

FINAL PROGRAMME

THE REGIONAL DISABILITY ROUNDTABLE FORUM

20th to 23rd June 2017

Holiday Inn, Johannesburg, South Africa

<http://www.disabilityroundtable.org>

Day 1: 20th June 2017

TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE
Session 1: Opening Ceremony		Master of Ceremony (TBC)
08:00 – 08:15	Registration/All Delegates Seated	Secretariat
08:15	Arrival of Guest of Honour	Master of Ceremonies
08:15 – 08:40	Guest of Honour tours exhibition pavilions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>SAFOD affiliates' projects & activities</i> - <i>Private sector exhibitions related to accessibility/inclusive employment</i> - <i>Donors' exhibitions of disability of funded disability projects/work in the region</i> 	Led by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - SAFOD Chairperson - Director General, - Chairperson of the Organizing Committee - FFO representative
08:40 – 09:00	Welcoming remarks	Chairperson SAFOD (Mrs. Rachel Kachaje)
09:00 – 09:15	Remarks on the objectives of the Forum	Director General – SAFOD (Mr. Mussa Chiwaula)
09:15 – 09:45	Keynote Address	National Chairperson of the Disabled Peoples South Africa (DPSA) (Mr. Robert Masambo)

09:45 – 10:30	Opening Speech	Minister of Social Development – South Africa
10:30 – 11:00	Tea Break & Group Photo	Secretariat
11:00 – 11:30	Keynote Address	Donor rep (e.g. UN, OSISA, DFID, etc)
11:30 – 12:00	Keynote Address	Shuaib Chalklen, Chairperson, Africa Disability Forum (ADF)
12:00 – 13:00	Plenary session	Master of Ceremonies
1300	End of the Opening Ceremony	Master of Ceremonies

1300 - 1400	Lunch	Secretariat
Session 2: <i>Tracking the work of the SAFOD affiliates over the past 30 years of disability activism</i>		Chairperson: Mr Kudakwashe Dube <i>(Africa Disability Alliance)</i>
14:00 – 14:15	SAFOD Work in the SADC – Zambia Case study	ZAFOD
14:15 – 14:30	SAFOD Work in the SADC – Angola Case study	FAPED
14:30 – 14:45	SAFOD Work in the SADC – Malawi Case study	FEDOMA
14:45 – 15:00	SAFOD Work in the SADC – South Africa Case study	DPSA
15:00 – 15:15	SAFOD Work in the SADC – Mozambique Case study	FAMOD
15:15 – 15:30	SAFOD Work in the SADC – Lesotho Case study	LNFOOD
15:30 – 15:45	SAFOD Work in the SADC – Swaziland Case study	FODSWA
15:45 – 16:00	Tea Break	Secretariat
16:00 – 16:15	SAFOD Work in the SADC – Botswana Case study	BOFOD
16:15 – 16:30	SAFOD Work in the SADC – Namibia Case study	NFPDN

16:45 – 17:30	SAFOD Work in the SADC – Zimbabwe Case study	FODPZ
17:00 – 18:00	Plenary	Facilitator
18:00	End of Day 1	Secretariat

Day 2: 21st June 2017

TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE
0800 – 0830	Registration	Secretariat
Session 3: <i>Tracking the Disability Movement in Southern Africa; 30 years of activism</i>		Chairperson: Manuel Lazaro FAMOD
08:30 – 09:00	Our journey so far: <i>A historical perspective of the role of DPOs' from the 80s & their interaction with Governments, Donors, etc.</i>	Mr. Joshua Malinga (SAFOD Founder)
09:00 – 09:30	What went amiss? <i>An evaluation of SAFOD and the entire disability sector over the past three decades</i>	Ms. Nyameka Mqikela, Consultant, South Africa
09:30 – 10:00	The Movement today: <i>An evaluation of the DPOs capacity and current structure at continental, sub-regional and national levels</i>	Mr. Berhanu Tefera, ADF Coordinator, Ethiopia
10:00 – 10:30	Policy and Legislative Environment: <i>An analysis of the current Status of Disability Rights in Southern Africa</i>	Franck Kamunga, Team Leader, Human Rights, Access to Justice & Rule of law at OSISA
10:30 – 11:00	Plenary	Facilitator
1100 – 1115	Tea Break	Secretariat
Session 4: <i>Tracking & Assessing Development Frameworks & Plans for or Affecting Disability</i>		Chairperson: Mr. Wauliya Wamundila DRW
11:15 – 11:45	Assessing the African Union Continental Plan of Action for the African Decade of Persons with Disabilities (2010 – 2019) – <i>The role that SAFOD ought to be playing!</i>	Mr Kudakwashe Dube, (CEO, Africa Disability Alliance)

11:45 – 12:15	UN-Partnership to Promote the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UNPRPD) and the Multi-Donor Trust Fund (MDTF) – <i>A missed opportunity for DPOs in SADC?</i>	UN Rep (e.g. UNDP Representative)
12:15 – 13:00	Plenary	Facilitator
1300 - 1400	Lunch	Secretariat
Session 5: Tracking the Financing Mechanisms of Disability Work in Southern Africa over the past three decades		Chairperson: Nkhasi Sefuthi LNFOOD
14:00 – 14:30	The role of International Development Agencies / donors / foundations in achieving SDGs' indicators related to disability – <i>What went wrong with MDGs as far as disability monitoring and financing are concerned?</i>	Mr. Mark Malema, Policy and Financing Reform Specialist, Malawi
14:30 – 14:45	Reflecting on the good and bad experiences of partnerships for disability issues in Africa: <i>The case of FFO</i>	FFO Representative, Norway
14:45 – 15:00	Reflecting on the good and bad experiences of partnerships for disability issues in Africa: <i>The case of NAD</i>	Christine Cornick NAD Consultant
15:00 – 15:15	Reflecting on the good and bad experiences of partnerships for disability issues in Africa: <i>The case of CBM</i>	CBM Representative
15:15 – 15:30	Reflecting on the good and bad experiences of partnerships for disability issues in Africa: <i>The case of JICA</i>	JICA Representative
15:30 – 15:45	Reflecting on the good and bad experiences of partnerships for disability issues in Africa: <i>The case of UNFPA SRHR Programme for youths with disabilities</i>	Maria Bakaroudis Comprehensive Sexuality Education Specialist UNFPA (ESARO)
1545 - 1600	Tea Break End	Secretariat
16:00 – 17:00	Plenary Session <i>(Delegates are expected to make specific recommendations for strengthening current financing mechanisms e.g. monitoring and tracking of impact, roles of donors/recipients, etc.)</i>	Facilitator
17:00	End of Day 2	Secretariat

Day 3: 22nd June 2017

TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE
0800 – 0830	Registration	Secretariat
Session 6: Tracking & assessing the involvement & role of the private sector and trade unions in Inclusive Employment over the past 30 years		Chairperson: Mr Dan Rekane DPSA
08:30 – 09:00	Decent Work and Persons with Disabilities in Southern Africa: What is the role of Trade Unions?	Southern Africa Trade Union Coordination Council (SATUCC)
09:00 – 09:30	Experiences of the private sector involvement on issues of accessibility and inclusive employment	Dr. Jerry Gule, SAE4D Chairperson
09:30 – 10:00	The Impact of the “Fourth Industrial Revolution” on Jobs and Disability: <i>With new technological advances, how is private sector positioning itself in the face of the new World Order of Work from the disability and inclusivity perspective?</i>	TBC, SAE4D Member
10:00 – 10:15	Case study 1: A shortlisted company presenting good practices	Company representative
10:15 – 10:30	Case study 2: A shortlisted company presenting good practices	Company representative
10:30 – 10:45	Plenary session	Facilitator
10:45 – 11:00	Tea Break	Secretariat
Session 7: Creating Early Childhood Inclusive Environments and/or Practices		Chairperson: Ass. Prof Gubela Mji
11:00 – 11:30	Key lessons from the Promoting Inclusion in ECDE within CBR Programs Project	Mr. Kennedy Nhungu, (FAMOD, Mozambique)
11:30 – 12:00	Key lessons from the Ndinogona Inclusive Early Childhood Development Stimulation Program	Ms. Shona McDonald (Uhambo Foundation)
12:00 – 12:30	Plenary session	Facilitator
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch	Secretariat
Session 8: Disability & Development Research		Dr. Jerry Gule, SAE4D Chairperson
14:00 – 14:30		Dr Allister Munthali,

	Disability and Development: learning from action and research on disability in Southern Africa	Associate Professor of Research, University of Malawi, Chancellor College
14:30 – 15:00	From evidence to Action: Best practices from the African Network on Evidence-to-Action in Disability (AfriNEAD)	Ass. Prof Gubela Mji, Chairperson, AfriNEAD
15:00 – 15:30	Putting researchers with disabilities at the centre of disability research in Southern Africa; experiences from the SAFOD Research Program (SRP)	Prof. Leslie Swartz, Stellenbosch University, South Africa
15:30 – 15:45	Tea Break	Secretariat
15:45 – 16:30	An evaluation of the impact of the Living Conditions studies in Southern Africa	Prof. Arne Henning Eide, SINTEF, Norway
16:30 – 17:00	Plenary session	Secretariat
17:00	End of Day 3	Secretariat

Day 4: 23rd June 2017

TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE
0800 – 0830	Registration	Secretariat
Session 9: Raising a Case for the SADC Disability Protocol		(Mrs. Rachel Kachaje)
08:30 – 09:15	Key findings of the “Review of SADC Protocols and Other Key Relevant SADC Documents to Assess the Extent to which they are Inclusive of Disability Rights.”	Wamundila Waliuya, Commissioner at Human Rights Commission, Zambia
09:15 – 10:00	Presentation of the Draft SADC Disability Protocol	Wamundila Waliuya, Commissioner at Human Rights Commission, Zambia
10:00 – 10:45	Plenary Session	Facilitator

10:45 – 11:15	Discussion on the Draft Concept on the Regional Advocacy Platform on the Campaign for the SADC Protocol <i>(Delegates to discuss and agree the proposed operational structure, membership criteria, Terms of reference for the members (volunteers), action plan with targets/deliverables, including resource mobilisation, etc.).</i>	SAFOD Secretariat
11:15 – 11:30	Tea Break	Facilitator
Session 10: Panel Debate		Chairperson: Ms Tiseke Kasambara (OSISA)
11:30 – 12:15	Topic: <i>Enhancing the role of SAFOD, the entire disability sector, donors and private sector towards achieving sustainable and inclusive development in the region</i>	Panellists: (a) SAFOD Founder (b) SAFOD affiliate (c) Donor rep (d) UN rep (e) Private Sector (f) Youth rep
12:15 – 12:45	Plenary Session	
12:45 – 13:00	Adoption of the Regional Advocacy Platform on the Campaign for the SADC Protocol	SAFOD Secretariat
13:00 – 13:30	Closing ceremony <i>(closing remarks/speeches)</i>	- SAFOD Chairperson - Distinguished Guests
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch & end Program	Secretariat

Draft Program* for Side Events

DATE	TIME	EVENT	RESPONSIBLE	STATUS
20 June 17	18:00 – 20:30	Dinner Gala - <i>To present awards to Disability Champions in Southern Africa</i>	SAFOD Secretariat	NOT Confirmed
21 June 17	18:00 – 20:30	Mainstreaming Disability in the Disability Inclusive Disaster Risk Reduction	FEDOMA	Confirmed
21 June 17	18:00 – 20:30		TBC	TBC
22 June 17	18:00 – 20:30	Assessing Impact of Accessible Technologies in Southern Africa - <i>Key lessons from the Assistive Technology Information Mapping (AT-Info-Map) project & the GATE Project.</i>	SAFOD / University of Washington / AfriNEAD	Confirmed
22 June 17	18:00 – 20:30		TBC	TBC

**There will be specific programs of activities for each side event which will be included in the final conference pack prior to the Round Table Forum*