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ICT'S GOOD USE, ABUSE, REFUSE TOWARDS THE MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS

Evaluation of the role of ICTs at the midterm review of the MDG

18-20 March 2009

Wednesday 18 March, 2009 Plenary sessions

**European Parliament Office,
Milan**

Sala Pirelli - Palazzo delle Stelline - Corso Magenta, 59

UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS

Room 8, UN Plaza 1, New York

10.00 am **Opening session**

Stefania Craxi, Undersecretary of Foreign Affairs, Italy*
Stefano Cacciaguerra, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Italy
Manfredi Palmeri, President of the City Council of Milan

H.E. Ms. Sylvie Lucas, President of ECOSOC, Permanent Representative of Luxembourg
Haiyan Qian, Director, UNDESA-DPADM, UN
Sarbuland Khan, Executive Director, UN Global Alliance for ICT and Development
H.E. Amb. Giulio Terzi di Sant'Agata, Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of Italy to the UN*
Pierpaolo Saporito, President, OCCAM; Founder of the InfoPoverty World Conference

10.30 am **Session 1**

RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND FOOD SECURITY TOWARDS 2015

Chaired by: **H.E. Ambassador Zina Andrianarivelo Razafy**, Permanent Representative of Madagascar

SVILUPPO RURALE E SICUREZZA ALIMENTARE VERSO EXPO 2015

(videoconnected with the Sambaina Millennium Village)

Giampaolo Landi di Chiavenna, Councilor of Health, City of Milan
Maurizio Decina, Department of Electronics and Information, Politecnico di Milano
Andrea Ferrari, Councilor of Culture, City of Lodi
Eugenio Scanziani, Dean, Faculty of Veterinary, UniMI
Claudia Sorlini, Dean, Faculty of Agriculture, UniMI
Paolo Cortesi, DiPSA, University of Milan
Costantino Bolis, Hospital of Lodi
Giuseppe Bonelli, Head, Schools of Lodi

Scott Dulchavsky, Project Coordinator, NASA, AIUM - WINFOCUS
Daniele Trincherò, iXemLabs, Department of Electronics, Politecnico di Torino
Cheryl Morden, Director, IFAD – New York Office*

2.30 pm - 6.00 pm **Workshops**

HEALTH, EDUCATION, CLIMATE CHANGES, AND FAITH-BASED INITIATIVES

Chaired by: **John E. Steffens**, Assistant Vice Provost, Emeritus, Infopoverty Institute

Stijn van der Krogt, Director, Country programmes, IICD; **Joshua Silver**, Director, Centre for Vision in the Developing World, University of Oxford; **Mark Rogers**, the Clapham Group; **Terri Hasdorff**, Director, Washington Office - Food for the Poor, USAID; **Ramòn A. Alonso Beato**, Dean, Universidad Católica Santo Domingo; **Mack McCarter**, Founder and Coordinator, Community Renewal international; **Doug Reid-Green**, BASF Corp.; **Adele Smithers**, President, Smithers Foundation; **Mr. Tariq Banuri**, Director, UNDESA – Division for Sustainable Development*; **Larry Smith**, Director Saddleback Nationwide Initiatives; **Nasir Mogul**, Founding Chairman DIEAH; **Lira Samykbaeva**, Kyrgyzstan Telecenter e-Health Project; **Canan Sandikcioglu**, Director International Projects, METU Technopolis; **Mario Bernardo Garnero**, Vice President, Grupo Brasilinvest; **Julio Volotao**, Director, Grupo Ecorodovias; **Frank Minaya y Willmore**, President and CEO, Samana College/University Center, DR; **David Neely**, Leadership Baptist Global Response; **Dale Neill**, President and CEO, ICC Global Trade Centre.

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PARALLEL SESSIONS

10.00 am **Second Session**

3.00 pm

GLOBAL SCENARIOS: CHALLENGES AND OBSTACLES TO ICT4D PROGRAMMES

PARIS (UNESCO Seat)

Chaired by: Vice-President of ECOSOC: **H.E. Ambassador Carmen Maria Gallardo Hernandez**, El Salvador*

Abdul W. Khan, Deputy Director General, UNESCO

Amir Dossal, Executive Director, UN Fund for Int'l Partnerships

H.E. Amb. Inoussa Ousseini, Permanent Representative of Niger to UNESCO

Linda Stoddart, Chair, UN Working Group on Knowledge Management, Office of ICTs, UN*

Giorgio Parentela, ESA

Hodan Haji-Mahamud, Director, Division for UN Support and Partnerships, UNDP Africa

Emmanuel de Lutz, Head of Group Microfinance, BNP Paribas

Jean-Luc Perron, General Delegate, Grameen Credit Agricole Microfinance Foundation,

11.30 am **Third Session**

4.30 pm

HOW CAN MARKET AND RESEARCH CREATE DEMAND-DRIVEN ICTS IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES?

BRUSSELS (European Commission)

Chaired by: Vice-President of ECOSOC: **H.E. Ambassador Tiina Intelmann**, Estonia*

Ralph Corey, Director of Connectivity programs, World Ahead INTEL

Jean Francois Soupizet, INFSO Directorate General, European Commission

Raj Shah, Chief Marketing Officer, Ncomputing

Femida Gwady-Sridhar, Lawson

Nasruddin Rupani, President, Rupani Foundation

Pansak Siriruchatapong, Executive Director, Nectec

Ezani Amir, Mimos

Sarat Dutt Lallah, CEO, Mauritius Telecom

Rodrigo Nunes, Carmelo Nunes, Guedes Nunes, Oliveira e Roquim Advogados

Erik G. Olsson, CEO, redtienda.com

2.30 pm **Fourth Session**

THE ROLE AND CONTRIBUTION OF THE G@ID AND ITS INITIATIVES

Chaired by: Mr. Zainol Rahim Zainuddin, Deputy Permanent Representative to the UN (Malaysia)

Moderator: **Sarbuland Khan**, GAID Executive Coordinator

Francesca Cesa Bianchi, Director of External Relations, Global Initiative for Inclusive Technologies (G3ICT)

Ms. Seema Hafeez, Global Coordinator, e/m-GKR, UNDESA

Dr. Paul Jhin, 500/12 Initiative

Mr. Kamran Elahian, Global Catalyst Partners

4.00 pm **Fifth Session**

A FRESH START FOR DIGITAL DEVELOPMENT

Chaired by: Vice-President of ECOSOC: **H.E. Ambassador Somduth Soborun**, Mauritius

Luciano Bresciani, Health Councillor, Regione Lombardia, Italy
Lamia Chaffai Sgaier, Secretary of State for IT, Tunisia
Ali Yahiaoui, Banque Africaine de Developpement
Batilda Burian, Deputy Minister for Family, Tanzania
Salomao Julio Manhica, Director UTICT, Mozambique
Kamran Elahian, Chairman Global Catalyst Partners
Segopotso Moshapo, ESASTAP, South Africa

SANTO DOMINGO
(Dominican Republic)

H.E. Leonel Fernandez,
President of the Dominican
Republic*

TEGUCIGALPA
(Honduras)

Myriam Elizabeth Mejía,
Minister Delegate, COHCIT

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3.00 pm

**EUROPA, AMERICA: INSIEME
PER LO SVILUPPO**

Co-Chair: **Maria Grazia Cavenaghi-Smith**,
Director, European Parliament Office in
Milano

Report Italian Sessions: **Alberto Rovetta**,
Professor of Robotica, Politecnico di Milano

Cristiana Muscardini, Vice Chairwoman,
Committee on International Trade,
European Parliament

Pier Antonio Panzeri, Delegation for
relations with the United States, European
Parliament

Guido Podestà, Chairman Delegation of
Relations with Afghanistan, European
Parliament*

Manfredi Palmeri, President, City Council
of Milan

Irma Dioli, Councilor of International
Cooperation, Province of Milan

10.00 am **Sixth Session**

EUROPE , AMERICA: TOGETHER FOR DEVELOPMENT

Co-Chair: **H.E. Ambassador Francis Lorenzo**, Dominican Republic

George Laudato, Head, Middle East Bureau, USAID

Elizabeth Corley, Director of Communications, Development Gateway

Rodney Bent, Deputy Director, Millennium Challenge Corporation

Viviane Reding, Commissioner for the Information Society, European Commission
(*videomessage from Brussels*)

12.00 am **Seventh Session**

FINAL ROUND TABLE

Chair: **Pierpaolo Saporito**, President, OCCAM and Founder of the Conference

Sarbuland Khan, GAID Executive Coordinator

John Steffens, Executive Director, Infopoverty Institute

Chairs of the previous sessions

1.00 pm

APPROVAL OF THE FINAL DECLARATION 2009

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Le Sessioni Italiane

Giovedì 19 Marzo, 2009

Ufficio a Milano del Parlamento Europeo
Sala Pirelli - Palazzo delle Stelline - Corso Magenta, 59

10.00 am (Milan Time)

IL SISTEMA ITALIA E LE SFIDE TECNOLOGICHE DELLA GLOBALIZZAZIONE

Presieduto da: Piergiacomo Ferrari, Presidente, Comitato Promozione e Sviluppo, OCCAM

Adolfo Urso, Sottosegretario Commercio estero*
Massimo D'Aiuto, Amministratore Delegato, SIMEST
Massimo Mamberti, Direttore Generale, ICE
Mario Frullone, Direttore Centro Ricerche, Fondazione Ugo Bordoni
Mario Zanone Poma, Presidente, Fondazione Filarete
Lanfranco Senn, Presidente, Metropolitana Milanese
Pier Luigi Streparava, Commissario Generale di EMO MILANO 2009
Luigi De Vecchis, Advisor per l'innovazione tecnologica, OCCAM
Michele Palermo, Responsabile Innovazione di prodotto, Telecom Italia
Paolo Ardia, Siemens Healthcare
Nada Cataldi, INTEL
Alberto Rovetta, Professore di Robotica, Politecnico di Milano

Venerdì 20 marzo

9.30 am

INNOVAZIONE PER GLI ENTI LOCALI, IL VOLONTARIATO E LE ONG

Moderata: Maria Grazia Cavenaghi Smith, Direttrice, Ufficio a Milano del Parlamento Europeo

Patrizia Toia, Commissione Industria, Ricerca ed Energia del Parlamento Europeo*
Sen. Roberto di Giovan Paolo, Segretario generale AICCRE
Lorenzo Guerini, Sindaco di Lodi; Presidente, ANCI Lombardia
Silvano Ambrosetti, Presidente, Coop Lombardia
Don Virginio Colmegna, Casa della carità
Marco Granelli, Presidente, CSV Net
Chiara d'Imporzano, Presidente, Associazione Monserrate
Sergio Marelli, Presidente, Associazione ONG italiane
Federico Minoli, Trustee, Riders for Health

11.30 am

IL CONTRIBUTO ITALIANO ED EUROPEO ALLA LOTTA ALL'HIV/AIDS

Moderatore: Angelo Inzoli, Specialista in Scienze delle Popolazioni e dello Sviluppo

Vittorio Agnoletto, Parlamentare Europeo, Cofondatore della Lila - Lega Italiana Lotta all'AIDS*
Maria Cristina Cantù, Direttore Generale, ASL Milano
Barbara Ensoli, Istituto Superiore di Sanità, Dirigente di Ricerca
Barbara Foglieni, Ricercatrice, Dipartimento di Medicina Trasmisionale ed Ematologia, A.O. A. Manzoni di Lecco
Massimo Galli, Professore Ordinario Malattie Infettive, Università degli Studi di Milano
Giovanni Maga, Sez. Enzimologia del DNA e Virologia Molecolare, Istituto di Genetica Molecolare, CNR
Michela Martini, Coordinatrice per il Mediterraneo e Balcani Migrazione e HIV/AIDS, OIM