

**2015 UN-Water Annual International Zaragoza Conference. Water and Sustainable Development: From Vision to Action. 15-17 January 2015**

## **Agenda**

### **14<sup>th</sup> of January 2015 Pre-Conference Side Events and Technical Visits**

#### **Technical visits**

**Technical Visit: La Cartuja - Zaragoza's waste water treatment plan (English/Spanish)**

Time: 09:00-11:00

Meeting point: Etopía. Avda. Ciudad de Soria, 8. 50010 Zaragoza (opposite the AVE Train Station-Departures Gate/SALIDAS)

Convener: Veolia

Link: [http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/technical\\_visit\\_la\\_lacartuja\\_14\\_01\\_2015](http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/technical_visit_la_lacartuja_14_01_2015)

**Technical Visit: Expo + Water Park - walk to Expo (700 m. + 700 m. return) and take a touristic train (English/Spanish)**

Time: 12:00-14:00

Meeting point: Etopía. Avda. Ciudad de Soria, 8. 50010 Zaragoza

Convener: Zaragoza City Council

Link: [http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/technical\\_visit\\_expo2008\\_14\\_01\\_2015.shtml](http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/technical_visit_expo2008_14_01_2015.shtml)

**Technical Visit: The Ebro River Basin Authority and its Automatic System for Hydrological Information (SAIH) (English/Spanish)**

Time: 13:00-14:00

Meeting point: Confederación Hidrográfica del Ebro, Paseo de Sagasta 24, Zaragoza

Convener: Confederación Hidrográfica del Ebro

Link:

[http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side\\_event\\_ebro\\_system\\_hydrologic\\_information\\_14\\_01\\_2015.shtml](http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side_event_ebro_system_hydrologic_information_14_01_2015.shtml)

#### **Pre-Conference Side events**

**Side event: The fulfilment of the human right to water and sanitation (in Spanish)**

Time: 09:00-17:00

Place: Colegio de Abogados de Zaragoza (Zaragoza Bar Association), Don Jaime I, 18 Zaragoza  
Convener: Zaragoza Bar Association, the United Nations Office to Support the International Decade for Action "Water for Life", Professor Antonio Embid of the Universidad de Zaragoza, the Human Rights Office of the Spanish Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation, ONGAWA Engineering for Human Development, and Canal Foundation.

Link: [http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side\\_event\\_human\\_right\\_14\\_01\\_2015.shtml](http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side_event_human_right_14_01_2015.shtml)

**Side event: New Sources: Wastewater reuse in the sustainable management framework (in English)**

Time: 10:00-12:00,

Place: Etopía. Avda. Ciudad de Soria, 8. 50010 Zaragoza , Room 1

Convener: IMDEA Agua

Link: [http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side\\_event\\_water\\_reuse\\_14\\_01\\_2015.shtml](http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side_event_water_reuse_14_01_2015.shtml)

**Side event: Local level actions in decentralized water solidarity towards the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals (in English)**

Time: 12:00-14:00

Place: Etopía. Avda. Ciudad de Soria, 8. 50010 Zaragoza , Room 2

Convener: UNDP-Global Water Solidarity

Link: [http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side\\_event\\_global\\_water\\_solidarity\\_14\\_01\\_2015.shtml](http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side_event_global_water_solidarity_14_01_2015.shtml)

**Side event: Management and innovation in water and energy in Ibero-America (in Spanish)**

Time: 14:30-17:00

Place: Confederación Hidrográfica del Ebro, Paseo de Sagasta 24, Zaragoza

Convener: World Council of Civil Engineers, Fundación Aqueae, CODIA

Link:

[http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side\\_event\\_water\\_and\\_energy\\_14\\_01\\_2015.shtml](http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side_event_water_and_energy_14_01_2015.shtml)

**Side event: Water Footprint Assessment in support of sustainable development (in English)**

Time: 15:00-17:00

Place: Etopía. Avda. Ciudad de Soria, 8. 50010 Zaragoza , Room 2

Convener: the Water Footprint Network

Link: [http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side\\_event\\_water\\_footprint\\_14\\_01\\_2015.shtml](http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side_event_water_footprint_14_01_2015.shtml)

**Side event: The influence of recent technological advances and global water policy (in English)**

Time: 17:00-19:00

Place: Etopía. Avda. Ciudad de Soria, 8. 50010 Zaragoza

Convener: Abengoa and the Botin Foundation Water Observatory, Room 2

Link:

[http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side\\_event\\_science\\_and\\_technology\\_14\\_01\\_2015.shtml](http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side_event_science_and_technology_14_01_2015.shtml)

**Side event: “Cultivando Agua Boa” Program: Connecting Social Innovation Experiences in Water Management (in Spanish)**

Time: 17:00-19:00

Place: Confederación Hidrográfica del Ebro, Paseo de Sagasta 24, Zaragoza

Convener: ECODES and Itaipu Binational

Link: [http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side\\_event\\_agua\\_boa\\_14\\_01\\_2015.shtml](http://www.un.org/waterforlifedecade/waterandsustainabledevelopment2015/side_event_agua_boa_14_01_2015.shtml)

**20:00 Conference Welcome Reception offered by Itaipu binational – Hotel Tryp**

Words by Nelton Friedrich and Josefina Maestu

Video Agua Boa

**15<sup>th</sup> of January 2015**

## **Morning Special Regional sessions**

*(Main Auditorium Etopia Building, Avda. Ciudad de Soria, 8, opposite the AVE Train Station)*

### **09:00-10:30 Special Regional Session: Implementing the water related SDGs in the UNECE region**

**Convened by UNECE**

#### **Overview presentation**

Nataliya Nikiforova, UNECE

#### **Panelists**

Minna Hanski, Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, Finland

Luis Simas, ERSAR -Portuguese Water and Waste Services Regulation Authority, Portugal

Iskandar Abdullaev, Regional Environmental Center for Central Asia (CAREC), Asia

Raimund Mair, International Commission for the Protection of the Danube River, Austria

#### **Wrap up and Closing**

### **10:30-12:00 Special Regional Session: Achieving water security for Asia and the Pacific through sustainable water management**

**Co-convened by ESCAP and UNOSD**

#### **Chair**

Jong-Soo Yoon, United Nations Office for Sustainable Development, UN-DESA

#### **Overview presentation**

Hongpeng Liu, ESCAP, Asia

#### **Panel discussion**

Janya Trairat, Department of Water Resources, MONRE, Thailand

Rodora Gamboa, Maynilad Water Academy and Philippines Water Partnership, Philippines

Jong-Ho Ahn, Korea Environment Institute (KEI), Korea

Noppawan Boontham, Maejo University, Thailand

#### **Wrap up and closing**

Hongpeng Liu, ESCAP, Asia

### **09:00-12:00 Special Regional Session: Achieving sustainable water for all in Latin America and the Caribbean**

**Co convened by ECLAC, AECID and CAF**

*(at Confederacion Hidrografica del Ebro, Paseo de Sagasta, 24-26, 50006 Zaragoza)*

#### **Overview presentation**

Caridad Canales, ECLAC

Gonzalo de Castro, CAF

#### **Panelists**

Claudia Vargas, Universidad Mayor de San Andrés, La Paz, Bolivia

Carlos Narváez, American University, Nicaragua

William Carrasco, Expert consultant, Colombia

Diego Fernández, Valle de Colombia University, Colombia

Pablo Lloret, FONAG, Ecuador

Franz Rojas, Expert consultant, Bolivia

Roberto Ramos, Puerto Rico State Secretary, Puerto Rico

#### **Wrap up and Closing**

Inmaculada Paniagua, AECID, Spain

## **12:00-13:00 Welcome Lunch and registration at the venue**

*(Main Hall Etopia Building, Avda. Ciudad de Soria, 8, opposite the AVE Train Station-Departures Gate/SALIDAS)*

## Plenary: Opening and Setting the Scene

### **13:00- 14:00 Formal opening – Auditorium of Etopia Building**

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**Chair:** Blanca Jimenez, UN-Water Vice Chair

#### **Welcome addresses**

- Welcome video by Michel Jarraud, UN-Water Chair
- Gonzalo Robles, Secretary General for Cooperation. Government of Spain, Spanish Representative in the Open Working Group- Views and expectations of the EU in relation to the water related SDGs. (tbc)
- Léo Heller, United Nations Special Rapporteur on the human right to safe drinking water and sanitation
- Major of Zaragoza, on the role of Local Governments and Agenda 21

### **14:00- 15:00 The water related Sustainable Development Goals and targets: Progress and Challenges. Interlinkages with other processes**

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- Michela Miletto, WWAP, Sustainable Development Challenges and opportunities
- Joakim Harlin, UNDP and coordinator of UN-Water Working Group on SDGs, the Water related Sustainable Development Goals
- Karin Lexen, SIWI, Interlinkages of the water related SDGs and other global processes

### **15:00-17:00 State of the Art on Implementation Challenges and Tools– Discussion openers and Questions**

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**Chair:** Josefina Maestu, Director/Coordinator UNW-DPAC

#### **Discussion Openers on Tools for implementation**

- Jose Gesti, UNICEF: Implementing the WASH related targets through Capacity Development and social instruments and the role of different stakeholders
- Aziza Akhmouch, OECD: Implementing the water related SDGs: Governance Challenges and Tools and the role of different stakeholders
- Xavier Leflaive, OECD: Implementing the water related SDGs Financing and economic instruments challenges and tools and the role of different stakeholders
- Elisa Tonda, UNEP: Implementing the water related SDGs: Technology challenges and tools and the role of different stakeholders

Response panel: Issues and questions on tools for key water related SDGs themes

- Jean Marc Faures, FAO: Implementation challenges and questions for new issues for Water Resources Management
- Nathalie André/Didier Allély, WHO: Implementation challenges and questions for new issues in WASH
- John Harding, UNISDR: Implementation challenges and questions for new issues on water related disasters
- Thomas Chiramba/David Coates, UNEP/CBO: Implementation challenges and questions for new issues on water quality and ecosystem's protection.

### **17:00-17:30 Coffee Break** (at main Hall outside of the Auditorium)

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### **17:30-18:30 Views on progress, best practices and lessons learnt during the International Decade for Action “Water for Life” 2005-2015**

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**Chair:** Felipe de la Morena, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Spain (tbc)

- Ursula Schaefer-Preuss, Chair at Global Water Partnership, on progress on stakeholder engagement during the decade
- Alice Bouman-Dentener, Women for Water Partnership, on progress and lessons learnt on Women engagement
- Gavin Power, CEO Water Mandate, on progress and lessons learnt on Business engagement.
- Barbara Anton, ICLEI, on progress, best practices and lessons learnt by Local Authorities during the decade

## **20:00 Major of Zaragoza's Welcome Reception**

at the Municipal Government Building, *City Center, Plaza del Pilar, Zaragoza (buses 34 or 51 at the train station- opposite arrivals- LLEGADAS)*

**16<sup>th</sup> of January –**

## **Stakeholder Parallel Sessions**

*Etopia Building, Avda. Ciudad de Soria, 8, opposite the AVE Train Station*

The Stakeholder Parallel Sessions for Business, Civil Society, Academia and Governments will take place simultaneously in different rooms.

### **08:30- 18:30 Business Contribution to the implementation of the Sustainable Development Objectives in Water**

**Coordinator:** Mai-Lan Han and Gavin Power, CEO Water Mandate

#### **08:30-09:00 Introduction to the day and the sessions**

Gavin Power – CEO Water Mandate

#### **09:00-11:00 Managing Extreme Events**

Session Convener: Paul Reig, World Resources Institute (WRI).

##### **Programme**

Overview presentation

- Paul Reig, World Resources Institute (WRI)

Panel discussion

- Finance : Katalin Solymosi, Structured and Corporate Finance Department Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)
- Capacity Development: Bert Share, Beer & Better World, UK
- Technology: Anja von der Ropp, World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)
- Governance: Gavin Power CEO water Mandate, Cate Lamb, Carbon Disclosure Project (CDP), Stuart Orr, WWF

Questions & Answers with participants

Wrap Up and Closing

#### **10:50 – 11:10: Coffee Break**

#### **11:10-13:00 Water Quality and Water Reuse**

Session Convener; Jack Moss, Aquafed

##### **Programme**

Overview Presentation

- Jack Moss, Aquafed

Panel discussion

- Brigitte Dittrich-Kraemer, BASF, Germany
- Dominique Gatel, Veolia, France
- Jordi Valls, Aguas Andinas, Santiago Chile

Questions & Answers with participants

Wrap Up and Closing

#### **14:00-16:00 Water and Sanitation Services - Human Rights to Water and Sanitation:**

Session Conveners: Mai Lan Ha, Water Mandate/Pacific Institute

##### **Programme**

Overview Presentation

- Mai-Lan Han, Water mandate/Pacific Institute

Panel discussion

- Financing: Samantha Hoe-Richardson, Anglo American (tbc)
- Capacity Development: Carlo Galli, Nestle, Switzerland
- Technology: Ignasi Fainé, Agbar, Spain
- Governance: Bimal Arora, CEO, Centre for Responsible Business

Questions & Answers with participants

Wrap Up and Closing

**15:50 – 16:10: Coffee Break**

**16:10-18:00 Water Scarcity - Water Resource Management**

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Session Conveners: Paul Reig (World Resources Institute, WRI) and John Matthews (Alliance for Global Water Adaptation, AGWA)

**Programme**

Overview Presentation

- John Matthews, AGWA

Panel discussion

- Capacity Development: Ross Hamilton, ICMM
- Technology: Arturo Buenaventura, Abengoa, Spain
- Governance: Michael Spencer, Alliance for Water Stewardship, Australia
- Financing: Justine Leigh-Bell, Climate Bonds, UK

Questions & Answers with participants

Wrap Up and Closing

**18:00-18:30 Wrap up and closing of the Day**

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- Reporter Financing: Jack Moss, Aquafed, France; Jordi Valls, Aguas Andinas, Chile
- Reporter Capacity Development: Ross Hamilton, ICMM
- Reporter Technology: Hans Goossens, Yara, Norway
- Reporter Governance: Michael Spencer, Alliance for Water Stewardship, Australia

## **08:30-18:30 Civil Society contribution to the implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals related to water**

**Convener:** Alice Bouman-Dentener (Women of Water Partnership, WfWP) and Bart Devos (World Youth Parliament for Water, WYPW)

### **08:30-09:00 Introduction to the day and the sessions**

Alice Bouman-Dentener (WfWP) and Bart Devos (WYPW)

### **09:00- 11:00 Civil Society and the Human Right to safe drinking water and sanitation**

**Session convener:** Alice Bouman (WfWP), Shauna Curry, CEO, Centre for Affordable Water and Sanitation Technology (CAWST), Canada

#### **Programme**

Overview presentation/Introduction

- Alice Bouman (WfWP)

Main Case Study

- Eliza Mngale, Tegemeo Women Group, Mweteni Village, Tanzania

Discussion Panel:

- Financing: Jerry Van Den Berge, EPSU, Belgium
- Capacity Development: Emma Anakhasyan, AWHHE, Armenia
- Technology: Antonia Lorenzo, BioAzul and Shauna Curry, CEO, CAWST, Canada
- Governance: Mary Rusimbi, Women Fund, Tanzania

### **11:00 – 13:00 Civil Society dealing with water scarcity and allocation**

**Session Convener:** Jonathan Lautze, International Water Management Institute (IWMI)

#### **Programme**

Overview presentation/Introduction

- Jonathan Lautze, IWMI

Main case study presentation

- Khin NiNi Thein, Secretary, Water Advisory Group, Member of the National Water Resources Committee of Myanmar, Ayeyarwady River Basin Research Organisation (ARBRO) as a pioneer RBO, Myanmar

Panellists

- Financing: Ohnmar Khaing, Coordinator of the Food Security Working Group, Myanmar
- Capacity Development: Swe Swe Aye, Chairperson of the Ayeyarwady River Basin Research Organisation (ARBRO)
- Technology: Khin Thein Htwe, Executive Director, Water Research and Training Centre (WRTC), Myanmar
- Governance: Soe Soe Tun, Water Mothers (WMs), Myanmar

### **14:00-16:00 Civil Society and water quality and protecting and preserving ecosystem services**

**Session Convener:** Stefano Barchiesi, International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN)

#### **Programme**

Overview Presentation

- Stefano Barchiesi, IUCN

Panelists

- Elisa Colom, Eje de Agua de Fundación Solar, Guatemala
- Maria Teresa Gutiérrez, ILO, branch EMP/INVEST
- Victor Viñuales/Cristina Monge, ECODES, Spain

### **16:00-18:00 Civil Society and Adaptive planning and management**

**Session Convener/s:** Bart Devos, World Youth Parliament for Water (WYPW) and Karin Lexen, Stockholm International Water Institute (SIWI), Sweden

## **Programme**

### Overview presentation/Introduction

- Karin Lexen, SIWI, Sweden

### Main case study:

- MHD Ali Al-Zein, Aga Khan Foundation, Syria

### Panelists

- Financing: Ilias Sawadogo, Young Water Solutions Initiative and Réseau des Jeunes pour le Développement Durable, Burkina Faso
- Capacity Development: Wasif Babar, University of Punjab, Pakistan
- Technology: Murray Biedler, Deep Blue Consultants, Belgium
- Governance: Lydia Cumiskey, Water Youth Network

## **18:00-18:30 International Experts Panel**

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- Jean-Bosco Bazie, Eau Vive Internationale
- Tobias Schmidt, Waterlex, Switzerland
- Nini Thein, Water Research Training Centre (WRTC), Myanmar
- Rudolph Cleveringa, Global Water Partnership (GWP)

### Reporters

- Governance: Rudolph Cleveringa, Global Water Partnership (GWP)
- Technology: Bart Devos, WYPW
- Financing and economic instruments: Tobias Schmidt, Waterlex, Switzerland
- Capacity Development: Alice Bouman-Dentener, WfWP

## **08:30-18:30 Academia contribution to the implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals related to water**

**Coordinators:** Sarantuyaa Zandaryaa, and Blanca Jimenez (UNESCO)

### **08:30-09:00 Introduction to the day and the sessions**

Sarantuyaa Zandaryaa and Blanca Jimenez (UNESCO)

### **09:00-11:00 Integrative and adaptive risk governance, management and monitoring for SDG implementation**

**Session Convener:** Claudia Pahl-Wostl, University of Osnabruck, Germany

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#### **Programme**

Overview presentation

- Janos Bogardi, University of Bonn, Germany – Adaptive and Integrated Risk Governance – a multi-level challenge for the SDG implementation process

Panel discussion

- Rick Lawford, Morgan State University, USA - Integrated Global Water Cycle Observations Community of Practice.
- Anik Bhaduri, University of Bonn, Germany - Global Water System Project
- Joyeeta Gupta, UNESCO IHE - Legal requirements for governing risks related to water security

Questions & Answers with participants

Wrap up and closing

### **11:00-13:00 Risk Assessments as a tool to improve water quality**

**Session Convener:** Joan B. Rose, Michigan State University

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#### **Programme**

Overview presentation

- Joan B. Rose, Michigan State University, USA - Overview of the Complexities of Water Quality in the Anthropocene, framework of analysis and tools to facilitate their implementation

Panel dialogue

- Financing: John Fawell, Independent consultant, UK
- Governance: Hung Nguyen, School of Public Health, Hanoi, Vietnam
- Technology: Rosina Girones Llop, University of Barcelona, Spain
- Capacity development: Maureen Taylor, University of Pretoria, South Africa

Questions & Answers with participants

Wrap up and closing

Reporter: Kyana Young, Michigan State University, USA

### **14:00 – 16:00 Tools for water resources management for a changeability context**

**Session Convener:** Colin Green, University of Middlesex, UK

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#### **Programme**

Overview presentation

- Colin Green, University of Middlesex, UK

Panel dialogue

- Capacity development: Dabo Guan, University of East Anglia, UK
- Governance: Elena Lopez-Gunn, Complutense University of Madrid, Spain
- Technology: Luis Garrote, Technical University of Madrid, Spain; Ruth Mathews, University of Twente, The Netherlands

Questions & Answers with participants

Wrap up and closing

## **16:00 – 18:00 Tools for WASH implementation**

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**Session Convener:** Jose Gesti, UNICEF

### **Programme**

Chair

- Jose Gesti, UNICEF

Overview presentation

- Agustí Pérez Foguet, Polytechnic University of Catalonia, Spain

Panel dialogue

- Ricard Gine, Polytechnic University of Catalonia, Spain
- Fabio Fussi, University of Milano-Bicocca, Italy
- John Chilton, International Association of Hydrogeologists, UK
- Mohamed Ahmed Mohamed, United Nations Support Base, United Nations
- Sharon Velasquez, University of Newcastle, UK

Questions & Answers with participants.

Wrap up and closing

## **18:00-18:30 International Experts Panel**

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- Reporter Financing: Colin Green, University of Middlesex, UK
- Reporter Capacity Development: Sarantuyaa Zandaryaa, UNESCO
- Reporter Technology: Luis Garrote, Technical University of Madrid, Spain
- Reporter Governance: Joan Rose, Michigan State University

## **08:30-18:30 Countries experiences to contribute to the Implementation of the Sustainable Development Goal related to Water**

Coordinator: Seleshi Bekele Awulachew, UN-DESA and Barbara Anton, ICLEI

### **08:30- 09:00 Introduction to the sessions of the day**

Barbara Anton (ICLEI)

### **09:00-11:00 Water Resources Management: Water scarcity on the rise**

**Session Conveners:** Tomas Sancho, World Council of Civil Engineers (WCCE) and Comisión Nacional del Agua (CONAGUA)

#### **Programme**

Overview presentation

- Tomas Sancho: President, WCCE

Panel Discussion

- Capacity Development: Htun Lwin Oo, Ministry of Transport, Myanmar
- Technology: Miguel Ángel Ródenas, Segura Water Authority, Spain
- Governance: Nelton Friedrich, Itaipu Binacional, Brazil; Maestro José Elías Chedid Abraham, Lerma Santiago Pacifico Water Authority – CONAGUA, Mexico

Questions & Answers

Wrap up and Closing: Victor Burguet and Denise Soares, Mexican Institute of Water Technology (IMTA), Mexico

### **11:00-13:00 Ways to realize the human rights to water and sanitation**

**Session Convener:** Andre Dzikus (UN-Habitat) and Sarah Reng-Ochekpe (Ministry of Water Resources, Nigeria)

#### **Programme**

Overview presentation

- Andre Dzikus, UN-Habitat
- Léo Heller, United Nations Special Rapporteur on the human right to safe drinking water and sanitation

Panel discussion

- Financing: Guy Hutton, Water and Sanitation Programme (WSP), World Bank
- Governance: Sarah Reng-Ochekpe, Ministry of Water Resources, Nigeria; Luis Simas, ERSAR, Portuguese Water and Waste Services Regulation Authority, Portugal
- Technology: Pirnazar Shodmonov, State Sanitary Epidemiological Surveillance Service, Tajikistan

Questions & Answers with participants

Wrap up and Closing

### **14:00-16:00 Risk Management in River Basins**

**Session Convener:** Niels Vlaanderen, Dutch Government

#### **Programme**

Overview presentation

- Niels Vlaanderen, Dutch Government

Panel discussion

- Raimund Mair, International Commission for the Protection of the Danube River
- Henk Ovink, U.S.A. Department of Housing and Urban Development
- Pedro Domaniczky, Director, Coordinación de Itaipu Binacional in Paraguay
- Mohamed Elrawady, CEDARE

Questions & Answers

Wrap up and Closing

### **16:00-18:00 Tools of implementation to deal with Water Quality: Governments' roles and**

**Session Conveners:** Jens Liebe, UN-Water Decade Programme on Capacity Development (UNW-DPC) and German Federal Institute of Hydrology

**Programme**

Facilitator: Jens Liebe, UNW-DPC

Overview presentation

- Johannes Cullmann, German Federal Institute of Hydrology (BfG), Germany

Panel discussion

- Governance: Rosa Huertas, Duero River Basin Authority, Spain
- Technology: Jong-Ho Ahn, Korea Environment Institute (KEI) Korea
- Capacity Development: Antonio Felix Domingues, Agência Nacional de Águas, Brazil
- Financing/Economic Instruments: Monica Scatasta, European Investment Bank, European Commission

Questions & Answers

Wrap up and Closing:

- Monica Scatasta, European Investment Bank, European Commission

**18:00-18:30 Wrap up of the day – inputs to the multi-stakeholder tables**

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- Reporter on Technology: Roger Falconer, President of IAHR
- Reporter on Governance: Victor Burguet and Denise Soares, Mexican Institute of Water Technology (IMTA), Mexico
- Reporter on Financing and Economic instruments: Monica Scatasta, European Investment Bank; Niels Vlaanderen, Dutch Government, The Netherlands
- Reporter on Capacity Development: Jens Liebe, UNW-DPC

## 08:30-18:30 Media and Communications Sessions

### 16 January, Morning 9.00 -11.00 hrs: Media session

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#### Discussion openers:

- The post-2015 agenda on water and sustainable development
- Rockaya Aidara, Water Supply & Sanitation Collaborative Council (WSSCC): Tools and sources for reporting on water and sustainable development

#### Media Roundtable: Role of media in communicating water and sustainable development issues.

- Reporting on water and sustainable development in Africa. Introduced and Facilitated by Frederick Mugira, Vision Group and Water Journalists Africa. With examples from:
  - Barbara Lopi, SADC Secretariat, Botswana
  - Fazila Dahall, Channel Africa – SABC, South Africa
  - Jimmy Okello, Radio Apac Ltd., Uganda
  - Obande Kate Eleyi, News Agency of Nigeria, Nigeria
  - Joyce Nyokabi Chimbi, African Women and Child Feature Service, Kenya
- Reporting on water and sustainable development in Asia. Introduced and Facilitated by Gareth George, United Nations Office to support the International Decade for Action 'Water for Life' 2005-2015. With examples from:
  - Saleem Shaikh, AlertNet Climate, Pakistan
  - Ranjita Biswas, Trans World Features, India
  - Marianne de Nazareth, St. Joseph's College (PG), India
  - Meenakshi Shedde, Freelance journalist, India
  - Mohammad Faridur Rahaman, Channel i, Bangladesh

#### Debate

### 16 January, Afternoon 15.00-16.00 hrs.: Communicators session

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#### Discussion openers:

- Water communication campaigns and lessons learned: an analysis of progress during the last 10 years. Céline Hervé-Bazin, Author of Water Communication, Analysis of strategies and campaigns from the water sector
- How do we communicate on water and sustainable development? Sören Bauer, PR Audit

#### Roundtable: Feedback and reflections of campaign organizers.

Facilitator: Rockaya Aidara, Water Supply & Sanitation Collaborative Council (WSSCC)

- UN campaigns and World Water Day 2015 communications campaign. Daniella Bostrom, UN-Water
- Developing our Communications Sustainability - Innovative tools and props. Kristine Bender, WATERisLIFE
- Improving the communication process between UN agencies and the local people. Divine Ntiokam, Founder, CSA Youth Network (Climate-Smart Agriculture Youth Network)

#### Debate

## 19:30 Visit to the Aljaferia Palace and welcome words by the President of the Regional Parliament

(20 minutes walk along the Ebro River)

**17<sup>th</sup> of January –**

*(Main Auditorium Etopia Building, Avda. Ciudad de Soria, 8, opposite the AVE Train Station)*

## **Plenary: Multi-stakeholder dialogue on tools for implementation of the water related Sustainable Development Goals**

### **09:00-10:00 Implementation challenges and Lessons on the main themes of the water related SDGs**

Chair: Joakim Harlin, UNDP, Coordinator of UN-Water Working Group on SDGs

Panelists

- Jose Gesti, UNICEF
- Jean Marc Faures, FAO
- John Harding, UNISDR
- Thomas Chiramba, UNEP and David Coates, CBD
- Hongpeng Liu, ESCAP
- Caridad Canales, UNECLAC
- Natalia Nikiforova, UNECE
- Nathalie André/Didier Allély, WHO

### **10:00-17:30 Key Tools and lessons learnt from implementation**

#### **10:00-11:30 Technology: Key Tools and Lessons Learnt from Implementation**

Chair and Facilitator: Elisa Tonda, UNEP and Christian Susan (UNIDO)

Panelists/Reporters from the parallel stakeholder sessions

- Governments: Roger Falconer, IAHR
- Civil Society: Bart Devos, WYPW
- Business: Hans Goossens, Yara, Norway
- Academia: Luis Garrote, Technical University of Madrid, Spain

Questions & Answers

Wrap up and final reflections on key tools and Lessons Learnt from Elisa Tonda, UNEP

#### **11:30-13:00 Financing and Economic Instruments; Key Tools and Lessons Learnt from Implementation**

Chair and Facilitator: Diego Rodriguez, World Bank and Xavier Leflaive, OECD

Panelists/Reporters from Stakeholder Sessions

- Governments: Monica Scattasa, European Investment Bank; Niels Vlaanderen, Dutch Government
- Civil Society: Tobias Schmidt, Waterlex
- Business: Jack Moss, Aquafed, France; Jordi Valls, Aguas Andinas, Chile
- Academia: Colin Green, University of Middlesex, UK

Questions & Answers

Wrap up and final reflections on key tools and Lessons Learnt from Diego Rodriguez, World Bank, Carlos Mario Gomez, University of Alcalá and Xavier Leflaive, OECD

**13:00-14:00 Lunch Break**

## **14:00-15:30 Governance: Key Tools and Lessons Learnt from Implementation**

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Chair and Facilitator: Aziza Akhmouch, OECD

Panelists/Reporters from Stakeholder Sessions

- Governments: Victor Burguet and Denise Soares, Mexican Institute of Water Technology (IMTA), Mexico
- Civil Society: Rudolph Cleveringa, GWP
- Business: Michael Spencer, Alliance for Water Stewardship, Australia
- Academia: Joan Rose, University of Michigan, USA

Questions & Answers

Wrap up and final reflections on key tools and Lessons Learnt from Aziza Akhmouch, OECD

## **15:30-17:00 Capacity Development – Key tools and Lessons Learnt from implementation**

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Chair and Facilitators: Kees Leendertse, CapNet UNDP

Panelists/Reporters from Stakeholder Sessions

- Governments: Jens Liebe, UNW-DPC
- Civil Society: Alice Bouman-Dentener, WfWP
- Business: Ross Hamilton, ICMM
- Academia: Sarantuyaa Zandaryaa, UNESCO

Questions & Answers

Wrap up and final reflections on key tools and Lessons Learnt

## **17:00-18:00 Key Messages and Final Wrap up**

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Facilitated by Joakim Harlim, UNDP

Panelists

Andre Dzikus (UN-Habitat), Kees Leendertse (CapNet UNDP), Aziza Akhmouch (OCDE), Diego Rodriguez (WB)/ Xavier Leflaive (OCDE), Elisa Tonda (UNEP), Christian Susan (UNIDO), Nathalie André and Didier Allély (WHO)/Jose Gesti (UNICEF), Jean Marc Faures (FAO), John Harding (UNISDR), Thomas Chiramba (UNEP), David Coates (CBD), Hongpeng Liu (ESCAP), Caridad Canales (UNECLAC), Natalia Nikiforova (UNECE)

## **18:00-18:30 Farewell and closing – the Way Forward**

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- Josefina Maestu, UNW-DPAC
- Daniella Bostrom, UN-Water, Lessons from Zaragoza for the World Water Day and the Way Forward
- Yoo Beom Sik, WWF Secretariat, Lessons from Zaragoza for the 7<sup>o</sup> World Water Forum and Roadmap
- Liana Ardiles, Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Environment, Spain