

**UNU/UNESCO International Conference
and
Asia-Pacific Regional Launch of the Decade for Education for Sustainable Development
Sustaining the Future –
Globalization and Education for Sustainable Development**

Programme

(Draft, 30 May 2005)

Tuesday, 28 June 2005

Venue: Toyoda Auditorium, Nagoya University

9:30-10:30 Asia and the Pacific Regional Launch of the Decade of Education for Sustainable Development

Chair: Klaus TOEPFER, Executive Director, United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) or Shafqat KAKAKHEL, Executive Deputy Director, UNEP (to be confirmed)

- **Mary-Joy PIGOZZI, Director of Quality Education, UNESCO**
- Vice Minister for Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology of Japan (to be confirmed)
- Environment Minister from Southeast Asia (possibly Lao PDR)
- **Rob FENWICK, Director, Living Earth Ltd., New Zealand**
- **Kartikeya SARABHAI, Director, Centre for Environment Education - Nehru Foundation for Development, India**
- **Atsuko TERAZONO, AGS UT Student Community, University of Tokyo**
- **Sheldon SHAEFFER – Director, UNESCO Bangkok**

Public Symposium

10:45 -11:30 Opening remarks and introduction

- **Koïchiro MATSUURA, Director-General, UNESCO**
- **Hans VAN GINKEL, Rector, United Nations University**
- **N.N., Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan**
- **N.N., Ministry of the Environment of Japan**
- **Shin-ichi HIRANO, President, Nagoya University**

11:30-13:00 Keynote presentations

Chair: **Koïchiro MATSUURA, Director-General, UNESCO**

- **Mamoru MOHRI, Astronaut and Executive Director/CEO, National Museum of Emerging Science and Innovation**
- **Lidia R. Arthur BRITO, former Minister of Higher Education, Science and Technology of Mozambique**
- **Emil SALIM, University of Indonesia, Member of the United Nations High Level Advisory Board on Sustainable Development**

13:00-15:00 Lunch

15:00-18:00 Commentaries and panel discussion

Chair: **Hans VAN GINKEL, Rector, United Nations University**

- **Akito ARIMA, former Minister of Education, Japan**
- **Charles HOPKINS, Professor, York University, Canada; UNESCO and UNU Chair on Education for Sustainable Development**
- **Kwesi ANDAM, Vice-Chancellor, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Ghana**

Bold type indicates confirmed speakers. Speakers marked with an asterisk have been contacted by UNU.

- **Carl LINDBERG, Chairman, Swedish National Committee on Education for Sustainable Development; former Vice Minister of Education, Sweden**
- **Hisae NAKANISHI, Dean, Graduate School of International Development, Nagoya University**

Workshop

Wednesday, 29 June 2005

Venue:

Plenary Session: Multi-purpose Auditorium (Room 809), Graduate School of International Development, 8F

Working Group 1: Conference Room 1 (Room 807), Graduate School of International Development, 8F

Working Group 2: Conference Room (Room 702), Integrated Research Building, 7F

Working Group 3: Open Room (Room 701), Integrated Research Building, 7F

10:00-10:45 Opening and introduction

Opening remarks:

A.H. ZAKRI, Director, UNU-Institute of Advanced Studies (UNU-IAS)

Hans D'ORVILLE, Director, Bureau of Strategic Planning, UNESCO

Mr. Koji NAKANISHI, Director General, ACCU

Workshop structure and aims: Katsunori SUZUKI, Senior Fellow, UNU-IAS

10:45-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-13:00 Parallel working groups

1. *E-learning for Sustainable Development*

Chair:

Kimio UNO, Keio University

Rapporteur:

Gerard BRADY, UNU

Workshop presenters:

- **John FIEN, Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology**

- **Harald HOLT, Director, Global Virtual University (GVU)**

- **Keith WHEELER, World Conservation Union (IUCN)**

Commentator:

- **Brendan BARRETT, Academic Programme Officer, UNU**

- to be named, Nagoya University

2. *Local and Regional Initiatives on Education for Sustainable Development*

Chair:

Ryokichi HIRONO, Prof. Emeritus, Seikei University

Rapporteur:

Zinaida FADEEVA, UNU-IAS

Workshop presenters:

- **Rietje VAN DAM-MIERAS, Open University of the Netherlands/UNU**

- **Y. Bhg. Prof. Dato' Dzulkifli Abdul RAZAK, Vice Chancellor, Universiti Sains Malaysia**

- to be named, University of the South Pacific

Commentator:

- **Immanuel FREMPONG, Dean of Students, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Ghana**

- **Yoshiko TAKEUCHI, Board member of the Japanese Commission to Promote Education for Sustainable Development (ESD-J)**

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3. *Higher Education and Education for Sustainable Development*
Chair: **Georges HADDAD, Director, Division of Higher Education, UNESCO**
Rapporteur: **Sampreethy AIPANJIGULY, UNU-IAS**

Workshop presenters:

- **Goolam MOHAMEDBHAI, President, International Association of Universities (IAU)**
- **Rosalyn MCKEOWN, Director, Center for Geography and Environmental Education, University of Tennessee**
- **Kartikeya V. SARABHAI, Director, Centre for Environment Education, India**

Commentator: - **Shuichi NAKAYAMA, Hiroshima University**
- **Rick CLUGSTON, Director, Association of University Leaders for a Sustainable Future**

13:00-14:30 Lunch break

14:30-16:00 Parallel working groups (discussion continued)

16:00-16:30 Coffee break

16:30-18:00 Plenary session
Chair: Hans VAN GINKEL, Rector, UNU

Concluding Session of the Workshop (16:30-17:15)

- Reports of working groups
- Discussion of conclusions

Launch of “Regional Centres of Expertise” on Education for Sustainable Development (RCEs) (17:15-18:00)