

European Development Days
“Citizenship and Development”
Stockholm, Sweden, 22 to 24 October 2009

Side event
“European Citizens as Catalysts of Change”
Friday, 23 October 2009, room K2

11.15 Introduction and welcome

“What is Development Education, and why is it important?”

Rilli Lappalainen, CONCORD board member, co-chair of the European Multi-Stakeholder Steering group on Development Education

11.30 Three examples on successful development education

- *Anja Frings*, InWEnt, Germany - Formal education
- *Åke Larsson*, FOLAC, Sweden - Adult education
- *Stefan Kerl*, Clean Clothes Campaign, Südwind, Austria - Campaigning

11.45 Talk show “What role for European Citizens as Actors of Global Change?”

- *Benjamin Mkapa*, Member of the Club of Madrid, Former President of the United Republic of Tanzania
- *Therese Olenga Kalonda*, Minister of Education, Information, Women and Environment of the Province of Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of the Congo
- *Margot Wallström*, Vice-President of the European Commission
- Three development education practitioners

Moderation: Ben Vanpeperstraete, European Youth Forum

12.30 Debate “How to strengthen development education in Europe?”

- *Koos Richelle*, Director-General EuropeAid Cooperation office, European Commission
- *Justin Kilkullen*, President of the European NGO Confederation for Relief and Development, CONCORD
- *Brigitte Öppinger-Walchshofer*, Managing Director of the Austrian Development Agency
- *Denis Huber*, Executive Director of the North-South-Centre of the Council of Europe
- *Eva Joly*, Chair of the development committee in the European Parliament
- *Manuel Correia*, President of the Portuguese Institute for Development Assistance

Moderation: Deepali Sood, Plan International

13.15 closing

