

Partnering with the Philanthropic Community to promote

Education For All

28 February 2011

SPECIAL EVENT: PARTNERING WITH THE PHILANTHROPIC COMMUNITY TO PROMOTE EDUCATION FOR ALL
Organized by the United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), in collaboration with the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO), the United Nations Office for Partnerships (UNOP), and the Committee Encouraging Corporate Philanthropy (CECP)

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

