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Mr Ehi Iden - OSHAfrica President
Commissioner of labour and Social Affairs, AU
International Trade Union Confederation
Minister of Labour of the Republic of South Africa

PLENARY SESSIONS

DAY 1

Theme: **OSH and the Future of Work**

Mr Frank Muchiri - *Trends in OSH with a key focus on Africa* -
Senior ILO OSH specialist
Mr Alan Stevens - Latest approaches to Safety and Health - Head
Global Engagement and Partnership IOSH
Mr Peter John (Jakes) Jacobs - President IOHA

DAY 2

Theme: **Leadership for Occupational Health and Safety**

Dr Ivan Ivanov - WHO
Dr Jukka Takala - President, ICOH
Prof. Andrew Curran - Chief Scientific Adviser and Director of
Research at the Health and Safety Executive, (UK)
President, International Social Security Association

DAY 3

Theme: **4th Industrial Revolution and the Future of Work**

Commissioner Mthunzi Mdwaba - *100 years and the Future of work*
-ILO
Prof Malcolm Sim - Director Centre or Occupational and
Environmental Health, MONASH University, President ICOH 2021

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MINING SESSION

19 September 2019

Topics

The context for OHS in Mining: Global and African trends
Panel discussion: The maturity of the mining industry in reaching
desired Safety and Health success
Occupational hygiene and Health Risks and Controls
Panel discussion: Challenges and solutions for artisanal and small-
scale mining
Vision Zero Implementation and organisational alignment to the 7
Golden Rules

Some of the speakers

Mr Isaac Kwesu - President, Mining Industry Association of Southern
Africa (MIASA)
Mr Roger Baxter - CEO of Minerals Council South Africa
Mr Helmut Ehnes - General Secretary ISSA Mining
Mr Themba Mkhwanazi - Chair CEO Zero Harm Forum, CEO Kumba
Iron Ore
Mr Mark Holmes - Manager, Health and Safety, ICMM
Mr Obete Matine - Inspector General for Mining, Mozambique
Mr Charles Akong - WHO
Mr Manti Michael - Nota
Mr Peter Appel
Mrs Namakau Kaingu - Chairperson MIASA Small Scale Mining
Group
Mr Roberto Hermosilla - Progreso, Guatemala
Mr Mark Fullermann - Health and Safety Specialist - ISSA Mining
Europe
Mr Thi Hoa Inga Nguyen - Vietnam

PARALLEL SESSIONS AND PANEL DISCUSSIONS

DAY 1

1. OSH PREVENTION STRATEGIES

Mr Sedat Yenidunya - *The Turkish experience* - Director General OHS Turkey

Prof Gasanna - *A Culture Perspective and Sustainable Improvements in Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) Performance* - Kuwait

Dr Bara Kabaka Brown - *Improving safety behaviours: the role of safety-specific transformational leadership and safety management practices in the Nigerian construction industry* - Mobil Producing Unlimited Nigeria

Dr Sven Timm - *Using Digital Media in Occupational Safety and Health* - DGUV, German Social Accident Insurance - Germany

2. WELLBEING AND DISEASE PREVENTION AND MANAGEMENT

Dr Ivan Ivanov - *Prevention and management of non-communicable diseases and mental health at the workplace: UN call for action* – Lead Global Worker's Health, WHO

Dr Charles Mbekeni - *Total Worker Health, a new approach to occupational health* - Lead Health Anglo American - South Africa

Dr Lanre Ajayi - *The future of work and the role of occupational health - crossroads between health and wealth*

Dr Blessing Garamumhango - *Practical approaches for total worker health in the mining industry*

Dr Frank Pega - *Occupational health of migrant workers* - WHO

3. OCCUPATIONAL HYGIENE CHALLENGES

Mr Norman Khoza - *Regional occupational hygiene strategy and progress* - NEPAD, South Africa

Keneilwe Matjola - *Growing Occupational hygiene in Botswana: The Debswana journey* - Botswana

Deon Swanepoel - *Welding fume exposure and control in Southern Africa* - South Africa

Ms Cynthia Ramotsehoa - *Solar ultraviolet radiation exposure and sun protection behaviours and knowledge among outdoor workers in informal sector in North West Province of South Africa* - South Africa

Mr Kistensamy Naicken - *Respirator Non - Wear Time Impact* - South Africa

4. RISK AND SAFETY MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

Dr Sarel Smit - *A new science-based view on safety hazards and safety risks* - Safety Practitioner South Africa

Mr Gert Matshoge - *Exploration of Health and Safety risks at Childcare centres in low income settlements in the city of Tshwane* - South Africa.

Mr Lester Claravall - *Mainstreaming OHS into education at schools*

5. POLICY, LEGISLATION AND ITS ENABLERS

Dr Titilola Hameed - *Prioritizing the Need for a Harmonized Occupational Safety and Health Legal Regime for Africa* – Lecturer, Nigerian Law School, Lagos.

Ms Peneyambeko Munkawa - *Regional profile on policy and legislation* - ILO

Mr Alex Kamadu - *The state of mine health regulation and occupational health and safety (OHS) service in Southern Africa: Desktop review.*

Mr Tibor Szana - *Chief Inspector Dept of Labour, South Africa*

Ms Barbara Kyayongo – *East African Perspective*

6. OHS IN INFORMAL SECTOR SESSION

Co-Chairs: Dr. Ivanov/Mr. Sabelo Mkhwanazi

Oumer Diop - *Status of health and safety in the informal sector in Africa* - AUC

Ms Karen Du Preez - *Prevention and control of health hazards amongst waste handlers in Johannesburg* - NIOH South Africa

Mr Norman Gwezuvu - *Occupational Safety and Health Problems Associated with the Small and Medium Scale Metal Fabrication Enterprises in Willowvale Industrial Area* - National Social Security Authority (NSSA) Zimbabwe

Prof Amani Waheed - *Chronic Pesticides Exposure and Certain Endocrine Functions among Farmers in East Almnaif District, Ismailia Governorate* - Egypt Suez Canal University

Ms Winnie Makokha - *Occupational Injuries Among Artisanal and Small-scale Gold Mining Workers in Rosterman* - student, Malawi

7. OHS IN CONSTRUCTION

Mr Sanjay Gandhi - *OHS Risk reduction throughout the facility's lifetime* - Kurrent Technologies, Kenya

Prof Karl-Heinz Noetel - *Falls from a height – What has changed during the last 20 years in the construction industry?* - President ISSA-Construction

Prof John Smallwood - *Preventing accidents in construction* - Professor and Head of the Department of Construction Management, Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University.

Mr Leighton Bennett - *Excavation Safety: An African Perspective* - Benrisk Consulting, Vice Chairperson Safety First Association

Dr Claire Deacon - *Professional Health and Safety Issues in Practice* - Nelson Mandela University.

8. OSH MENTAL HEALTH

Dr Spo Kgalamono - *Mental health in the workplace* – NIOH South Africa

Dr Cheikh Al Khalifa Cisse - *Management of occupational Psychosocial Risk Factors* - Senegal

9. SOLUTIONS FOR PROTECTING AND PROMOTING THE SAFETY AND HEALTH OF WORKERS IN THE INFORMAL SECTOR:

Panel discussion. Co- Chairs: Frank Muchiri (ILO) and Frank Pega (WHO)

Panellists: Mr Charles Akong, WHO/AFRO; Mr Mbokazi (AUC); Mrs

Namakau Kaingu (Chair of MASA small scale mining group in SADC);

DAY 2

10. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND CAPACITY BUILDING

Dr Ulrike Bollman - *Mainstreaming OSH into education: a strategy for Africa* - ENETOSH Germany

Prof Derk Brouwer - *Wits School of Hygiene* - South Africa

Prof Janvier Gasana - *Online Graduate Certificate in Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) to be offered by African OSH experts in the diaspora* - Kuwait

Dr Kruger Kaswaswa - *Providing sustainable occupational health capacity training: A Cross - Sectional Review in Malawi* - Malawi

Mr Alastair McFarlane - SAIMM - South Africa

11. OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND THE TB EPIDEMIC

Panel Co-chair: Dr Jameson Malemela

Panellists

Mr Perry Gottesfeld – *Context of the UNHLM and silica- exposed workers and TB: New opportunities to protect workers*

Chimwemwe Chamdimba – *The African Response* - NEPAD Agency

Prof Amani Waheed – Egypt

Dr Theoneste – Rwanda

Dr Rajen Naidoo – UKZN University - South Africa

Dr Barry Kistnasamy – RSA

Dr Conrad Mwansa – Global Fund and World bank Initiatives on TB Zambia

12. ERGONOMICS IN AFRICA: BUILDING TOWARDS SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Dr Soukouna Dadjo - *Ergonomic and Sanitary Aspects of Child Labour in Gravels Operating Carriers in South of Togo* - Direction Générale Du Travail, Togo

Mr Andrew Todd - *The role of Human Factors and Ergonomics in African Social and Economic Development* - Rhodes University and IEA international development standing committee chair South Africa

Mr Andrew Thatcher - *The systems ergonomics approach to promoting healthy and safe working environments* - University of Witwatersrand and Science, Technology and Practice chair for Ergo Africa South Africa

Jono Davy - *Sleep, working time, shift-work and the role of ergonomics in optimising human performance* - Rhodes University and acting president of Ergonomics Society of South Africa

Soukouna Dadjo - *Ergonomic and sanitary aspects of child labour in gravels operating carriers in South of Togo* - Togo

13. INFORMATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS AND APPLICATION OF TECHNOLOGY IN H&S –

Mr Frank Pega – *Work-related burden of diseases in information management and Africa* - WHO/HQ

Prof Frank van Dijk - *The function or use of information and education in OSH by workers, companies, professionals, government, social security* - Foundation Learning and Developing Occupational Health (LDOH) Netherlands

Dr Cas Badenhorst - *OIS system from Anglo American* - South Africa

Mrs Ntombizodwa, Ndlovu - *The usefulness of administrative data for occupational disease surveillance* - University Of The Witwatersrand, South Africa

14. OCCUPATIONAL DISEASES AND HEALTH

Mrs Linda Reinstein - President and CEO, Asbestos Disease Awareness Organization (ADAO) - USA

Dr Sengül Cosar - *Evaluation of asbestos risk at urban renovation studies in Istanbul*. Ministry of Family - Labour And Social Services, Turkey.

Mr Kobus Dekker - *The mine workers' exposure to crystalline silica dust levels in Southern Africa* - KDOHC South Africa

Dr Musiba Zumbi - *The use of the UK HSE classification of audiograms in the prevention of noise induced hearing loss* - UK

Dr Elton Dorkin - *Do routine executive medical examinations improve the health risk and work engagement of company senior executives*

Prof Ayman Fomscu - *Assessment of Work Ability among per-menopausal female teachers*.

Dr Paul Obadia - *Erectile dysfunction and mining-related jobs. A case-control study in Lumbumbashi* - DRC

15. OHS IN OIL AND GAS

Dr Oliver Naidu - *Sasol's high severity incident programme* - Vice President SHE Enablement South Africa

Mr Ncazane Mabena - *Emergency preparedness in entering reactors* - Astron Energy

Agharese Ojelede - *Behavioural and Human Factor Interventions: Promoting a positive workplace safety culture to prevent incidents through Intervention programmes*

Mr Saide Mansur - *Behavioral and Human factor Interventions* - South Africa

16. OHS AGRICULTURE

Mr Ivan Ivanov - *Protecting the health of outdoor workers from environmental risks*

Ms Nadia Correale – *Vulnerable groups and cooperation with ESP on child labour in agriculture* - Rotterdam Convention Secretariat Holland

DAY 3

17. DISASTER MANAGEMENT AND FIRE SAFETY

Mr Ehi Iden - *The African economy: OSH significance and sustainable Future of Work* - Nigeria

Mrs Jannette Kibogy - *Implementation of Disaster Risk Management and Business Continuity Program: A Case Study* - Kenya

Mr Zindoga Misau - Mozambique PS

Mr Ivan Ivanov - *Demonstration of WHO/ILO manual on occupational health and safety in public health emergencies*

Frank Muchiri - *WHO/ILO recommendations on occupational health and safety in outbreaks of Ebola virus diseases* - ILO

18. HEALTHCARE WORKERS

Chair: Mary Anne Groepe, WHO Office in South Africa and **Ms Peneyambeko Munkawa**, ILO/Zambia

Mr Ivan Ivanov – *WHO/ILO national programmes for occupational health of health workers*

Mr Kabelo Zwinila - *The national programme on occupational health of health workers in Botswana* - Ministry of Health of Botswana

Prof. David Rees - *South Africa the road map for implementing the national programme on occupational health of health workers in South Africa* - NIOH South Africa

19. REHABILITATION COMPENSATION AND SOCIAL SECURITY

Ms Milka Mungunda - Vice President, ISSA

RMA - South Africa

Dr Elizabeth Nkumbula - Compensation Commission, Zambia

Ms Milly Ruiters - COIDA, South Africa

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