

International Symposium: Local Vs Global

A one-day symposium focusing on the synthesis of Local and Global strategies for sustainable development in Ghana

Date and time: Wednesday 7th September 2011, 09:30am — 16:30pm

Venue: TBC

Time	Session and title	Speaker(s)
09.00-09.30	Arrival	
09.30-10.00	Introduction Remarks Opening Speech	UN-HABITAT, and ASF-UK Ministry of Water Resources, Works and Housing
10.00-10.30	1. Introduction to workshop	UN-Habitat, ASF-UK
10.30-11.30	Session One: Sustainable Strategies for Building in Ghana; Challenges and Opportunities	ASF-UK (Chair)
	2. Ghana Green Building Council, the role of regulations	Co-Founder Green Ghana Building Council
	3. OS House network, delivering sustainable homes with local and global solutions	Programme manager OS House Network
	4. Sabre Trust, New Buildings for Education	TBC
	Session One panel discussion/speakers questions	All speakers from this session
11.30-12.00	Morning coffee/tea break	
12.00-13.00	Session Two: Creating Sustainable Livelihoods	ASF-UK (Chair)
	5. Green Ghana Project, Green Micro finance And enterprise	Hayford Siaw Director VPWA
	6. INBAR Income generation with Bamboo and Rattan	Micheal Kwaku, Programme coordinator INBAR
	7. The role of renewable energy	Ghana Solar
	8. Building on local knowledge and tradition	Speaker from Building and Roads Research Institute Kumasi
	Session Two panel discussion/speakers questions	All speakers from this session
13.00-14.00	Lunch (provided)	
14.00-15.00	Session Three: The Housing Challenge, integrating a sustainable agenda	ASF-UK (Chair)
	8. UN-Habitat Report	UN-Habitat
	9. Delivering low cost homes	Housing the Masses Enabling housing Profile and Policy (MWHWH)
	10. Residents' Perspectives	People's Dialogue (NGO)
	Session Three panel discussion/speakers questions	All speakers from this session
15.00-15.30	Afternoon coffee/tea	
15.30-16.30	Session Four: Looking forward for action	VPWA (Chair)
	11. An outline of the two-week Workshop in Ghana	Sophie Morley, Ben Powell, Anthony Powis
	12. Round-table discussion (TBC): <i>"The challenges and opportunities of sustainable strategies in meeting the demands for education, housing and livelihoods in rapidly developing contexts"</i>	

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