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Agenda

Moderator: Isabelle Kumar, Presenter and TV Journalist

12:30-14:00 Lunch and networking session

14:00-14:30 Opening session: Supporting Education since the EU Peace Nobel Prize

Janez Lenarčič, European Commissioner for Crisis Management

Karin Hulshof, Deputy Executive Director of UNICEF

Young people affected by humanitarian crises: Sonia (Ukraine), Omega (South Sudan/Uganda) and Rania (Yemen)

14:30-15:30 Panel discussion: Impact of Education Investment

Speakers:

Inger Ashing, Chief Executive Officer, Save the Children

György Hölvényi, Member of the European Parliament

Fatoumata Haidara, Director for the Sahel, Plan International

Afshan Khan, Regional Director for Europe and Central Asia, UNICEF

15:30-16:00 Coffee break

16:00-17:00 Panel discussion: Safe Schools and Education for Children in Armed Conflict

Speakers:

Virginia Gamba, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Children and Armed Conflict

Stefania Giannini, UNESCO Assistant Director-General for Education

María Cristina Gutiérrez Hernández, Head of Humanitarian Office, AECID, Spain

Knut Doermann, Head of Delegation to the EU, NATO and the Kingdom of Belgium, International Committee of the Red Cross

17:00-17:45 Panel discussion: Stepping up Education in Emergencies in the Nexus Perspective

Yasmine Sherif, Director of Education Cannot Wait

Carolina Estroia, Director for Bilateral Cooperation, Camões I.P., Portugal

Rebecca Telford, Chief of Education, UNHCR - United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

Erica Gerretsen, Director for Human Development, Migration, Governance and Peace, Directorate-General for International Partnerships, European Commission

17:45-17:55 Screening of the Documentary “When I grow up”

In the presence of documentary protagonists from Irpin

17:55-18:00 Closing remarks

Bertrand Bainvel, UNICEF Representative to the European Union Institutions, Director of the Partnership Office, Brussels

Andreas Papaconstantinou, Director for Neighbourhood and Middle East, DG ECHO, European Commission