



Second International Biennial Conference on Early Childhood Care and Education

'Big Data for Small Children: Monitoring Holistic Early Childhood Development'

Programme for Opening Ceremony

International Conference Centre Seychelles, Thursday 21st February 2019

Time	Order of Events
3:30 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arrival & Photo Wall Session
4:30 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcoming Remarks Minister of Education & Human Resource Development & Chairperson of Conference Organising Committee, Honourable Mrs. Jeanne Simeon
4:35 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcoming Song
4:40 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keynote Address H. E. Director of the UNESCO-International Bureau of Education, Dr. Mmantsetsa Marope
5:10 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opening Address His Excellency, the Vice President of the Republic of Seychelles, Mr. Vincent Meriton
5:30 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cultural Presentation
5:40 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Presidential Highlighted Panel & Moderated Dialogue: Big Data for Human Development Outcomes Chair: H. E. the Honorable Designated Minister & Chairperson of High Level ECCE Policy Committee, Mrs. Macsuzy Mondon Plenary speaker: Neo Xiong, founder of Neo Bear, a creative technology brand for children Plenary Speaker: Ina Linden, Director of Gothenburg preschools, Sweden Moderator: Mr. Pat Matyot
6:40 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cultural Presentation
7:00 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cocktail Reception



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Day 2: Main Conference, ICCS – 22nd February 2019

PROGRAMME		
Time	Event	Speaker/chair
8:00	Arrival, Registration & Group Photo Session	
8:50	Welcoming Remarks	Mr. Jean-Paul Adam, Minister of Health, Seychelles
SHOWCASING BEST PRACTICE PILLARS OF RESILIENT ECCE SYSTEMS		
9:00 – 9:20	Institutional Framework	Mrs. Shirley Choppy, CEO, IECD of Seychelles
9:20 – 9:40	Legal Framework	Dr. Mmantsetsa Marope, Director, IBE-UNESCO
9:40 – 10:00	Policy Framework:	Prof. Guo Liang-Jing, East China Normal University of Shanghai, China
10:00 - 10:20	Programmatic Framework	Dr. Ina Linden Furtenbach, Director, Preschools Department, City of Gothenburg, Sweden
10:20 – 11:00	Morning Break	
11:00 – 11:20	Financing Framework	Prof. Katsuki Sakaue, University of Osaka, Japan
11:20 – 11:40	M&E Framework:	Prof. Sally Brinkman, University of Adelaide, Australia
11:40 – 12:00	Q & A Session	Moderator: Dr. Maggie Louange, Director General Public Health Authority, Seychelles
COMMON CHALLENGES IN BUILDING DATA FOR RESILIENT ECCE SYSTEMS		
12:00 – 12:30	Challenges from the Partner countries covered in the Dubai Cares funding: round table with Cameroun, ESwatini, Laos, Rwanda, Seychelles.	Moderator: Cristian Fabbi, IBE-UNESCO
12:30 – 13:45	Lunch Break	
PROMISING PRACTICES IN DATA MAGEMENT FOR RESILIENT ECCE SYSTEMS		
13:45 – 14:15	Virtual tour of the Seychelles Health Sector Example	Institute of Early Childhood Development & Health Sector
14:15 – 15:00	Promising practices in data management for resilient ECCE systems. Presentation of good practices	Mrs. Sherilyn Sia, Singapore (Education) Mr. Aniruddh Gupta, Safari Kids, India (Education)

15:00 – 15:20	Q & A Session	Moderator: Dr. Meggie Louange , Director General Public Health Authority, Seychelles
15:20 – 15:40	Presentation of HECDI (Holistic Early Childhood Development Index)	Prof. Sally Brinkman , University of Adelaide, Australia
15:40 – 16:00	Questions and Answers	Moderator: Dr Danny Louange , CEO, Health Care Agency, Seychelles
WRAP UP OF KEY MESSAGES FROM DAY 2		
16:00 – 16:15	Key messages of the day	Dr. Andre Leste , Independent Consultant at IECD (Chief Rapporteur), Seychelles
16:15	Afternoon break	
18:15	Cultural event for overseas delegates	

Day 3: Main Conference, ICCS – 23rd February 2019

DRAFT PROGRAMME		
Time	Event	Speaker/Chair
8:30	Arrival & Registration	
9:00 – 9:10	Welcoming Remarks	Mrs. Mitsy Larue , Minister of Family Affairs, Seychelles
9:10 – 9:40	Promising practices in data management for resilient ECCE systems. Presentation of good practices	Dr. Staffan Lekenstam , Department of data management, Gothenburg, Sweden (Health) Dr. Elma Tershana , Observatory of Children Rights, Albania (Social policies)
9:40 – 10:00	Q & A Session	Moderator: Dr. Cristian Fabbi , IBE-UNESCO
10:00 – 10:30	Presentation: “Quels sont les impacts de la révolution digitale sur les jeunes enfants?”	Dr Anne-Lise Ducanda , Experte sur la Surexposition des enfants aux écrans, France
10:30 – 11:00	Tea Break	
KEY CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT CHALLENGES		
11:00 – 11:30	Q & A Session	Moderator: Mrs Marie-Josée Bonne , Principal Secretary Family Affairs, Seychelles
11:30 – 11:50	Big data for better early childhood development outcomes: What will it take?	Mr. Egbert Benstrong , Independent Consultant of IECD, Seychelles
11:50 – 12:15	Contributions from the floor to fill up missing key points. (NOT Q&A)	Moderator: Mrs Linda William-Melanie , Principal Secretary of Social Affairs
12:15 – 12:30	Drafting Committee finalizes and circulates hard copies of the Outcome Document	Coordinator: Prof. Eric Hamilton , IBE-UNESCO
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch Break [Review of Draft Outcome Document]	
HIGH LEVEL MINISTERIAL ROUNDTABLE ON THE WAY FORWARD		
14:00 – 14:30	Drafting committee circulates hard copies of the Outcome Document and collect feedback	Prof. Eric Hamilton , IBE-UNESCO
14:30 – 15:20	Towards Big Data for Holistic Early Childhood Development and SDGs	Ministerial round table

15:20 – 15:30	Discussion and Endorsement of the Conference Outcome Document	Moderator: Prof. Sally Brinkman
15:30 – 15:45	Reflections by The Director of the IBE-UNESCO	H.E. Director of the IBE-UNESCO, Dr. Mmantsetsa Marope
16:00 – 16:20	Presentations of Certificates	Dr. Erna Athanasius , Ambassador for Women and Children, seychelles
16:20 – 16:30	Conference Closing Address	H.E. Mrs. Macsuzy Mondon , Designated Minister & Chairperson of High Level Policy Committee
16:30 onwards	Afternoon Break & Departure [& Interview with the Press]	

End of Programme