



The United Nations Decade on Biodiversity (UNDB): Celebrating Champions and taking action for a future of life in harmony with nature.

14 October 2014 – 17:30 p.m.-19:00 p.m.

Auditorium - Alpensia Convention Center - Pyeongchang, Republic of Korea

1. Welcome by the Executive Secretary, Mr. Braulio Ferreira de Souza Dias.
2. Deputy Minister for Environment and Energy of the Maldives, H.E. Mr. Abdulla, Mohamed Didi
3. Dr. Choe Jae-chun, National Institute of Ecology, Republic of Korea (tentative)
4. Mr. Kazuaki Hoshino, Ministry of Environment of Japan with Prof. Siro Wakui, acting chair of UNDB-J
5. Mr. Nik Sekhran, UNDP, Director of Sustainable Development
6. Mr. Marcos Silva, Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Flora and Fauna (CITES)
7. Ms. Cyrie Sendashonga, Secretariat of the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN)
8. Declaration by Youth
9. Biodiversity Champions: Presentation of the new Programme by Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity
 - a. Mr. Hem Pande, Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India
 - b. Ms. Ann Tutweiler, Director General, Bioversity International
 - c. Mr. Seukwoo Kang, Ministry of Environment of the Republic of Korea
10. Propelling action for biodiversity: Entering the second half of the UNDB - Presentation by the CBD Secretariat on the UNDB website and actions.
11. Closing and cocktail sponsored by the Government of Japan and CBD Secretariat

Moderator : CBD Secretariat