



POLIO ERADICATION AND THE IMPLICATIONS FOR HEALTH GOVERNANCE

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PUBLIC EVENT

Friday, 11 March 2016, 12:00 – 14:00

Maison de la paix, the Graduate Institute, Geneva

The Global Health Programme at the Graduate Institute has launched an applied research project to analyse the critical dimensions of the global effort to eradicate polio, focusing on overcoming the remaining barriers and ensuring a lasting legacy for health systems as well as the role of European countries in this effort. This event is the first in a series of policy dialogues across different cities in Europe. It will focus on the social and political barriers to polio eradication and on the implications for governance at the local and global level, as well as for strengthening health systems and achieving universal health coverage.

We cordially invite all global health actors to join this timely discussion. The programme of the event includes the following speakers:

MODERATOR OF THE SESSION AND WELCOME

ILONA KICKBUSCH, Director, Global Health Programme, the Graduate Institute

PANEL DISCUSSION

SETH **BERKLEY**

CEO, Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance

SURAYA **DALIL**

Ambassador and Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva

TEHMINA **JANJUA**

Ambassador and Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva

CAROLE **LANTERI**

Ambassador and Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of the Principality of Monaco to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva

JAN HENDRIK **SCHMITZ GUINOTE**

Counsellor, Permanent Mission of the Federal Republic of Germany to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva

CLOSING

STEPHEN MATLIN, Adjunct Professor, Imperial College, London; Senior Fellow, Global Health Programme, the Graduate Institute