

ALBINISM AWARENESS DAY
UNESCO House
13 June 2016
Room IV

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME
“Live with albinism”

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| 14:00 – 14:30 | Official ceremony (IV) |
| | <p>Opening addresses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - H. E. Mr Jacques Kabale, Ambassador of the Republic of Rwanda to France, and President of the African Group - Mr Peter Ash, Founder and President, Under the Same sun - Mr Edouard Firmin Matoko, Assistant Director-General for Africa |
| 14:30 – 17:40 | Symposium (Room IV) |
| 14:30 – 14:40 | <p>Introduction : Mr Casimiro Vizzini, Expert, Division of Science Policy and Capacity-Building, Natural Sciences Sector</p> |
| 14:40 – 15:45 | <p>Panel of Scientists : “Medical Perspectives on Albinism”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Prof. Robert Aquaron, Honorary Professor, Biologist-Geneticist - Prof. Levi Kandeke, Ophtalmic-Surgeon - Prof. Benoît Arveiler, Head of the Unit of Biological Genetic, University Hospital Center of Bordeaux (CHU) - Prof. Gérard Lorette, Dermatologist, Professor emeritus, University of Tours <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by Mr Casimiro Vizzini : “Data sharing, the experience of the Human Variome project” <p>Moderator : Prof. Komlavi Francisco Seddoh, President of the Programme and External Relations Commission of the Executive Board of UNESCO</p> |

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| 15:45 – 16:00 | Coffee-break (Foyer Room I) |
| 16:00 – 17:20 | <p>Associations Panel : “Albinism on a daily-basis - Testimony”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Anida, France - <i>Alba, Espagne</i> (to be confirmed) - Genespoir, France - Hema (albinos Association of Hema Nayele), France - SACRI international (Association against ritual crimes), France - Siam (Solidarity Association Solidarité the inclusion of Albinos), Mali - Under The Same Sun, Canada <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by Mr Christophe Cornu, Senior Programme Specialist and Team Leader, Respect for All in a Safe and Healthy Environment Section of Health and Education, Division for Inclusion, Peace and Sustainable Development, Education Sector: “Health Education” <p>Moderator :</p> <p>Mr Christophe Cornu</p> |
| 17:25- 17:40 | <p>Closure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mrs Béatrice Garrette, Director-General, Pierre Fabre Foundation - Mr Edouard Firmin Matoko, Assistant Director-General for Africa |
| 17:45 – 19:25 | <p>Screening of the documentary film “Black man, white skin” (Room IV) Debate with M. José Manuel Colón, Film Director</p> |
| 19:30 – 20:00 | <p>Inauguration of the Exhibition : « White Ebony » (Rooms Miro) Mrs Patricia Willocq, Photographer</p> |
| 20:00 – 21:00 | <p>Reception (Ségur Hall)</p> |