

Public Symposium
“Climate Change and Education: UNESCO’s Role in the 2010s”
Featuring a keynote lecture by Mme Irina Bokova, Director-General, UNESCO

Date: 26 November 2010 (Friday), 10:00-12:00
Venue: United Nations University Headquarters Building, U Thant
International Conference Hall
Co-organizers: United Nations University (UNU)
Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan (MOFA)
Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology of
Japan (MEXT)
Japanese National Commission for UNESCO

10:00-10:10 Opening Remarks

Konrad Osterwalder, Rector, United Nations University

(MC: **Vesselin Popovski**, Senior Academic Programme Officer, UNU-
Institute for Sustainability and Peace (UNU-ISP))

10:10-10:50 Keynote Lecture

Irina Bokova, Director-General, United Nations Educational, Scientific and
Cultural Organization (UNESCO)

10:50–11:10 Questions and Answers

Moderated by: **Konrad Osterwalder**

11:10-11:40 Presentations

Moderated by: **Kazuhiko Takeuchi**, Vice-Rector, United Nations University

Won Jung Byun, Chief Coordinator, Regional Centre of Expertise on ESD
(RCE), Tongyeong, Republic of Korea, and Manager of RCE Tongyeong
Education Center and Eco-Park Project

Hirofumi Abe, Dean, Graduate School of Environmental Science and
Chair, UNITWIN-UNESCO Chair Programme in Research and Education for
Sustainable Development, Okayama University, Japan

11.40-12:00 Discussion

12.00 End.