



African Region Directors and Specialists' Meeting
"Performing Together for Decent Work and Social Justice in Africa"
Dakar, Senegal, 15 – 16 October 2009

Thursday, 15 October 2009

- 08:30 Registration
- 09:00 *Welcome by Mr. François Murangira, Director, SRO/Dakar & Abidjan*
- 09:15 **Session I: The Decent Work Movement in Africa: Accelerating the Pace**
- Keynote address by Mr. Charles Dan, Regional Director for Africa
- 10:00 Coffee Break
- 10:30 **Session I (continued): Discussion**
- 11:30 **Session II: Implementing the Global Jobs Pact**
- Presentation by Mr. Lawrence Egulu, Macro-economist, ROAF and Ms. Cynthia Yinusa, Chief, Regional Programming Unit
- Discussion
- 13:00 Lunch break
- 14:30 **Session III: From the Global Jobs Pact to Decent Work Country Programmes (working groups)**
- Stream I: Central Africa
 - Stream II: Eastern and Southern Africa
 - Stream III: North Africa
 - Stream IV: Western Africa

- 16:30 Coffee break
- 17:00 **Session III (continued): Reporting Back and Presentation of Action Plans**
- Central Africa by Ms. Dayina Mayenga, Director, SRO/Yaoundé (7 minutes)
 - Eastern and Southern Africa by Mr. Vic Van Vuuren, Director, ILO/Pretoria (7 minutes)
 - North Africa by Mr. Yousef Qaryouti, Director, SRO/Cairo (7 minutes)
 - Western Africa by Mr. François Murangira, Director, SRO/Dakar and Abidjan (7 minutes)
- General Discussion
- 18:00 End of the 1st Day

Friday, 16 October 2009

- 09:00 **Session IV: The ILO Change Agenda: the 2008 Declaration on Social Justice for a Fair Globalization**
Presentation by Ms. Patricia O'Donovan, Executive Director, Management & Administration Sector
- Discussion
- 10:30 Coffee Break
- 11:00 **Session V: Achieving 100% Delivery in Africa**
Presentation by Mr. Mpenza Kabundi, Deputy Regional Director, Policies, Programmes and Communication
- Discussion
- 12:30 Lunch Break
- 14:00 **Session VI: The Implications of the UN Reform for the Work of the ILO in Africa**
Presentation by Ms. Judica Amri-Makhetha, Senior Adviser for External Relations and Partnerships, ROAF
- Discussion
- 15:30 Coffee Break
- 16:00 **Closing**