



## **CLOSING DATE 15<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2013**

### **INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON TRAFFICKING OF YOUNG WOMEN AND CHILDREN**

**3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> September 2013, Ramada Plaza Melaka, Malaysia**

The International Conference on Trafficking of Young Women and Children is organised by the World Youth Foundation (*“an NGO in Special Consultative Status with the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations”*), in collaboration with Ministry of Youth and Sports Malaysia, Ministry of Women, Family and Community Development Malaysia, United Nations Inter-Agency Project on Human Trafficking (UNIAP), Malaysian National Commission for UNESCO, Pembangunan Pertanian Melaka Sdn Bhd and various other agencies.

#### **Discounted Fees of USD 150.00 for Participants from Selected Countries:**

Afghanistan, Albania, Azerbaijan, Bhutan, Cambodia, Costa Rica, Egypt, Ghana, India, Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Laos, Maldives, Mexico, Moldova, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, Nigeria, Pakistan, Philippines, Sri Lanka, South Africa, Russia, Tanzania, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, Uganda, Ukraine, Uzbekistan, Vietnam, Zimbabwe

Please **read the eligibility criteria** before completing the Application Form. **Registration Closes on 15<sup>th</sup> August 2013**. Register Here: [www.wyf.org.my](http://www.wyf.org.my)

#### **International Conference on Trafficking of Young Women and Children Speaker’s include:**

- **Ms. Valentyna Mudrik**, *Youth Representative of ECPAT International Board, ECPAT International*
- **Ms. Nguyen Thi Hong Hoa**, *Victim Protection Consultant, United Nations Inter-Agency Project on Human Trafficking (UNIAP)*
- **Supt.P.R. Gunarajan a/l Ramayal**, *Crime Investigations Department, Royal Malaysian Police Force*
- **Mr. Paul Jambunathan**, *Consultant Clinical Psychologist, Senior Lecturer, Monash University*
- **Mr. Ashish Damle**, *Regional Project Manager, Plan International*
- **Mr.Ravindran Raman Kutty**, *Advisor Strategic Communications, Northport (Malaysia) Bhd*

For **Call for Participation** please click [Here](#)

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## MY WORLD

World Youth Foundation (WYF) has joined force with the UN and became a committed partner for MY WORLD. It is an options survey which MY WORLD asks individuals which six of sixteen possible issues you think would make the most difference to your lives. We seek your support to disseminate this campaign widely to get millions of people to VOTE.

**Click Here to Vote:** <http://www.myworld2015.org/?partner=wrldyth>

## A RECORD 10 MILLION PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV NOW HAVE ACCESS TO TREATMENT

A new report from the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS), the World Health Organization (WHO) and UNICEF, Global update on HIV treatment 2013: results, impact and opportunities, shows a huge acceleration in the roll out and uptake of antiretroviral therapy since 2011. **For more information, visit:** <http://saf aids.net/content/press-release-record-10-million-people-living-hiv-now-have-access-antiretroviral-treatment>

## THE GLOBAL PLAN: WORKING TO IMPROVE WOMEN'S HEALTH

AF-AIDS has launched a new report on the progress achieved to date through the Global Plan towards the elimination of new HIV infections among children by 2015 and keeping their mothers alive (Global Plan). Encouragingly, the report showed considerable progress on the goal of preventing new infections among children across many of the 21 Global Plan priority countries in Africa. Another critical and equally important goal of the Global Plan is keeping mothers alive. **For more information, visit:** [http://www.huffingtonpost.com/ambassador-eric-goosby-md/the-global-plan-working-t\\_b\\_3641650.html](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/ambassador-eric-goosby-md/the-global-plan-working-t_b_3641650.html)

## CALL FOR PARTICIPATION: REGIONAL YOUTH GREEN GROWTH FORUM 2013

From 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> **December 2013**, 200 young people will gather in Nairobi-Kenya for the **Regional Youth Green Growth Forum 2013**. Convened by the Organization of African Youth and partners, the main objective of the forum is to provide a platform for young people to learn, share and identify tools to foster inclusive green growth in Africa and build partnerships to put the tools into practice in their work. **Please visit:** [www.kenya.oayouth.org](http://www.kenya.oayouth.org)

## **COUNTING 9.6 BILLION HUMANS ON EARTH BY 2050**

The current world population of 7.2 billion is projected to increase by 1 billion over the next 12 years and reach 9.6 billion by 2050, according to a report launched by DESA's Population Division in June. The report points out that growth will be mainly in developing countries, with more than half in Africa. Watch our interview with John Wilmoth, Director of the Population Division, who gives us some insights about the last figures available. [Read More](#)

## **NOMINATION CALL FOR UNESCO-HAMDAN PRIZE 2013-2014**

The third edition of the UNESCO-Hamdan bin Rashid Al-Maktoum Prize for Outstanding Practice and Performance in Enhancing the Effectiveness of Teachers has opened the call for nominations. The prize is awarded every two years and it recognizes initiatives that contribute to improving educational practices around the world, with priority given to developing countries and to marginalized and disadvantaged communities. For call for nominations please visit [here](#) or <http://www.unesco.org/new/en/education/themes/education-building-blocks/teacher-education/teacher-prizes/hamdan-prize/>

## **WORLD BANK'S GRANT FOR POPULATION AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAM (PRHCBP)**

The PRHCBP is a small grants program of the World Bank that supports innovative ways to stimulate and sustain local responses to population and reproductive health needs. It supports organizations such as NGOs/CSOs, think tanks, and academic institutions working on reproductive health, maternal and child mortality and morbidity, family planning, gender based violence, and gender equity, inclusion and participation.

More information click <http://go.worldbank.org/8F82OLU1P0>

## **CALL FOR NOMINATIONS OF NGO DELEGATES 2014-2015 AFRICA, ASIA PACIFIC, LATIN AMERICA & THE CARIBBEAN AND NORTH AMERICA**

The NGO Delegation to the UNAIDS PCB has vacancies for two-year terms beginning 1 January 2014 and ending 31 December 2015. Fill in the online application form at [http://unaidspcbngo.org/?page\\_id=7427](http://unaidspcbngo.org/?page_id=7427) or email to [pcb.ngo@gmail.com](mailto:pcb.ngo@gmail.com).

## **WHO REPORT: VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AS A "GLOBAL HEALTH PROBLEM OF EPIDEMIC PROPORTIONS"**

A new report finds that physical or sexual violence is a public health problem that affects more than one third of all women globally. *Global and regional estimates of violence against women: Prevalence and health effects of intimate partner violence and non-partner sexual violence*, published by the World Health Organization in partnership with the London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine and the South African Medical Research Council (SAMRC), represents the first systematic study of global data on the prevalence of violence against women - both by partners and non-partners. More information is available [online](#).

## **WORLD HEPATITIS DAY 2013 - WHO URGES GOVERNMENTS TO ACT ON HEPATITIS THREAT**

On World Hepatitis Day (28 July), the World Health Organization (WHO) is urging governments to act against the five hepatitis viruses that can cause severe liver infections and lead to 1.4 million

deaths every year. Some of these hepatitis viruses, most notably types B and C, can also lead to chronic and debilitating illnesses such as liver cancer and cirrhosis, in addition to loss of income and high medical expenses for hundreds of millions of people worldwide. More information can be found at: <http://www.who.int/campaigns/hepatitis-day/2013/en/index.html>

## **UNESCO LAUNCHES A CALL FOR PROJECTS DRIVEN BY YOUNG PEOPLE**

UNESCO launches a call for projects in order to identify and support 15 action projects (3 by region) which will be “certified” with the label “8th UNESCO Youth Forum” and implemented by, with and for young women and men between the 8th and the 9th UNESCO Youth Forum (October 2013-October 2015). See more at: <http://www.unesco.org/new/en/social-and-human-sciences/themes/sv/news/unesco-launches-a-call-for-projects-driven-by-young-people/#sthash.1xIkUT5k.dpuf>

## **YOUNG, EDUCATED, AND OUT OF WORK**

"You don't go to college to study; you go to college because you want to earn a living". In the MENA region, 30 percent of youth are unemployed—twice the global average. The disconnect between what people are learning and required job skills has jeopardized not only the well-being of the youth, but the stability of Middle Eastern societies and the region at large. In this latest video from the 2013 Skoll World Forum, experts explore the [issues and opportunities for strengthening educational and employment opportunities in the Middle East](#).

## **EVENTS**

### **4<sup>th</sup> UNIVERSITY SCHOLARS LEADERSHIP SYMPOSIUM**

1<sup>st</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> August 2013

Manila, Philippines

Website: [www.universityscholars.org.uk](http://www.universityscholars.org.uk)

### **INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT 2013 CANADA**

6<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> August 2013

Ryerson University, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Website: [www.ontariointernational.org](http://www.ontariointernational.org)

Email: [oida@ontariointernational.org](mailto:oida@ontariointernational.org)

### **VIENNA INTERNATIONAL MODEL UNITED NATIONS (VIMUN)**

11<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> August 2013

Vienna, Austria

Website: <http://www.vimun.org>

Email: [vimun@afa.at](mailto:vimun@afa.at)

### **4<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON COMPUTING AND INFORMATICS 2013 (ICOCI 2013)**

*“Computing towards Developing Smart Community”*

28<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> August 2013

Kuching, Sarawak, Malaysia

Website: <http://www.icoci.cms.net.my/>

### **3<sup>rd</sup> GLOBAL CONFERENCE: THE VALUE OF WORK**

1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2013

Mansfield College, Oxford, United Kingdom

Website: <http://www.inter-disciplinary.net/critical-issues/ethos/the-value-of-work/call-for-papers/>

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### **BYND 2015 GLOBAL YOUTH SUMMIT**

9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> September 2013

Costa Rica

Website: [www.itu.int/en/bynd2015/Pages/default.aspx](http://www.itu.int/en/bynd2015/Pages/default.aspx)

### **6<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL URBAN DESIGN CONFERENCE**

9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> September 2013

Sydney, Australia

Website: <http://urbandesignaustralia.com.au>

### **4<sup>th</sup> GLOBAL CONFERENCE: SPACE AND PLACE**

9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> September 2013

Mansfield College, Oxford, United Kingdom

Website: <http://www.inter-disciplinary.net/critical-issues/ethos/space-and-place/call-for-papers/>

### **CONFERENCE ON “CHILD POVERTY AND SOCIAL PROTECTION**

10<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> September 2013

Jakarta, Indonesia

Website: <http://www.smeru.or.id/cpsp/registration.php>.

Email: [cpsp@smeru.or.id](mailto:cpsp@smeru.or.id).

### **3<sup>rd</sup> GLOBAL CONFERENCE: BEAUTY**

15<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> September 2013

Mansfield College, Oxford, United Kingdom

Website: <http://www.inter-disciplinary.net/critical-issues/ethos/beauty/call-for-papers/>

### **2<sup>nd</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF THE WORLD FEDERATION OF THE DEAF (WFD)**

*“Equality for Deaf People”*

16<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> September 2013

Sydney, Australia

Website: [www.wfdsydney2013.com](http://www.wfdsydney2013.com)

## **BUDAPEST WATER SUMMIT**

8<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> October 2013

Website: on [www.budapestwatersummit.hu](http://www.budapestwatersummit.hu)

## **THE 4<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL GREENTECH & ECO PRODUCTSEXHIBITION & CONFERENCE MALAYSIA**

10<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> October 2013

11<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> October 2013 (Held In Conjunction: The 4<sup>th</sup> Global Entrepreneurship Summit)

Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre (KLCC), Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Website: [www.igem.com.my](http://www.igem.com.my)

## **INTERNATIONAL YOUTH FORUM (IYF) 2013**

11<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> October 2013

Mauritius

Website: [www.mauritius2013.com](http://www.mauritius2013.com)

## **INEE–RET ROUND TABLE ON YOUTH EDUCATION 2015 AND BEYOND**

15<sup>th</sup> October 2013 (all-day event)

Geneva, Switzerland

Website: [www.theRET.org/en/contact-us](http://www.theRET.org/en/contact-us)

## **GLOBAL CONFERENCE ON BUSINESS, ECONOMIC, MANAGEMENT AND TOURISM**

26<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> October 2013

Barcelona – Spain

Website: [www.bemtur.org](http://www.bemtur.org)

## **2<sup>nd</sup> GLOBAL CONFERENCE: SPORT**

1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2013

Athens, Greece

Website: <http://www.inter-disciplinary.net/probing-the-boundaries/persons/sport/call-for-papers/>

## **THE 11<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON AIDS IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC REGION (ICAAP 11)**

18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2013

Bangkok, Thailand

Website: [www.icaap11.org](http://www.icaap11.org)

## **2<sup>nd</sup> WORLD CONGRESS OF ADMINISTRATIVE AND POLITICALSCIENCES**

25<sup>th</sup>– 27<sup>th</sup> November 2013

Maison N.-D. Chat d'Oiseau Brusells, Belgium

Website: [www.adpol.org](http://www.adpol.org)

## **2<sup>nd</sup> WORLD CONFERENCE ON PSYCHOLOGY AND SOCIOLOGY**

27<sup>th</sup>- 29<sup>th</sup> November 2013

Brussels, Belgium

Website: [www.psysoc.net](http://www.psysoc.net)

## **WORLD FORUM FOR DEMOCRACY**

*“Rewiring Democracy: Connecting Institutions And Citizen In The Digital Age”*

27<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> November 2013

Strasbourg

Website: [www.coe.int/en/web/world-forum-democracy/home](http://www.coe.int/en/web/world-forum-democracy/home)

## **MERCY MALAYSIA INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN CONFERENCE 2013**

*“Sustaining Humanitarian Efforts, Over The Long Haul...”*

28<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> November 2013

Swan Convention Centre, Sunway, Malaysia

Website: [www.humanitarianconference-mercy.com](http://www.humanitarianconference-mercy.com)

Email: [secretariat@humanitarianconference-mercy.com](mailto:secretariat@humanitarianconference-mercy.com)

## **THE FIRST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF THE ASIA-PACIFIC SOCIETY FOR AGRICULTURAL AND FOOD ETHICS (APSAFE2013)**

November 28 - 30, 2013

Faculty of Arts, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand

Website: <http://www.apsafe2013.org>

## **UNITED NATIONS HUMAN RIGHTS PRIZE 2013**

10<sup>th</sup> December 2013

UN headquarters in New York, USA

Website: <http://www.ohchr.org/EN/AboutUs/Pages/CivilSociety.aspx>

Email: [humanrightsprize@ohchr.org](mailto:humanrightsprize@ohchr.org)

## **7<sup>th</sup> APCRSR CONFERENCE**

*“Examining achievements, good practices and challenges: Towards a strategic positioning of SRHR for all”*

21<sup>st</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> January 2014

Philippine International Convention Center (PICC), Manila, Philippines.

Website: <http://www.7apcrshrmanila.org>

Email: [7thapcrshr@gmail.com](mailto:7thapcrshr@gmail.com)

## **GLOBAL DONORS FORUM 2014**

13<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> April 2014

Washington, D. C

Website: [www.globaldonorsforum.org](http://www.globaldonorsforum.org)

## **RHYTHMS OF ONE WORLD 2014 INTERNATIONAL CHORAL FESTIVAL**

Geneva, Switzerland  
24<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> June 2014  
Website: [www.faf.org](http://www.faf.org)  
Email: [friendlyam@faf.org](mailto:friendlyam@faf.org)

## **WORLD YOUTH CONFERENCE 2014**

Sri Lanka  
Website: <http://www.worldyouthconference2014.org/>


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