Agenda

Expert Group Meeting on “Strengthening the Global Framework for Leveraging Sport for Development and Peace”

United Nations Headquarters • New York
S-1525-Board Room

Wednesday, 13 June 2018

9:00 - 9:30 Registration

Opening Session Welcome and Introductory Statements

9:30 – 9:45 Facilitator: Ms. Astrid Hurley, DESA-DISD
Rapporteur: Mr. Kosmas Kotas

Welcome message from Ms. Daniela Bas, Director, Division for Inclusive Social Development, United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs

Introductory remarks by Ms. Astrid Hurley, Social Affairs Officer, DESA-DISD

Self-introduction of the participants

Session 1 Exploring the evidence: sports as a catalyst for development gains

9:45 – 10:45 Facilitator: Ms. Astrid Hurley, DESA-DISD
Rapporteur: Mr. Kosmas Kotas

- Presentation: Mr. Nico Schullenkorf, University of Technology, Sydney
- Presentation: Mr. Jeoren Scheerder, Policy in Sports & Physical Activity Research Group
- Presentation: Mr. Juan Pablo Salazar, International Paralympic Committee
- Presentation: Ms. Holly Collison, Loughborough University

10:45 – 11:30 Interactive Discussion

11:30 – 11:45 BREAK

Session 2 Exploring the evidence: sports as a means for building and sustaining peace

11:45 – 12:30 Facilitator: Ms. Astrid Hurley, DESA-DISD
Rapporteur: Mr. Kosmas Kotas

- Presentation: Mr. John Sugden, University of Brighton
- Presentation: Mr. Alexander Cárdenas, Universidad Abierta de Cataluña
- Presentation: Ms. Meredith Whitley, Adelphi University

12:30 – 13:15 Interactive Discussion
13:15 – 14:15  LUNCH BREAK

Session 3  Effective mainstreaming of sport in development programmes and policies: Coherence, funding and measurement

Rapporteur: Mr. Kosmas Kotas

- Presentation: Mr. Giovanni Di Cola, International Labour Organization
- Presentation: Mr. Davies Banda, University of Edinburgh
- Presentation: Ms. Shushu Chen, University of Birmingham
- Presentation: Mr. Oliver Dudfield, Commonwealth Secretariat

15:15 – 16:00  Interactive Discussion

16:00 – 16:15  BREAK

Session 4  Recommendations on how to strengthen the global framework for leveraging sport for achieving internationally agreed development goals

16:15 – 16:25  Facilitator: Mr. Philipp Muller-Wirth, UNESCO
Rapporteur: Mr. Kosmas Kotas

- Presentation: Ms. Astrid Hurley, DESA-DISD

16:25 – 17:55  Interactive discussion and summary of key policy messages

17:55 – 18:00  Closing of the meeting: Ms. Daniela Bas, DESA-DISD
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Interagency Dialogue on “Strengthening the Global Framework for Leveraging Sport for Development and Peace”

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Thursday, 14 June 2018

Session 5

9:00 – 10:30
Facilitator: Ms. Astrid Hurley, DESA-DISD
Rapporteur: Mr. Kosmas Kotas

Interactive Discussion

- Participants will assess the existing United Nations Action Plan on Sports for Development and Peace, with a view to identifying existing synergies with the conclusions and recommendations emanating from the expert dialogue, as well as to identify the gaps or divergences in coverage.

10:30 – 10:45 BREAK

Session 6

10:45 – 12:15
Facilitator: Ms. Astrid Hurley, DESA-DISD
Rapporteur: Mr. Kosmas Kotas

Interactive Discussion

- As a follow-up to Working Session 1, participants will seek to identify key objectives, action areas and/or benchmarks, as required, to fill the gaps in coverage of the existing Action Plan. With a view to strengthening the Action Plan as a results-based framework.

12:15 – 14:00 LUNCH BREAK

Session 7

14:00 – 15:45
Facilitator: Ms. Astrid Hurley, DESA-DISD
Rapporteur: Mr. Kosmas Kotas

Interactive Discussion

- As a follow-up to Working Session 2, participants will further refine the Action Plan, as necessary and propose next steps for reinvigorating/strengthening interagency action on leveraging sport for development and peace in the context of the 2030 Agenda.

15:45 Close