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International Symposium on Freedom of Expression

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UNESCO, Room II
125, avenue de Suffren, 75007, Paris, France

9:30-10:15am	Opening Session UNESCO, Fontenoy, Room II
Speakers:	Welcome Speech by Irina Bokova , UNESCO Director-General Address by Birgitta Ohlsson , Swedish Minister for Democracy and European Affairs Keynote speech by Frank La Rue , United Nations Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of the right to freedom of opinion and expression
10:15-10:45	Coffee Break
Symposium's Moderator: Helge Rønning , Professor of Media Studies at the Department of Media and Communication, University of Oslo, Norway	
10:45-12:30	The Status of Press Freedom Worldwide
Panelists:	Omar Faruk Osman , President, Federation of African Journalists (FAJ) Jean-François Julliard , Secretary General, Reporters without Borders Gayathry Venkiteswaran , Executive Director, Southeast Asia Press Alliance Khaled Abu Aker , Director, Arab Media Internet Network, Amin.org Q&A session
12:30-2:30	Lunch Break
2:30-3:45	Freedom of Expression on the Internet
Panelists:	Guy Berger , Head of the School of Journalism and Media Studies at Rhodes University, Grahamstown, South Africa Gordana Vilovic , Senior Lecturer, Zagreb University, Faculty of Political Science, Croatia William Dutton , Director, Oxford Internet Institute, United Kingdom Robert O. Boorstin , Director, Public Policy, Google, United States of America Q&A session

3:45-4:00	Coffee Break
4:00-5:15	Press Freedom and the Safety of Journalists
Panelists:	Mónica González , Laureate of the 2010 UNESCO/Guillermo Cano World Press Freedom Prize, Chile Rodney Pinder , Director, International News Safety Institute Nancy Roc , International Correspondent, Executive Director, Incas Productions, Haiti Elisabeth Witchel , Impunity Campaign Consultant, Committee to Protect Journalists Q&A session
5:15-5:45	Closing Session
Speakers:	H. E. Mr Mats Ringborg , Permanent Ambassador of the Kingdom of Sweden to UNESCO Jānis Kārklīņš , Assistant-Director General, Sector of Communication and Information, UNESCO
6:00pm	Reception



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