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Program of Events: Day One

Monday, September 17th

8:15 - 8:45 am *Registration and Continental Breakfast (Free with Registration)*

Keynote Opening with Dr. Kande Yumkella and Senator Tim Wirth
Interactive Musical Prelude:

Nii Armah Sowah, Dept. of Theatre and Dance, University of Colorado
[CONFIRMED]

8:45 - 10:00 am

Introduction:

Kyle Hybl, Regent, University of Colorado [CONFIRMED]

Dr. Kande Yumkella, Chairman, UN Energy; Director General, United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO)
[CONFIRMED]

Senator Timothy Wirth, President, UN Foundation [CONFIRMED]

Conference Overview

10:00 - 10:15 am

Dr. Joseph Jupille, Director, Colorado European Union Center of Excellence (CEUCE); Professor, Dept. of Political Science, University of Colorado [INVITED]

Dr. Lakshman Guruswamy, Founder, World Energy Justice Conference; Director, Center for Energy and Environmental Security (CEES); Professor, Law School, University of Colorado [CONFIRMED]

Session One: The Other Third: Ethical Dimensions

Chair:

Martin Hiller, Director-General, Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Partnership (REEEP), Vienna, Austria [CONFIRMED]

Overview:

10:15 - 11:15 am

Dr. Charles Wilkinson, Distinguished Professor, School of Law, University of Colorado [CONFIRMED]

Is there a right to energy?

Jose Ambrozic, Chairman of the Board, Universidad Catolica San Pablo; President, Creatio; Consecrated Layman, Sodalitium Christianae Vitae [CONFIRMED]

Dr. E. Christian Brugger, J. Francis Cardinal Stafford Chair of Moral Theology, Saint John Vianney Theological Seminary [CONFIRMED]

11:15 - 11:45 am *Technology Expo and Coffee/Tea (Free with Registration)*

Session Two: Energy as the Primary Determinant of Progress

Chair:

11:45 - 12:45 pm

Dr. Morgan Bazilian, Deputy Director, Joint Institute for Strategic Energy Analysis (JISEA), National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL) [CONFIRMED]

Review of Social and Economic Findings:

Jason Aamodt, Attorney; Adjunct Professor, University of Tulsa

[CONFIRMED]

Impacts of Energy Deficits in Cooking, Illumination, Water, Sanitation, and Motive Power:

Dr. Paul Chinowsky, Director, Mortensen Center; Professor, University of Colorado [CONFIRMED]

12:45 - 2:00 pm

Lunch and Technology Exposition (Attendees leave for Lunch)

Session Three: Decision-making and the Energy Poor

Chair:

Dr. Luka Powanga, Professor, Economics and Management, Regis University [CONFIRMED]

2:00 - 3:00 pm

The Green Climate Fund (GCF): Challenges and Opportunities:

Martin Hiller, Director-General, Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Partnership (REEEP), Vienna, Austria [CONFIRMED]

The UN and other Inter-Governmental Organizations:

Dr. Pradeep Monga, Energy Director, United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) [CONFIRMED]

Session Four: Access to Energy

Chair:

Dr. Bernard Amadei, Professor, Civil Engineering; Mortensen Chair in Global Engineering; Founder, Engineers without Borders [CONFIRMED]

Metrics:

3:00 - 4:00 pm

Dr. Morgan Bazilian, Deputy Director, Joint Institute for Strategic Energy Analysis (JISEA), National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL) [CONFIRMED]

Electricity:

Dr. Frank Barnes, Distinguished Professor, Electrical, Computer, and Energy Engineering, University of Colorado [CONFIRMED]

Empowerment of Women:

Corinne Hart, Program Manager, Gender and Markets, Global Alliance for Clean Cook-stoves [CONFIRMED]

4:00 - 4:30 pm

Technology Expo and Coffee/Tea (Free with Registration)

Session Five: Appropriate Sustainable Energy Technologies (ASETs)

Chair:

Dr. Michael Knotek, Director, Renewable and Sustainable Energy Institute (RASEI), University of Colorado [CONFIRMED]

Cook-stoves:

4:30 - 5:45 pm

Jason Prapas, Principal Engineer, Advanced Cook-stoves Program, The Engines and Energy Conversion Laboratory, Colorado State University [CONFIRMED]

Jessica Alderman, Director, Envirofit [CONFIRMED]

Illumination

Stephen Katsaros, Inventor, Founder, and CEO, Nokero [CONFIRMED]

Motive Power: Draft Power

Dr. Arjun Makhijani, President, Institute for Energy and Environmental Research (IEER) [CONFIRMED]

Program of Events: Day Two

Tuesday, September 18th

8:00 - 9:00 am *Continental Breakfast (Free with Registration)*

Session Six: Sustainable Energy for All: The EU, US, and the UN

Chair:

Dr. Angela Dino, President's Leadership Institute [CONFIRMED]

9:00 - 10:00 am

Capital, Investment and New Business Models

Teju Ravilochan, CEO, The Unreasonable Institute) [INVITED]

Model Laws

Jude Biggs, Partner, Holland & Hart [CONFIRMED]

10:00 - 10:30 am

Technology Expo and Coffee/Tea (Free with Registration)

Session Seven: The Way Forward/Gender Mainstreaming

Chair:

Dr. Pradeep Monga, Energy Director, United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) [CONFIRMED]

10:30 - 11:30 pm

Opportunities for collaboration and joint projects

Dr. Rohit Khanna, Clean Technology Fund Coordinator, World Bank [CONFIRMED]

EU

Christian Burgsmueller, Counselor, Head, Transport, Energy, Environment & Nuclear Matters Section, EU Delegation to the USA [CONFIRMED]

Closing Keynote

Chair:

Russell Moore, Provost, University of Colorado at Boulder [INVITED]

11:30 - 12:30 pm

Concluding Remarks:

Andrew Romanoff, International Development Enterprises; Former Speaker of the House, Colorado House of Representatives [CONFIRMED]

