Preliminary Program

Global Town Hall: Hope in a Time of Uncertainty

October 8, 2020
8:30 – 10:00 via Zoom

8:00
Speakers join for test run

8:20
Session opens

8:30
Welcome Remarks
Professor Kurt Dirks, Washington University in St. Louis

8:35
Opening Remarks (live)
Chancellor Andrew D. Martin, Washington University in St. Louis

8:40 – 9:20
Introduction of Panel / Session
Moderator: Professor Kurt Dirks, Washington University in St. Louis

• What global problem presents the greatest concern for you today, and how does your field of study address this problem?

• What gives you hope for the future?

• Professor Nadine Baudot-Trajtenberg, Faculty Member, Tiomkin School of Economics, IDC Herzliya; Deputy Governor, Bank of Israel (2014-2019) (5 minutes)

• Professor Shalini Bharat, Director/Vice Chancellor, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai, India (5 minutes)

• Professor Barnabas Nawangwe, Vice Chancellor, Makerere University, Uganda; Registered Architect; Member, Uganda National Council of Science and Technology (5 minutes)

• Alejandro Poiré, Dean, School of Social Sciences and Government, Tecnológico de Monterrey; Secretary of the Interior of Mexico (2011-2012) (5 minutes)

• William Powderly, Dr. J. William Campbell Professor of Medicine; Larry J. Shapiro Director, Institute for Public Health, Washington University in St. Louis (5 minutes)

• Leila Sadat, James Carr Professor of International Criminal Law; Director of the Whitney R. Harris World Law Institute and Special Adviser on Crimes Against Humanity to the ICC Prosecutor (5 minutes)

• Professor Rocky Tuan, Vice Chancellor and President, The Chinese University of Hong Kong; Lee Quo Wei and Lee Yick Hoi Lun Professor of Tissue Engineering and Regenerative Medicine, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (5 minutes)

9:20 – 9:25
Video remarks from partner presidents and representatives
Introduced by Professor Kurt Dirks, Washington University in St. Louis

9:25 – 9:50
Discussion & Q&A
Moderator: Professor Kurt Dirks, Washington University in St. Louis

• Share selection of previously submitted and live questions

9:50 – 9:55
Photo Contest Winners Announcement
Professor Kurt Dirks, Washington University in St. Louis

9:55 – 10:00
Closing Remarks
Professor Kurt Dirks, Washington University in St. Louis