

FIRST DIALOGUE ON ENVIRONMENTAL DIPLOMACY FOR THE AFRICA DIPLOMATIC CORPS

Theme: Africa and a Pollution-free Planet by 2030

Location: United Nations Offices in Nairobi, Gigiri (**Conference Room 10**)

Date: 18-20 September, 2017

Agenda on Dialogue on Environment Diplomacy for the African Diplomatic Corps

DAY 1: 18 September 2017

8:30 –9:00	Registration – Administrative issues	Participants
Opening Session		
9.00-9.30	Welcome Remarks by; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UN Environment • Africa Diplomatic Corp 	
9.30-9.40	Introduction of Dialogue Objectives, Participants and Practicalities	All
9.40-10.30	State of Play: Global and Africa Environment and Development Agenda Discussions Expected result: enhancing capacity to articulate national and Africa regional development issues in a global setting	Juliette Biao
Tea break, group photo		
10:45-11:30	Multilateral Environmental Diplomacy Discussions Expected result: clearer understanding of role of diplomats/negotiators in a multilateral setting like UNEA	Elizabeth Mrema
11.30-12.15	Multilateral Negotiations skills Discussions Expected results: enhance negotiations skills	Sylvia Bankobeza
12:15-13:00	Understanding UNEA 3 theme – A Pollution-free Planet by 2030 Discussions Expected result: strengthening understanding on different aspects of pollution – a global perspective	Ligia Noronha
Lunch Break		
14:00-14:45	Nexus between Pollution and Sustaining Healthy Ecosystems Expected result: strengthened understanding of impacts of pollution to ecosystems	Mette Wilkie
14:45-15:20	Role of non-state actors in intergovernmental negotiations on pollution and other environmental issues. Expected result: understanding of the roles of different actors on global negotiations	Alexander Juras
Tea break		
15:30-16:30	African Perspectives to a Pollution-free Planet: land, air, freshwater, marine pollution and others	Cyrille Siewe

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	Discussions	
END OF DAY 1		

DAY 2 : 19 September 2017		
Round Table Discussion		
09:00-11:00	African Perspectives to a Pollution-free Planet: land, air, freshwater, marine pollution and others (continued) Discussions	Cyrille Siewe
Tea break		
Simulation Exercise		
11:30-13:00	Negotiation skills -Pollution Expected result: enhanced negotiations skills	R.Wabunoha Cyrille Siewe Sylvia Bankobeza Atani Mohamed
Lunch		
14:00-17:00	Simulation Exercise continues	
End of Day 2		

DAY 3: 20 September 2017		
Feedback and Discussions		
09:00-10:00	Live feedback and discussion on the simulated negotiations	
10:00-11:00	Developing African common positions/understanding in UNEA-3	ADC

	HIGH-LEVEL DIALOGUE	
11:00-11:20	Remarks by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UN Environment • Dean, Africa Diplomatic Corps 	
11:20-13:00	High Level Dialogue: Africa Group and UN Environment Expected result: discussion of outcomes of UNEA 3	
Lunch break		
14:00-15:00	Feedback and Evaluation Issuance of Certificates	
Closure of Dialogue		