SPECIAL EVENT ON PHILANTHROPY AND
THE GLOBAL PUBLIC HEALTH AGENDA

23 February 2009, United Nations, New York
Trusteeship Chamber,
3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

PROGRAMME
3.00-3:30 p.m. **Opening session**: *Building effective public-private partnerships in health (Trusteeship Council)*

3:00-3:05 p.m. Welcome address by **H.E. Ms. Sylvie Lucas**, President of ECOSOC

3:05-3:10 p.m. Opening address by **H.E. Mr. Ban Ki-moon**, Secretary-General of the United Nations

3:10-3:25 p.m. Keynote CEO address by **Dr. Klaus Leisinger**, President and CEO, Novartis Foundation for Sustainable Development

3:25-3:30 p.m. Introduction of leadership dialogues:

**Mr. Sha Zukang**, Under-Secretary-General, United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs

3:30-5:25 p.m. **Leadership dialogues**

**A.** *Improving health outcomes of women and girls (Trusteeship Council)*:

**Moderator**: **Ms. Betsy Pisik**, *The Washington Times*

**Lead discussants**:
- **Mr. Saad Houry**, Deputy Executive Director, UNICEF
- **Ms. Purnima Mane**, Deputy Executive Director, UNFPA

**Panelists**:
- **Ms. Ann Starrs**, President, Family Care International and Co-Chair of the Partnership for Maternal, Newborn and Child Health (PMNCH)
- **Mr. Gary Cohen**, Executive Vice-President, Becton Dickinson
- **Dr. Julian Lob-Levyt**, Executive Director, GAVI Alliance
- **Ms. Jane Nelson**, Director, Senior Fellow and Director of the Corporate Social Responsibility Initiative, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University

**First respondents**:
- **Ms. Carol Adelman**, Director, Centre for Global Prosperity, Hudson Institute
- **Ms. Marianne Barner**, Head, IKEA Social Initiative
- **Ms. Judith Helzner**, Director, Population and Reproductive Health, John D and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation
- **Mr. Karim Khoja**, Chief Executive Officer, Roshan Telecom Development Company, Afghanistan

**B.** *Raising the profile of neglected tropical diseases (ECOSOC Chamber)*:

**Moderator**: **Mr. Matthew Bishop**, Chief Business Writer and US Business Editor, *The Economist*

**Lead discussants**:
- **Dr. Lorenzo Savioli**, Director, Department of Control of Neglected Tropical Diseases, WHO
- **Mr. Rakesh Nangia**, Director of Operations, Human Development Network, World Bank

**Panelists**:
- **Dr. Bernard Pecoul**, Executive Director, Drugs for Neglected Diseases Initiative
- **Mr. Richard Bagger**, Senior Vice-President, Worldwide Public Affairs and Policy, Pfizer
- **Dr. Jeffrey Sturchio**, Chairman, United States Corporate Council on Africa
- **Professor Anne Mills**, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine

**First respondents**:
- **Ms. Kari Stoever**, Managing Director, Global Network for Neglected Tropical Diseases, Sabin Vaccine Institute

5:30-6:00 p.m. **Closing session** *(Trusteeship Council)*

5:30-5:40 p.m. Key outcomes from break-out sessions:

**Mr. Amir Dossal**, Executive Director, United Nations Office for Partnerships

5:40-5:55 p.m. Closing keynote address by **President Bill Clinton**

5:55-6:00 p.m. Closing statement by **H.E. Ms. Sylvie Lucas**, President of ECOSOC

6:15-8:00 p.m. Reception hosted by the President of ECOSOC and sponsored by the Global Health Progress (GHP) and CARE in the Delegates' Dining Room *(by invitation only)*.