

INTERACTIVE DIALOGUE OF THE 69th SESSION OF THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON
HARMONY WITH NATURE TO COMMEMORATE INTERNATIONAL MOTHER EARTH DAY

UNHQ, New York, 27 April 2015, Trusteeship Council Chamber: 10 am to 1 pm

PROGRAMME

10:00-10:30 **Opening Remarks**

- Address by His Excellency Mr. Sam Kutesa, President of the General Assembly
- Address by His Excellency Mr Ban Ki-Moon, Secretary General (tbc)
- Address by His Excellency Mr. Sacha Llorenty, Permanent Representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia
- Address by His Excellency Mr Julio Xavier Lasso Mendoza, Permanent Representative of Ecuador

10:30-11:30 **Interactive Panel: Towards achieving sustainable development goals including addressing climate change in the post-2015 Development Agenda**

Moderator: [Dr. Craig Holdrege](#), Director, The Nature Institute, Ghent, New York

Panellists:

- Prof. [Dr. Mark Lawrence](#), Scientific director at the Institute for Advanced Sustainability Studies (IASS), Potsdam, Germany
- [Dr. Robin Wall Kimmerer](#), Distinguished Teaching Professor, Professor of Environmental and Forest Biology, Director, Center for Native Peoples and the Environment SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry, Syracuse, New York
- [Ms. Maude Barlow](#), National Chairperson, the Council of Canadians, Ottawa, Ontario.

11:30-12:50 **Questions and comments from the floor, responses from panellists**

12:50-13:00 **Closing Segment**

- Closing Remarks by H.E. Mr. Kutesa, President of the General Assembly
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