

Africa-Asia University Dialogue for Basic Education Development Project

***Concluding Open Seminar:
Presentation and Discussion of Research Proposals
by four country team from Zambia, Madagascar, Burkina Faso and Nigeria.***

9 March 2007, 14.00-17.00
UN House, Tokyo, Japan, Reception Hall (2F)
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13.30 - 14.00 Registration

14.00 - 14.05 Welcoming remarks

- Hans van Ginkel, Rector, UNU
- Francisco Komlavi Seddoh, Adviser to the Rector on African issues

14.05 - 16.45 Presentation and Discussion of Research Proposals

Chair: Hans van Ginkel

Panel participants:

- Francisco Komlavi Seddoh
- John Clammer, Director, UNU International Course
- Lynn Thiesmeyer, Professor, Faculty of Environment and Information Studies, Keio University
- Brendan Barrett, Academic Programme Officer, UNU Online Learning
- Katsunori Suzuki, Senior Fellow, UNU-IAS, EfSD

Presentation by the Zambian Team on **“the Quality of Basic Education Provided by Rural Community Schools in the Northern Province of Zambia”**

Presentation by the Nigerian Team on **“Teacher Training Quality and Effectiveness in the context of Basic Education: a case study of the Federal College of Education, Kano state of Nigeria”**

Presentation by the Madagascar Team on **“Analysis of Factors Affecting Teaching Time in Primary Schools: a case study of the Local Education Authority (CISCO) of Toamasinall”**

Presentation by the Burkina Faso Team on **“Identifying and Analyzing Good Classroom Practices in Primary Schools: an Explanatory Study in Selected Grade 5 Classes (CM1), in Burkina Faso”**

16.45 - 17.00 Concluding Remarks by Francisco Komlavi Seddoh