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**Confronting the Diseases of Poverty to Meet the MDGs:
“Digital Health and African Development”
Interactive Roundtable**

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In cooperation with The Earth Institute at Columbia University, Global Business Coalition on HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria, Global Fund to Fight AIDS, TB and Malaria, Global Alliance on Improved Nutrition, GAVI Alliance, Global Alliance for TB Drug Development, African Medical and Research Foundation, International Business Leaders Forum, Commonwealth Business Council, African Business Roundtable, Oxford Health Alliance, The Rockefeller Foundation, United Nations Foundation

Draft Agenda

2.30-3.00 – Arrival and Registration

3.00-3.10 – Introductory Remarks by Co-Chair:

H.E. Cheick Sidi DIARRA, Under-Secretary General, Special Adviser on Africa & High Representative for Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States

H.E. Luis Gomes SAMBO, Regional Director for Africa, *World Health Organization*

Dr. Robert ORR, Assistant Secretary-General, Policy Coordination and Planning, *United Nations*

Dr. Mohan KAUL, Director-General & CEO, *Commonwealth Business Council*

3.10-3.25 - Opening Remarks:

H.E. Miguel D’ESCOTO BROCKMANN, President, General Assembly, *United Nations*

H.E. Dr. Asha Rose MIGIRO, Deputy-Secretary General, *United Nations*

H.E. Masahiko KOUMURA, Minister of Foreign Affairs, *Japan*

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3.25-4.20 – Roundtable Session 1 – Achieving the Health-related MDGs in Child Mortality, Maternal Health, & HIV/AIDS, TB, and Malaria

Opening Remarks:

H.E. Abdoulaye WADE, President, *Republic of Senegal*
Dr. Michel KAZATCHKINE, Executive Director, *Global Fund to Fight AIDS, TB & Malaria*
Joelle TANGUY, Managing Director, *Global Business Coalition on HIV/AIDS, TB & Malaria*

Roundtable Moderators

Denis GILHOOLY, Principal Adviser, *UN Office for Partnership*
Yunkap KWANKAM, Coordinator, eHealth, *World Health Organization*

4.20-5.15—Roundtable Session 2 – Addressing Climate Change and Health and Neglected Tropical Diseases

Opening Remarks:

H.E. Jakaya Mrisho KIKWETE, President, *Republic of Tanzania*, Chair, *African Union*
H.E Ann VENEMAN, Executive Director, *UNICEF*
Dr. Julian LOB-LEVYT, Executive Secretary, *GAVI Alliance*

Roundtable Moderators:

Denis GILHOOLY, Principal Adviser, *UN Office for Partnerships*
Yunkap KWANKAM, Coordinator, eHealth, *World Health Organization*

5.15-6.10 – Roundtable Session 3 – Combating the Crisis of Chronic Non-Communicable Disease

Opening Remarks:

H.E. Paul KAGAME, President of the Republic of Rwanda
Jay NAIDOO, Chairman, *Development Bank of Southern Africa*, Board Chairman, *Global Alliance on Improved Nutrition (GAIN)*
Dr. Tafida BAMANGA TURKU, Chairman, *NEPAD Business Group*, Executive President, *African Business Roundtable*

Roundtable Moderators:

Denis GILHOOLY, Principal Adviser, *UN Office for Partnerships*
Yunkap KWANKAM, Coordinator, eHealth, *World Health Organization*

6.10-6.30 – Next Steps

Prof. Jeffrey SACHS, Director, *The Earth Institute at Columbia University & Special Adviser to the United Nations Secretary General on the MDGs*
Dr. Judith RODIN, President, *The Rockefeller Foundation*
Mo IBRAHIM, Founder and Chair, *Celtel and Mo Ibrahim Foundation*

Wrap Up

Kathy Bushkin Calvin, Executive Vice President, *UN Foundation* and **Amir DOSSAL**, Executive Director, *United Nations Office for Partnerships*

6.30-8.00 – Reception at Japan Society and African Digital Health Awards

Invited Roundtable Participants:

Joseph ALHADEFF, Vice President, Global Policy, Chief Privacy Officer, *Oracle*

H.E. Aire B.B. ALI, Minister of Education and Culture, *Republic of Mozambique*

Iqbal Noor ALI, Chief Executive Officer, *Aga Khan Foundation*

Dr. Ala ALWAN Assistant Director-General, Noncommunicable Diseases & Mental Health, *World Health Organization*

Marc Van AMERINGEM, Executive Director, *Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition*

Tom ARNOLD, Chief Executive, *CONCERN*

Dr. Mike BAINBRIDGE, Clinical Architect, Connecting for Health, NHS, *UK*

Nancy BIRDSALL, President, *Center for Global Development*

Dr. Michael BIRT, National Bureau for Asian Research, Director, *Center for Health and Ageing*

Robert BLACK, Chairman, Department of International Health, *Bloomberg*

Renate BLOEM, President, *Conference of NGOS (CONGO)*

Olive BOLES, Director, Global Health, *International Business Leaders Forum (IBLF)*

David BOYD, Director, Global Public Affairs, *GE Healthcare*

Kathy BUSHKIN CALVIN, Executive Vice President & COO, *United Nations Foundation*

Dr. Seth BERKLEY, President and CEO, *International AIDS Vaccine Initiative (IAVI)*

Dr. Larry BRILLIANT, Executive Director, *Google.org*

Matt BROSS, Chief Technology Officer, *BT*

Karl BROWN, Associate Director, *The Rockefeller Foundation*

Sir William CASTELL, Chair, *The Wellcome Trust*

Ray CHAMBERS, *Special Envoy on Malaria to the United Nations Secretary-General*

Henry CHASIA, Executive Deputy Chairperson, *e-Africa Commission*

Dr. Lincoln CHEN, President, *China Medical Board*, Chair, *Global Health Workforce Alliance*

Lord Nigel CRISP, Chair, Crisp Review & Task Force on Education and Training, *GHWA*

Niels CHRISTIANSEN, Vice President, Public Affairs, *Nestle*

Dr. Carol DAHL, Director, Global Health Discovery, *Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation*

Prof. Dianne DAVIS, President, *International Council for Caring Communities*

Dr. Sally DAVIES, Director-General, Research & Development, Department of Health & National Health Service, *UK*

Dr. Eckhard DEUTSHER, Chair, *OECD/DAC*

Dr. Cheick Modibo DIARRA, Chairman for Africa, *Microsoft*

Jamir DRUMMOND, Executive Director, *DATA*

Andrew DUNNETT, Director, *Vodafone Group Foundation*

Christopher ELIAS, President, *PATH*

Dr. Carissa ETIENNE, Assistant Director-General, Health Systems & Services, *WHO*

Dr. Tim EVANS, Assistant Director-General, Information, Evidence and Research, *WHO*

Dr. Jonathan FANTON, President, *The John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation*

Gary FAZZINO, Senior Vice President, Government and Public Affairs, *HP*

Dr. Maria FREIRE, President & CEO, *Global Alliance for TB Drug Development*

Dr. Julio FRENK, Executive President, *Carso Health Institute*

Walter FUST, CEO & Director General, Global Humanitarian Forum

Chris GABRIEL, Chief Executive Officer, *Celtel*

John GAGE, Vice President and Chief Researcher, *Sun Microsystems*

H.E. Paulo Ivo GARRIDO, Minister of Health , Republic of *Mozambique*

Pramod GAUR, President, *Healthanywhere* , Chair, *American Telemedicine Association SIG*

Sir Chris GENT , Non-Executive Chairman, *GlaxoSmithKline*

Rob GLASER, Chairman & CEO, Real Networks

Dr. Tore GODAL, Special Adviser to the Prime Minister, *Norway*

Shona GRANT, Managing Director, *World Business Council for Sustainable Development*

H.E. Liu GUIJIN, Ambassador and Special Envoy on African Affairs, *China*

Dr. Geeta Rao GUPTA, President, *International Center for Research on Women*

Lee HARTWELL, President and Director, *Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center*

Patrick HAYFORD, Director, *United Nations Office of the Special Adviser on Africa (OSSA)*

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George KELL, Executive Director, *Global Compact*

Prof. Jakob KELLENBERGER, President, *International Committee of the Red Cross*

Dr. Grace KILIMUGOG, Head of HIV/AIDS, TB and Malaria, *African Union*

Stephen KING, Director, *BBC World Service Trust*

H.E. Masato KITERA, Ambassador, Personal Representative of the Prime Minister for Africa, Director General for African Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, *Japan*

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