax Romana UN Advocacy Team in New York

3:00 pm – 6:00 pm

“The role of business in implementation”

- ECOSOC President: Key messages from ECOSOC Partnership Forum

Moderator:

- Ms. Amina Mohammed, Special Advisor to the UN Secretary-General on Post-2015 Development Planning

Panelists:

- Mr. Mark Moody-Stuart, Chairman, Foundation for the Global Compact
- Mr. Toshio Arima, Director and Executive Adviser to the Board, Fuji Xerox, Japan
- Mr. Jeff Seabright, Chief Sustainability Officer, Unilever, UK
- H.E. Mr. Jean-Francois R. Zinsou, Permanent Representative of Benin to the UN
- Ms. Annika Lindblom, Director for International Sustainable Development, Ministry of the Environment of Finland

Lead discussants:

- Mr. Francis Gurry, Director General of WIPO
- Mr. Diego Azzi, ITUC – International Trade Union Confederation, Brazil

SD - Learning

Conference Room 12

3:00 pm to 6:00 pm

“Economics of sustainable development through the practicality of partnerships”

Professor Patrick Paul Walsh, Ms. Sophie Matte

Organizer: University College Dublin (UCD), Ireland

Side Events

1:15 pm to 2:30 pm
(Conference Room 7)

HLPF for the Future We Want

Organizer: Division for Sustainable Development/UNDESA

1:15 pm to 2:30 pm
(Conference Room 11)

Civil Society Engagement and Participation in a Sustainable Development Era

Organizers: World Vision; International Disability Alliance; Amnesty International; CBM International; SOS Children’s Villages; Beyond 2015 Campaign

1:15 pm to 2:30 pm
(Conference Room F)

From MDGs to SDGs: Unfinished Agenda for Education in Emergencies

Organizers: Journalists and Writers Foundation; Peace Islands Institute; Kimse Yok Mu Association