



## PLANET EARTH LISBON 2009

### Provisional Programme

#### Thursday 19 November

- 17:00 **Opening World Press Photo Exhibition**, BESA Pavilion
- 18.00 (15min) **Press Conference** on IYPE Board meeting results at BESA Pavilion
- 19.30 **Reception at City Hall** (City Hall Lisbon, hosted by Major of Lisbon)

#### Friday 20 November

- 8.00 Reception and registration of participants in Camões Theatre
- 9.30 **Opening ceremony**
  - o IYPE Geo-Movie Intro (5min)
  - o welcome by President Portuguese Commission for UNESCO/Portuguese Committee for IYPE, Fernando A. Guimarães.
  - o welcome by Executive Director IYPE Secretariat, Eduardo de Mulder
  - o statement by Director General UNESCO (Represented by Prof. Walter Rudolf Erdelen)
  - o statement by Mário Soares, former President of the Republic of Portugal
  - o statement by Infanta Dn. Cristina Frederica de Borbón y Grevia Princess of Spain, Honorary Chair of Spanish National Committee
  - o statement by José Manuel Durão Barroso, European Commission President
- 10.30 Coffee break
- 11.00 **Opening ceremony** (continued)
  - o Portuguese Committee of IYPE Movie presentation (5min)
  - o statement by the Executive Secretary of CPLP Eng<sup>o</sup> Domingos Simões Pereira
  - o statement by Prime-Minister of Cape Verde Prof. José Maria Neves
  - o statement by Minister of Environment Angola Dr<sup>a</sup> Fátima Jardim



- o statement by Minister of Environment Brazil Dr. Carlos Minc Baumfeld
  - o statement by Minister of Education and Research Norway Bård Vegar Solhjell
  - o statement by Minister of Education & Vocational Training Tanzania Prof. Jumanne A. Maghembe
- **Opening by Portuguese Republic President Prof. Aníbal Cavaco Silva (to be confirmed)**
- 13.00 **Lunch**
- 14.00 **GEO-SONG Student performance**
- 14.10 **General introduction to themes** by Aubrey Manning
- 14.30 **Conference: Renewable Energy.** Moderator: to be announced
  - o Setting the stage: Manuel Pinho (Portugal), former Minister of Economy & innovation, Portugal
  - o Science perspective: Jean-Claude Autrey (Mauritius), General Secretary ISSCT
  - o Industry perspective: Antonio Mexia (Portugal), CEO EDP
- 16.00 Coffee break
- 16.30 **Conference: Sustainable Land & Water Management.** Moderator Ruud Lubbers, former PM of the Kingdom of the Netherlands and Patron of IYPE
  - o Setting the stage: Gerda Verburg (The Netherlands), Minister of Agriculture, Nature and Food Quality and past President Committee of Sustainable Development UN
  - o Science perspective: S. Paramanathan (Malaysia)
  - o Industry perspective: to be announced
- 17.50 **One Geology Presentation** by Marko Komac, Director Geological Survey Slovenia.
- 18.00 **Award Ceremony**
- 19.00 **Closing** by Portuguese Republic Prime-Minister
- 19.30 **Dinner** (Coimbra University Tuna Performance)
- 22.00 **Cultural performance** Kamu Suna Ballet



**Saturday 21 November**

**Exhibitions, open to the public all day in Knowledge Pavilion**

- 9.30 **Conference: 'Planet Ocean' (Oceanarium)**  
Chair: Prof. Mário Ruivo (Portugal), President of the Portuguese Commission for the IOC  
Rapporteur: Prof. Emanuel Gonçalves
  - o 09.30 Welcome by Chair
  - o 09.45 Tour de table
  - o 09.50 Chérif Sammari (Tunisia), Vice-President of IOC
  - o 10.15 Harsh Gupta (India)
  - o 10.40 John Delaney (USA)
  - o 11.30 Coffee-break
  - o 12.00 Open discussion
  - o 13.00 Closure (Chair): presentation of the Lisbon Declaration on Oceans
  
- 15.00 **Meeting of International Partners** (Oceanarium)  
Chair: John Ludden or Ralph Baird; Rapporteur: Mauricio Fernandez
  
- 9.30 **Meeting of the National Committees** (auditorium Knowledge Pavilion)  
Chair: Werner Janoschek or Larry Woodfork; Rapporteur: Morten Often
  
- 13.30 **Press Conference** (BESA Pavilion Press Room)
  
- 14.00 **Meeting of Young Earth Scientists** (auditorium Knowledge Pavilion)  
Chair: Wesley Hill or Luca Demicheli; Rapporteur: Telma Almeida
  
- 16.00 **Meeting on Planet Earth Africa** (auditorium Knowledge Pavilion)



Chair: Mohammed Sheya, or Sospeter Muhongo; Rapporteur: Felix Toteu

- 18.00 *Tour in Oceanário*

**Sunday 22 November**

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