

UPEF

International Leadership Conference

Toward an Era of Universal Peace in Africa and the World

Program Schedule
Abuja, Nigeria
July 15–18, 2011



FRIDAY JULY 15:

5.00 – 7.00 PM Conference Registration (in hotel)

6.00 –8.00 PM Dinner Buffet

8.30 PM WELCOME AND ORIENTATION

SATURDAY JULY 16:

6.30 AM Breakfast

8.00 AM Bus Departures to the Sheraton Hotel

9.00 AM **OPENING PLENARY:**
Toward an Era of Universal Peace in Africa and the World

Moderator **Dr. Thomas G. Walsh**
President, Universal Peace Federation

Invocations **Bishop Cleham Kings Degaya**
Holy Ghostants World Mission, Nigeria

Dr. Hamdi Mohammed Murad
Co-founder, Jordanian Interfaith Co-existence Center; UPF Presiding Council

Plenary Speakers **The Rt. Gabriel Messan Kodjo**
Former Prime Minister, Togo

Hon. Telezya P.L. Huvisa
Minister, Office of the Vice-President, Tanzania

Hon. Ibrahim Nasiru Mantu
Former Deputy President of the Senate, Nigeria

Hon. Madhav Kumar Nepal
Prime Minister (2009-2011), Nepal

Video Presentation **Introducing the Universal Peace Federation**

Keynote Address **Rev. Hyung Jin Moon**
International Chairman, Universal Peace Federation

11.00 AM COFFEE BREAK

11.30 AM **SESSION II:**
UPF 2011: Key Programs and Guiding Principles

Moderator **Rev. Olaleye Alao**
Secretary General, UPF Nigeria

Speakers **Dr. Chang Shik Yang**
Vice-Chair, UPF International

Dr. Tageldin I. Hamad
Secretary General, UPF International

Dr. Michael W. Balcomb
Director of Communications, UPF International

Prof. Masahisa Hayashi
Faculty of Social Sciences, Waseda University

1.00 PM Lunch

**2.30 PM SESSION III:
Peacebuilding In Africa And The World**

Moderator **Rev. Mwalagho Kililo**
Secretary General, UPF Africa

Speakers **H.E. Sam Hanna Zakhem**
Former US Ambassador to Bahrain

Hon. Peter Lokeris
Minister of Mining, Uganda

Dr. Hideo Oyamada
Chair, UPF Japan

Hon. Wim Van Eekelen
Former Minister of Defense, the Netherlands

Hon. Lala Henriette Randriamampionona Ratsiharovala
Former Minister of Justice, Madagascar

4.00 PM SIGHTSEEING OUTING

7.30 PM Dinner by hotel

SATURDAY JULY 16:

9.00 AM CONCURRENT A: AGRICULTURE AND AFRICA'S FUTURE

Moderator **Ms. Chantal Komagata**
Secretary General, UPF Switzerland

Speakers **Jong Hoon Park and Jong Hwan Sung**
New Village Movement, Korea

Hon. Samuel Aryeetey Attoh
Former Agriculture Minister, Ghana

Hon Koya Nishikawa
Former Cabinet Minister, Japan

9.00 AM CONCURRENT B: INTERFAITH PEACEBUILDING

Moderator **Dr. David Earle**
Vice-Chair, UPF UK

Speakers **Professor Christiaan J.G. Vonck**
Professor of Comparative Religions, Belgium

Imam Drame Moussa
Vice President, Islamic National Council, Cote D'Ivoire

Msgr. Jacques Gaillot
Titular Bishop, Diocese of Partenia

The Most Rev. Dr. Oluwele Abiola
Chairman, Council of African and Afro-Caribbean Churches, UK

10.15 AM COFFEE BREAK

10.45 -12.00 CONCURRENT C: HEALTH AND WORLD PEACE

Moderator **Mr. Jacques Marion**
Secretary General, UPF Eurasia

Speakers **Dr. Dong Ho Cho**
21st Century Health and Healing

Prof. Ndioro Ndiaye
Director General of TRS national TV in Senegal

Prof. Han Xian Feng
UN Chinese Alliance Human Life Research Center

10.45 -12.00 CONCURRENT D: GOOD GOVERNANCE

Moderator **Mr. Mark Brann**
Secretary General, UPF Europe

Speakers **Prof. Akiko Yamanaka**
Visiting Professor, Cambridge University

Hon. Pascal Gayama
Special Advisor of the President, Congo

Mr. Raul Domingos
President, Party for Peace and Development, Mozambique

Hon Ek Nath Dhakal
Member of Congress, Nepal

4.00 PM FOUNDER'S PROGRAM

MONDAY JULY 18: CLOSING

6.30 – 8.00 AM Breakfast by hotel

9.00 AM SESSION VI: Plenary: Africa and the World

Moderator **Dr. Evelyn D.S. Kandakai**
Minister of Education, Liberia

Potential Speakers **Ms. Patti Boulaye**
Singer, founder of AIDS Clinics in Africa

H. E. Valentine Sunday Ekpai
High Priest of Ogumeland in Delta State and of the Oriso Parrapo Kingdom

Mrs. Diaka Diakite
Minister of Social Affairs, Women and Children, Guinea

Hon. Mangwanda Gifudu
Former Minister of Environment, DR Congo

Hon. Ricardo Lumengo
National Parliament of Switzerland.

10.30 AM Coffee Break

11.00 AM Closing Session

Moderator Mr. Tageldin Hamad
Secretary General, UPF International

Speakers Hon. Evgeny Nikulishev
Plenipotentiary State Advisor of the Russian Federation.

Rev. Agatha Chukwura
President, GoldCrest Family Center, Lagos

Gen. Malimba Masheke
Former Prime Minister of Zambia, UPF Global Peace Council.

Dr. Thomas Walsh
President, Universal Peace Federation



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