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PROGRAMME
28 February 2011, 3:00 – 6:00 p.m. | United Nations Headquarters, New York

12.30–2.45 p.m.
REGISTRATION

3.00–3.30 p.m.
OPENING SESSION
Welcome address by H.E. Mr. Lazarous Kapambwe, President of ECOSOC
Opening address by H.E. Mr. Ban Ki-moon, Secretary-General of the United Nations
Setting the stage for the dialogues: Ms. Irina Bokova, Director-General, UNESCO.
Address by H.E. Ms. Michaëlle Jean, 27th Governor General of Canada and UNESCO Special Envoy for Haiti

3.30–4.30 p.m.
DIALOGUE ONE
STAYING THE COURSE: ENABLING GREATER ACCESS FOR GIRLS AND BOYS TO COMPLETE PRIMARY EDUCATION
Moderator: Ms. Daljit Dhaliwal, International News Journalist
Speakers: Mr. Matthew Bishop, American Business Editor and New York Bureau Chief, The Economist and co-Author, Philanthrocapitalism: How Giving Can Save the World
Ms. Wendy Hawkins, Executive Director, Intel Foundation
Mr. Twesigye Jackson Kaguri, co-Author, The Price of Stones: Building a School for my Village
First respondents: Ms. Dailah Nihot, Head of CSR Department, ING Group
Mr. Bob Prouty, Head, EFA-FTI Secretariat

4.30–5.30 p.m.
DIALOGUE TWO
PROMOTING EDUCATION AND TRAINING FOR TOMORROW'S ECONOMY
Moderator: Dr. J. Michael Adams, President, Fairleigh Dickinson University, and President-elect, International Association of University Presidents
Speakers: Ms. Jasmine Nahhas di Florio, Vice President, Education for Employment Foundation
Mr. Carlos Dominguez, Senior Vice-President, Cisco
Mr. S. Gopalakrishnan, CEO and Managing Director, Infosys Technologies
First respondents: Lord Michael Hastings, Global Head of Citizenship and Diversity, KPMG, UK
Ms. Lynne Patterson, Co-Founder and Director, Pro Mujer

SUMMARY OF DIALOGUES ONE AND TWO:
Mr. Saad Houry, Deputy Executive Director, UNICEF
5.30–6.00 p.m.
CLOSING SESSION: A CALL TO ACTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS of the launching of initiatives, moderated by Professor Jeffrey Sachs, Director, Earth Institute, Columbia University

ADDRESS by Ms. Petra Nemcova, Founder, Happy Hearts Fund

REMARKS by Mr. Sha Zukang, Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs

CLOSING REMARKS by H.E. Mr. Lazarous Kapambwe, President of ECOSOC

A reception, in honour of the United Nations Central Emergency Response Fund (CERF), will be held from 6:15 - 7:45 p.m. in the Visitors' Entrance Lobby of the General Assembly Building. The reception will be hosted by the President of ECOSOC, the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA) and the CEO of the Western Union.