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Conference room 1

PAN-AFRICAN YOUTH CONFERENCE AGENDA



The document presents the draft agenda for the Pan African Youth Conference scheduled for **19-20 April 2017** at the UNEP HQ Nairobi. The Joint Steering team of the convening organizations and the hosting partners share the document for recommendations and endorsement

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DAY 1 – Wednesday, 19th April 2015

Time	Session	Facilitator	Moderator
8:00 am – 9:00 am	Arrival and registration delegates	Conference secretariat	
9:00am - 9.30 am	<p>Opening Ceremony</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Opening Prayers ❖ Welcoming remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eng. Peter Kimori – CEC Nairobi County Government • Oliver Johnson – Deputy Director - Stockholm Environment Institute • Dr. Heinz Bongartz, Director- Friedrich Ebert Stiftung ❖ Official Opening: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Ms. Sicily Kariuki, Cabinet Secretary, Public Service, Youth and Gender Affairs (TBC) ➢ Mr. Ibrahim Thiaw Deputy Executive Director, UNEP ❖ Key Note Address and Official Opening <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Prof: Judi Wakhungu: Cabinet Secretary Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources 		<p>Damaris Mungai, Gender/Youth Portfolio/Programme Coordination Africa Office, UN Environment</p> <p>The moderator to give icebreaker 3min opening remarks that will provide the guiding principles for the speakers to do their opening remarks with focus to the theme of the conference and how they intend to support the outcome of the conference, sustain the conversation and implementation mechanisms under the policy framework.</p> <p>The speakers are expected to give in give their commitments, with focus to the theme of the conference and how they intend to support the outcome of the conference, sustain the conversation and implementation mechanisms under the policy framework. Further, reinvigorate the conference agenda to support in policy development and implementation frameworks.</p>
9.30 am – 10.00 am	Health Break and Photo Session		
10:00am-10.30 am	<p>Moderator: Prof. Abdouraman Bary</p> <p>Climate Setting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Unpacking hazardous chemicals and the role of Youth - Key Immerging Issues - Policy perspectives on the management of Hazardous chemicals and waste in cities coupling the 2030 agenda <p>Session Expectations</p> <p><i>The presenter is expected to bring out the issues affecting young people under the theme, the challenges and opportunities available in the sector mostly in the informal sector. The role of UN-IETC in this framework, Capacity development support, policy perspectives and opportunities available for youth engagement, partnerships and capacity development support.</i></p> <p>Emmanuel Ngore, Associate Programme Officer, UN Environment on behalf of the International Environmental Technology Centre (IETC) Japan</p>		

10.30am – 11.30 am	Plenum 1: The role of government, Private sector and development partners in Urbanisation and hazardous chemicals & waste management		
	<p>Session Expectations</p> <p>This session assesses and compares the ways in which various players/actors are engaging with actions under the conference theme, collaboration and partnerships focusing on youth engagement.</p> <p><i>Engagement is defined for the purposes of the session, as deliberate, systematic collaboration, according to national and regional priorities beyond individual mandates, interventions and programs.</i></p>	<p>Moderator Henry Ochieng, Chief Executive Officer, KARA Kenya</p>	<p>Panel Speaker:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Dr. Cyrille Siewe - UN-Environment, Office for Africa ➤ Dr. Alice Kaudia – Environment Secretary, State Department of Environment Kenya ➤ Michael Koech - Safaricom Kenya ➤ Douglas Ragan – Chief of the youth and Livelihoods Unit, UN- Habitat
11.30 am – 12:30 pm	Plenum 2: Case Studies -global perspectives on hazardous chemicals and Waste management		
	<p>Session Expectations</p> <p>This session seeks to perform a comparative analysis of compliance mechanisms in hazardous chemicals and waste management under different jurisdictions. It looks into response measures, challenges, opportunities and inter-linkages. Further, it provides an opportunity to access progress made so far in various countries and management frameworks.</p>	<p>Moderator: James Turing</p>	<p>Panelists Kenya – UN-Habitat - Nao Takeuchi -Mr. Omari – CEC, Kisii County</p> <p>Nigeria - Chief Product Officer, Creative5 and Co-Founder, Giving Garage</p> <p>3R and Resource Efficiency as the Basis for Moving Towards Zero Waste Societies: By UNCRD: Choudhury Rudra Charan Mohanty, Environment Programme Coordinator, UNCRD Anupam Khajuria, Researcher, UNCRD, (Skype Video presentation)</p>
12:30pm – 13:00pm	<p>Session Expectations:</p> <p>The session will provide a reflection on the UNEA3 2017, the role of youth in the UNEA3, opportunities available with focus on the role of youth engagement to the UNEA3 process. How is the conference theme aligned with the UNEA3 and finally how is the conference outcome feeding into the UNEA3 process.</p>	<p>Presentation : Lucy Mungai: Civil Society Unit, UN-Environment</p>	<p>Presentation 1: Presentation on the reflection and outlook to the 2017 Environment Assembly(Progress and Opportunities)</p>

1:00 pm – 2:00pm	Lunch Break		
2.00 pm - 3:00 pm	Plenum 3: Conversation with YOUTH on Environmental Pollution and Urban sustainability towards the United Nations Environmental Assembly (UNEA 3) 2017		
	<p>Session Expectations</p> <p>This session will assess the progress under the Paris Agreement and the Quito implantation Plan, commitments on the youth Agenda, challenges, opportunities and Way forward for youth in Africa</p>	<p>Moderator Robert Muthami, Programme Coordinator, Friedrich Ebert Stiftung.</p>	<p>Panelist Mr. Ibrahim Thiaw- Deputy Executive Director, UNEP Dr. Joan Clos - Executive Director of UN-Habitat</p>
3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Plenum 4: 6 (six) Break Out Session on Key thematic Areas		
	<p>Moderator:</p> <p>This break-away sessions will focus on:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Paris Agreement and Implementation of NDCs in Africa (How does Climate Change underpin Capacity development on Hazardous Chemicals and Waste management Stream) Ministry of Environment Kenya – Directorate of Climate change) Room 11 Dr. Pacifica 2. Reviewing the domestication of the three UN conventions on management of Hazardous Chemicals and waste in Africa (BRS) (UN-Environment-ROA) Room 1 Prof. Bary 3. Advancing Social Innovation that reduces Vulnerability of youth and Environment (UNESCO) Room 7 Mr. Lamin Abdul Rahman 4. Optimising Youth Demographic dividend to the Africa urban Agenda for Sustainability (UN-Habitat) Room 9 Douglas Ragan 5. “Citizen scientists” - Youth participation in Air Pollution monitoring (Case study Kenya) (Stockholm Environmental Institute & Muungano wa Wanaviji) Room 13 Sarah Odera 6. <p>Expectations: The breakout sessions are expected to discuss the themes with a view to demystify the role of youth in the theme actions, opportunities available, future perspectives and organizational role in the theme process and feeding into the development of the Action Plan</p>		
4.00 pm - 4.15pm	Closing of day 1 Health Break		

DAY 2: Thursday 20th April 2017

8:30 am -9:00am	Report and presentation from the Breakout session	Moderator: Orimbo John Paul	Rapportuers
9.00 am-9.25 am	<p>Session Expectation:</p> <p>The presenter is expected to bring out the issues affecting the youth, gender perspectives, health issues on handling, environmental concerns on management and future opportunities available under the theme with various stakeholders.</p>	<p>Presentation by: David Ombisi – Programme Officer, Regional Office for Africa, UN-Environment</p>	<p>Presentation on : Environment, health and gender nexus</p>
9:30am – 10:20am	<p>Plenum 5: Partnership for action on capacity development to spur Green Cities in Africa towards achieving sustainable development Goals</p>		
	<p>Session Expectations</p> <p>This session will focus on the concept of sustainable cities, joint actions to attaining green city objectives: the link between the natural and built environment, or between green and brown agendas. Discussions will be on these objectives and how they have been met in Africa.</p>	<p>Moderator</p> <p>Ester Muiruri Kenya - Red Cross</p>	<p>Panelists</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dr. John Chumo, Chair, County Executives caucus of Environment Kenya 2. Monica Asuna – Head, Aid Effectiveness Secretariat , Kenya 3. Benedict Muyale – Green Cities Initiative & YES representative in Kenya
10.20 am - 11.00 am	<p align="center">Health Break</p>		
11.00am - 11.45am	<p>Plenum 6: Implementation of urban sustainability dialogue: from Decision to Action 2030 Agenda for sustainability</p>		
	<p>Session Expectations</p> <p>The focus of this session is on participation and involvement as it relates to urban sustainability. It reviews forms of stakeholder participation in sustainable urban planning, the extent of participation in different parts of the world and political contexts as well as innovative approaches in this regard. Lessons from this session will be taken into account in identifying ways to enhance youth participation in urban sustainability agenda.</p>	<p>Moderator</p> <p>Benard Opa, National Land Commission of Kenya</p>	<p>Jaime Webbe- Chief, Environmental Education and Training Unit</p> <p>Nao Takeuchi - Urban Basic Services Branch UN-Habitat</p> <p>Eng. Peter Kimori – County Executive, Nairobi County</p> <p>Dr. Isaac Kalua – Chairman, Green Africa Foundation</p>

11:45am–12:20 am	<p>Session Expectations</p> <p>The presenter is expected to discuss on matters of technology and enterprise development under the theme that will enhance sustainability while creating employment opportunities. Innovations are catalysts to employment creation but how will we ensure the effects under theme are reduces through the social innovation aspects.</p>	<p>Presentation by: Dr. George Kosimbei : Director, Chandaria Innovation Centre</p> <p>Dr. Manu Chandaria</p>	<p>Presentation on: Social innovation and enterprise development for job creation</p> <p>Conversation on: Social innovation and enterprise development for Job Creation</p>
12:20pm - 13.00pm	<p>Plenum 7: Capacity development on implementation of waste management infrastructure and associated services for sustainability at local levels</p>		
	<p>Session Expectations</p> <p>This session focuses on the municipalities/ counties and their capacities to secure and deliver on effective, efficient and equitable waste management services.</p>	<p>Moderator</p> <p>Brian Waswala, Environmental Education and Training specialist</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Ester Njuguna, County Executive, Energy, Environment and Natural Resources, Kiambu ➤ Mamo Boru , D. Director, Environmental Education and Information, Nema-Kenya ➤ Remy Duhuze, Director, Director of Environmental Regulation and Pollution Control, REMA, Rwanda
13.00-14.00	<p>Lunch Break</p>		
14.00- 14.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Consolidation of key issues raised from the discussion and way forward by the Breakout Group Rapporteurs 		<p>Moderator: Brian Okoth</p>
14.30-15.00	<p>Presentation and Adoption of the Action plan and the Pan-African Youth Statement</p>		<p>Moderator: Jacob Olonde</p>
15.00-16.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Closing Remarks ➤ Presentation of Certificates to Youth Delegates 	<p>Moderator</p> <p>Poppins Misoi – Kenya Youth Empowerment Programme</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Frank Turyatunga, Deputy Regional Director, UN-Environment – Africa Office ➤ Lilian Omollo, PS-Principal Secretary Public Service and Youth Affairs ➤ Charles Sunkuli, PS- State Department Environment Kenya ➤ Haron Oichoe – Conference Coordinator
16.00	<p>Refreshments and departure</p>		