

Programme

10.00 – 10.15 WELCOME

ILONA KICKBUSCH, Director, Global Health Programme, The Graduate Institute
ALEXANDRE FASEL, Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Switzerland to the United Nations Office and other international organizations, Geneva
ANNE-FRANÇOISE ALLAZ, Professor, University Hospital Geneva; Executive Board Member, Swiss Academy of Sciences

Moderator of the Day:

MICHEL KAZATCHKINE, UN Secretary General Special Envoy for HIV/AIDS for Eastern Europe and Central Asia; Senior Fellow, Global Health Programme

Rapporteur of the Day:

STEPHEN A. MATLIN, Professor, Institute of Global Health Innovation, Imperial College, London

10.15 – 11.15 KEYNOTE ADDRESS:

Developing a strategic approach to science diplomacy

VAUGHAN C. TUREKIAN, Chief International Officer, American Association for the Advancement of Science; Director, AAAS's Center for Science Diplomacy; Editor-in-Chief, Science & Diplomacy

11.15 – 12.15 PANEL DISCUSSION:

Diplomacy for science: How can Diplomacy facilitate international scientific cooperation in health?

NCUMISA P. NOTUTELA, Deputy Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of South Africa to the United Nations Office at Geneva and other international organisations in Switzerland

MAURO MORUZZI, Ambassador, Head, Department of International Relations, State Secretariat of Education, Research and Innovation

JOHN ARNE RØTTINGEN, Professor, Institute for Health and Society, University of Oslo; Visiting Professor Harvard School of Public Health; Acting Deputy Director General, Norwegian Institute of Public Health

Moderator:

THOMAS ZELTNER, Chairperson of the Advisory Board, Global Health Programme

12.15 - 12.30

1st Anniversary of the Protocol to Eliminate Illicit Trade in Tobacco Products

HAIK NIKOGOSIAN, Head, FCTC Secretariat, WHO

12.30 – 13.30 LUNCH RECEPTION

Hosted by the Swiss Federal Department of Foreign Affairs and the Republic and State of Geneva

13.30 – 14.15 DIALOGUE SESSION

The latent power of cooperation in sciences

MOHAMMAD H. NICKNAM, Professor, Senior Advisor to the Minister of Health and Medical Education on International Affairs, Ministry of Health and Medical Education, Islamic Republic of Iran

JAMES MILLER, Oxford International Development Group, Centre for International Research on the Social Determinants of Rural Health, USA

14.15 – 15.30 PANEL DISCUSSION

Science for diplomacy: Can scientific cooperation in health improve international relations?

MARIANGELA ZAPPIA, Ambassador and Head, Permanent Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations Office and other international Organizations, Geneva

MICHELLE HOLMES, Associate Professor, Department of Epidemiology, Harvard School of Public Health, USA

NICOLAUS LORENZ, Professor, Deputy Director, Swiss Tropical and Public Health Institute

CAREL IJSSELMUIDEN, Professor, Director, Council on Health Research for Development

15.30 – 16.00 KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Science in diplomacy: Can evidence trump interests?

Sir GEORGE ALLEYNE, Director Emeritus, Pan American Health Organization

16.15 – 16.30 CLOSING REMARKS

MICHEL KAZATCHKINE, UN Secretary General Special Envoy for HIV/AIDS for Eastern Europe and Central Asia; Senior Fellow, Global Health Programme