

**The Road to 2030: Eradicating poverty through  
 Sustainable Consumption and Production**

12 August 2016, 10:00am to 1:00pm  
 ECOSOC Chamber, United Nations Headquarters, New York

**EVENT PROGRAMME**

**10:00 – 10:40 AM**

**Opening Remarks**

- **Mr. Thomas Gass**, Assistant Secretary-General for Policy Coordination and Inter-Agency Affairs, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UN DESA)
- **Ms. Lakshmi Puri**, Deputy Executive Director, Intergovernmental Support and Strategic Partnerships Bureau, Assistant Secretary-General of the United Nations, UN WOMEN
- **H.E. Ambassador Luke Daunivalu**, Deputy Permanent Representative of the Permanent Mission of the Republic of Fiji to the United Nations
- **Mr. Arthur Amaya Andambi**, Minister Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Kenya to the United Nations
- **Mr. Ahmad Alhendawi**, Secretary-General's Envoy on Youth

**10:40 – 10:50 AM**

**Consumption and Production: An Overview**

**Ms. Nadira Angelina Hira**, Culture Writer and Author (Event Moderator)

**10:50 – 11:20 AM**

**Segment One**

- **Extraction:** **Ms. Avery Kelly**, Georgetown University Law Student (Fall of 2016) and former fellow with Sisters of Mercy (NGO), Mercy International Association: Global Action
- **Production:** **Mr. Jesse McElwain**, Sustainability Educator, Consultant, and Advisor

**11:20 – 11:30 AM**

**Creative Interlude**

**Mother's Cry** short poetry film, by filmmaker **Ms. Lisa Russell**  
**Mr. Savon Bartley**, Poet, Writer and Youth Mentor

**11:30 – 12:15 PM**

**Segment Two**

- **Consumption:** **Mr. Steve Lee**, Executive Director of FES (Foundation for Environmental Stewardship) and Founder of PassionExplorer
- **Disposal:** **Ms. Lauren Singer**, CEO of The Simply Co. and Founder of Trash is for Tossers
- **Innovation:** **Ms. Deepika Kurup**, Sophomore at Harvard, CEO and founder of Catalyst for World Water, 2015 Forbes' "30 Under 30: Energy"

**12:15 – 12:40 PM**

**Q&A Discussion**

**12:40 – 1:00 PM**

**Closing Remarks**

- **Ms. Daniela Bas**, Director, Division for Social Policy and Development, UN DESA (Video Message)
- **Ms. Nadira Angelina Hira**