



The Millenium Africa Programme

Africa Day 2001: Commemorating the 38th Anniversary of the Organization of African Unity (OAU)

Organized by the Africa Diplomatic Corps (ADC) and the United Nations University (UNU)

United Nations University, U Thant International Conference Hall (3F)
Tuesday, 22 May 2001

AGENDA

- 9:30~9:45 **Opening Remarks**
United Nations University - Professor Hans van Ginkel, Rector, UNU
Africa Diplomatic Corps - Ambassador Rachad Farah, Ambassador of Djibouti, and Dean, ADC
Government of Japan - Mr. Tatsuo Arima, Representative of the Government of Japan
- 9:45~10:15 **Keynote Lecture: H.E. Chief Olusegun Obasanjo, President of Nigeria**
- 10:15~10:45 Coffee Break
- 10:45~13:00 **Panel 1: An African Reading of the Millennium Africa Programme**
- 10:45~11:30 The Millennium Africa Programme (MAP) - An Overview and Strategic Reading
Algeria - Mr. M'hamed Achache and Mr. Rabah Hadid
Nigeria - Dr. P.D Cole and Mr. G.H. Bristol
South Africa - Dr. Mfundo Nkuhlu
- 11:30~11:50 Ambassador Ahmed Haggag, Special Advisor to the Foreign Minister for African Affairs, Egypt
- 11:50~12:10 Professor Ernest Aryeetey, University of Ghana
- 12:10~13:00 **Questions & Answers**
- 13:00~14:00 Lunch

14:00~16:00 **Panel 2: A Reading of the MAP by Africa's Partners**

14:00~14:20 United Nations Perspective - Ms. Yvette Stevens, Special Coordinator, UN OSCAL

14:20~14:40 European Perspective - Mr. Bernard Petit, Directorate for Development, European Commission

14:40~15:00 Japanese Perspective - Ambassador Shinsuke Horiuchi, Japan Institute of International Affairs

15:00~15:20 Perspective from the Private Sector - Mr. Noboru Hatakeyama, Chairman and CEO, JETRO

15:20~16:00 Questions & Answers

16:00~16:30 Coffee Break

16:30~17:30 **Panel 3: Conclusions and Input for the TICAD Ministerial Meeting**

16:30~17:00 Concluding Panel (5 minutes each)

Ambassador Alpha Oumar Rafiou Barry, Ambassador of Guinea

Ambassador Elly Elikunda Elineema Mtango, Ambassador of Tanzania

Ambassador Jean-Christian Obame, Ambassador of Gabon

Ambassador Shinsuke Horiuchi, Ambassador, Japan Institute of International Affairs

Professor Hans van Ginkel, Rector, UNU

Mr. Bernard Petit, Directorate for Development, European Union

17:00~17:25 Questions & Answers

17:25~17:30 Closing Remarks

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