



SPECIAL EVENT ON CYBERSECURITY AND DEVELOPMENT

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BIOGRAPHIES

Opening session



H.E. Mr. Lazarous Kapambwe was elected sixty-seventh President of the Economic and Social Council on 18 January 2011. Ambassador Kapambwe is currently the Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations in New York since 18 June 2007.

Mr. Kapambwe served as co-facilitator of the Ad-Hoc Open Ended Working Group of the General assembly on the Implementation of the Outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis in 2009-2010.

Prior to the United Nations, he served as Zambia's Ambassador to Ethiopia and the African Union, from June 2003 to June 2007. He was concurrently accredited as Ambassador of Zambia to Sudan, Yemen, Djibouti and Somalia. Before holding that post, he was Permanent Secretary of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs from 2002 to 2003, after serving as Deputy Permanent Secretary responsible for Asia, Africa and the Middle East from 2000 to 2002. He was the Director for Africa and Organization of African Unity Affairs from 1996 to 2000, after two months as Director for European Affairs from June to August 1996.

Mr. Kapambwe also held posts in Europe and the United States, as Counsellor and Deputy Chief of Mission at the Zambian Embassies in Bonn, Germany, from 1993 to 1996, and in Washington, D.C., from 1988 to 1993. He was Counsellor for Political Affairs at the Permanent Mission of Zambia to the United Nations from 1987 to 1988. Prior to bilateral and multilateral postings, Mr. Kapambwe held several posts in his Government.

During his career, Mr. Kapambwe represented Zambia in major multilateral and regional meetings of the United Nations, Organization of African Unity, African Union, Southern African Development Community (SADC), Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa (COMESA), Great Lakes region and the Intergovernmental Authority for Development (IGAD).

Born on 31 December 1959, Mr. Kapambwe, who is married, obtained a bachelor's degree in political economy from the University of Zambia, where he studied from 1977 to 1981. He has a post-graduate diploma in international relations from Nairobi University, Kenya, which he attended from 1985 to 1986, and received a certificate in contemporary American politics from New York University in May 1988.



Dr Hamadoun I. Touré, Secretary-General of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) since January 2007, was re-elected for a second four-year term in October 2010.

As Secretary-General, Dr Touré is committed to ITU's mission of connecting the world, and to helping achieve the Millennium Development Goals through harnessing the unique potential of Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs).

A long-standing champion of ICTs as a driver of social and economic development, Dr Touré previously served as Director of ITU's Telecommunication Development Bureau (BDT) from 1998-2006. In this role he placed considerable emphasis on implementing the outcomes of the World Summit on the Information Society (WSIS), launching projects based on partnerships with international organizations, governments, the private sector and civil society.

Prior to joining ITU, Dr Touré built a solid career in the satellite industry, serving as managing engineer at the Sulymanbougou II earth station in Mali before joining Intelsat's Assistance and Development Programme in 1985. He was appointed Intelsat's Group Director for Africa and the Middle East in 1994, earning a reputation as an energetic leader through his commitment to projects such as AFROSAT, AFSAT, PANAFTEL and RASCOM. In 1996 he joined ICO Global Communications as African Regional General Manager, spearheading ICO's activities across the African region.

A national of Mali, Dr Touré holds a Masters Degree in Electrical Engineering from the Technical Institute of Electronics and Telecommunications of Leningrad, and a PhD from the University of Electronics, Telecommunications and Informatics of Moscow. He is married with four children and two grandchildren, and is proficient in four official ITU languages: English, French, Russian and Spanish.



Honourable Undersecretary Fortunato de la Peña is currently Chair of the United Nations Commission on Science and Technology for Development. He earned his BS in Chemical Engineering and MS Industrial Engineering from University of the Philippines (UP) in Diliman. In 1989, he was appointed director of the Department of Science and Technology (DOST)'s Technology Application and Promotion Institute where he stayed for three years. In 1993 he went back to UP Diliman as vice president for planning and development on top of his work at the APEC Center for Technology Exchange and Training for Small and Medium Enterprises as interim executive director for two years.

His previous works included stints as ESSO operations engineer, UP research assistant, UP engineering professor, and was the first editor of the Philippine Engineering Journal. His colorful career brought him to top positions in various organizations such as former president of UP Alumni Engineers, Philippine Institute for Chemical Engineers, and Association of Management and Industrial Engineers of the Philippines; trustee of UP Engineering Research and Development Foundation, Small Enterprises Research and Development Foundation, and NEC Foundation; and former director of Entrepinoy Volunteers Foundation, and Philippine Technology Development Ventures.

The accumulated wealth of knowledge provided opportunities for him to participate and present papers in local and international conferences in the areas of e-governance, technology management, small and medium enterprises, and regional cooperation particularly on the Association of Southeast Asian Nations, Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation, and United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization. He also wrote articles on technology transfer, small and medium enterprises, policy development, and quality management practices.



Mr. Anthony V. Teelucksingh, Senior Counsel, Computer Crime and Intellectual Property Section, United State Department of Justice, Criminal Division

At the United States Department of Justice, Anthony V. Teelucksingh is part of a team responsible for the prosecution of network intrusions, computer attacks, and other violations of U.S. computer crime laws. He is also a special assistant United States attorney in the U.S. Attorney's Office in Baltimore, Maryland where he prosecutes computer crime and intellectual property crime cases. He is a frequent speaker, both domestically and internationally, on the issues of computer network security, criminal enforcement, and international cooperation.

Mr. Teelucksingh serves as the chair of the APEC Telecom Working Group's newly established expert group on cybercrime and has traveled to numerous countries and regional bodies around the world to advise legislators, prosecutors, and police on cybercrime and criminal investigations. He is also a member of the U. S. delegation to the UNODC's open-ended intergovernmental experts' group on cybercrime and is one of the selected subject matter experts for WEOG (Western Europe and Others Group).

In addition to more than 24 years of law practice, Mr. Teelucksingh also has a background in computer and internet security. He received his bachelor's degree in 1983 from the University of Pennsylvania; his law degree in 1987 from the University of Maryland; and a master's degree in information systems and technology, with a focus on network security, in 2002 from the Johns Hopkins University.



Ms. Cheri F. McGuire serves as VP of Global Government Affairs and Cybersecurity Policy where she leads a global team focused on cybersecurity, data integrity and privacy issues. She works extensively with industry and government, including serving as Chair of the IT Sector Coordinating Council - one of 18 critical sectors identified by the President and DHS to work with the government on CIP and cybersecurity matters. Prior to joining Symantec in 2010, she served as Director for Critical Infrastructure and Cybersecurity in Microsoft's Trustworthy Computing Group. Before joining Microsoft in 2008, she served at DHS where she led the National Cyber Security Division and US-CERT. Ms. McGuire also was a program manager for Booz Allen Hamilton, and a Congressional staffer. She holds an MBA and a BA.



Mohd Noor Amin
Chairman, Management Board,
IMPACT

As Chairman of the International Multilateral Partnership Against Cyber Threats (IMPACT), Mohd Noor Amin heads the world's largest United Nations backed public-private partnership against cyber threats.

Mr. Amin's role includes strategically guiding IMPACT and its affiliates – including international organisations with a stake in cybersecurity including the International Telecommunications Union (ITU) and governments of ITU-IMPACT's 193 Member States – in enhancing the global community's capacity to prevent, defend against and respond to cyber threats.

Mr. Amin has been instrumental in converging governments of partner countries, cybersecurity experts, academia, and industry players and leaders onto IMPACT's politically and commercially neutral platform, to escalate discussions and amplify measures on strengthening cybersecurity.

Mr. Amin is also Chairman of Ascendsys, Southeast Asia's leading managed security services organisation. Mr. Amin is also a founding member of the Malaysia-U.S. Friendship Council, which is headquartered in Washington D.C. It is a body established and sponsored by leading Malaysian companies to provide advice on matters relating to bilateral relationship between the two countries. Besides these roles, Mr. Amin is also appointed by the President of the Republic of Guatemala to serve as the nation's honorary envoy to Malaysia.

In previous capacities, Mr. Amin also served as personal legal counsel to two previous Malaysian Prime Ministers and served as general counsel to Malaysia's ruling party.

Mr. Amin is an English trained barrister and has been admitted to the English Bar at Gray's Inn and to the Malaysian Bar. Mr. Amin holds a Masters in Commercial and Corporate Law from King's College, University of London (U.K.).



Ms. Deborah Taylor Tate was nominated to the Federal Communications Commission by President George W. Bush on November 9, 2005 and unanimously confirmed by the United States Senate on December 21, 2005. She was sworn in as FCC Commissioner on January 3, 2006. On June 20, 2007, Ms. Tate was reappointed by President Bush to a full five-year term. Among her many responsibilities, Ms. Tate served as Chair of both the Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service (Universal Service Joint Board) and the Federal-State Joint Board on Jurisdictional Separations as well as the Federal Chair of the Federal-State Joint Conference on Advanced Telecommunications Services (706 Board).

At the time of her FCC appointment, Ms. Tate was serving a six-year term as a Chairman and director of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority. In that position, she was actively engaged in DC on both telecom and energy issues serving as Chairman of the Washington Action Committee for NARUC. Commissioner Tate also is a member of several bar associations and a Rule 31 Mediator.

Ms. Tate continues to consult with business, non-profits and other organizations regarding communications, broadband, media and technology issues. She is Co-Chair of the U.S. Healthy Media Commission (along with Geena Davis) and is an Adjunct Distinguished Fellow at the Free State Foundation and serves on the prestigious National Board for Minority and Media Telecommunications Council. She has participated in numerous publications through non-profits such as the Free State Foundation and the Aspen Institute, continues to keynote at conferences worldwide and also lectures at colleges and universities. Ms. Tate has remained an international voice for children serving on the Board of Common Sense Media and, in particular, advocates for on-line safety of children. She is currently the first ITU Special Envoy and 2009 Laureate for Child Online Protection.



Ms. Simone Monasebian is currently UNODC Representative and Chief of the New York Office of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC), which is tasked with promoting justice globally. Prior to her appointment with the UNODC, Ms. Monasebian served as Principal Defender of the Special Court for Sierra Leone. Before joining the Special Court, Ms. Monasebian was a Trial Attorney with the United Nations International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda ("ICTR"), Office of the Prosecutor, where she prosecuted war criminals in complex, multi-defendant cases pursuant to U.N. Security Council Resolution 955 (1994). She was one of the prosecutors responsible for the December 2003 landmark convictions of three media executives who fanned the flames of genocide in their newspaper and radio station. That case raised important

principles concerning the role of the media, which had not been addressed at the level of international criminal justice since Nuremberg. Ms. Monasebian has also served as Court TV's on air Legal Analyst for international criminal trials, and is an Adjunct Professor of International Criminal Law and Human Trafficking and the Law at Seton Hall Law School's Cairo and Zanzibar programs.



Mr. Gary Fowlie is Head of the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) Liaison Office to the United Nations. He has also been Chief of the Media Accreditation and Liaison Unit for the United Nations Department of Public Information since 2005. He began his career as a journalist for the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation and The Economist where his primary focus was technology. Prior to joining the International Telecommunication Union in 2001, Mr. Fowlie worked for Microsoft and the global consulting firm Hill & Knowlton. He has been responsible for developing the communications and media outreach strategy for the first World Summit on The Information Society.