

Conference Agenda

HAITI: Post-Disaster Reconstruction Sustainability & Development

Friday, November 15, 2013

	Location: United Nations Delegates Dining Room	~ Please Note: To Attend Nov. 15 th at the United Nations Headquarters you must Register by November 12 th for Security Purposes ~
6:00pm - 8:00pm		<p style="text-align: center;">The Fall Gannon Lecture & Opening Keynote Speaker:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Hugh Locke, President, Smallholder Farmer Alliance</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Lecture Title "The Haiti Experiment: Development innovations from the country's smallholder farmers that could change the world"</i></p>

Saturday, November 16, 2013

8:30 am - 2:00 pm	Fordham University Lincoln Center 12 th Floor	Registration			
8:30 am - 9:30 am		Continental Breakfast & Registration			
9:30 am - 9:50 am		<p style="text-align: center;">Introductions:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Nancy Busch, Dean, Graduate School of Arts & Sciences Debra McPhee, Dean, Graduate School of Social Service <i>United Nations - Haiti Permanent Mission - Special Representative</i></p>			
9:50 am - 10:15 am		<p>First Session: Housing Solutions Post Disaster:</p> <p><i>Serge Turin (Former IOM Camp Director), Marciana Popescu (Fordham GSSS), Kara Lightburn, Social Tap, Inc. and Benjamin Krause, JP/HRO</i></p>			
Panel speakers italicized are yet to be confirmed		<p style="text-align: center;">PANEL 1: Sustainable Relocation Housing Solutions for IDPs Current Status and Next Steps</p>			
10:15 am - 10:45 am		Dr. Illinoir Louis, Universitait D'Etat, Port-Au-Prince, Haiti	Robyn Contino, Catholic Relief Services Haiti	<i>Donors USAID, Clinton Foundation</i>	<i>Brian Concannon, Jr., Human Rights Lawyer, Institute for Democracy in Haiti</i>
10:45 am - 11:00 am		~ Coffee Break ~			

11:00 am- 11:45 am		PANEL 2: Environmental Alternatives for Sustainable Reconstruction & Development in Haiti				
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11:45pm - 12:30pm		PANEL 3: Women in Haiti: Women’s issues & their role in shaping sustainable development				
		Panel 3 will begin by featuring a short clip from the film “ <i>Sisters</i> ” by <i>Film Director & Producer Brenda Davis</i>				
Panel speakers italicized are yet to be confirmed		Brenda Davis Film Director & Producer of “Sisters”	Carine Jocelyn , Executive Director Diaspora Community Services	Sophie Mitra Fordham University	Ninaj Raoul , Haitian Women for Haitian Refugees <i>KOFAVIV Haitian Women’s Rights Org</i>	

12:30pm - 2:00pm		Networking Lunch ~ Organizations or individuals interested in having a display set up & marketing materials included in Conference Brochure email info@socialtap.org ~			
2:00pm - 4:00pm		Afternoon Haiti Sustainability & Development Working Group Sessions			
		Working Group Session 1 2:00pm - 3:00pm		Working Group Session 2 3:00pm - 4:00pm	
Participants can select two workshops, one per session.		1. Environmental Sustainability <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Facilitators: Joe Duplan (KONPAY) & MIT Professor, with Student (Gannon Lecture) 		5. Alternative ways to disaster response, reconstruction and capacity building <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Facilitators: Rachel Beach (J/P-HRO) Dr. Colette Mazzucelli (NYU Center for Global Affairs) with Student (Gannon Lecture) 	
		2. Economic Development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Facilitators: FONKOZE & Student (Gannon Lecture) 		6. Food security - Innovative solutions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Facilitators: Robyn Contino (CRS) with Gannon Student 	
		3. Education - Key factor for sustainable development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Facilitators: Jean Élie Gilles (Universitait D’Etat, Jacmel) & Fordham Student Groups Rep (GSS and Law School) 		7. Women’s issues: Women’s roles in sustainable development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Margarette Tropnas, Social Tap (THI) and IHAN rep with GSS/IWG student 	
		4. Human Rights in Haiti <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (TBD) 		8. Youth Development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Facilitators: Haitian Adolescents Network Director, Frank Cohn (Global Potential), & Gannon Student 	
4:00pm - 6:00pm		Closing Ceremony & Reception			