# Kaiser International Health Journalism Fellowship Program Journalists' briefing sessions in advance of the XVI International AIDS Conference, Toronto, Canada Thursday, August 10/Friday, August 11, 2006

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Location: Novotel Toronto Centre

45 The Esplanade, Toronto, ON, M5E-1W2, Canada (Tel: +1-416-367-8900; Fax: +1-416-360-8285)

#### **WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9**

Arrival in Toronto

Evening: Informal dinner at the Novotel hotel

#### **THURSDAY, AUGUST 10**

Meetings in The Champagne West Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Novotel hotel

8:30am: Coffee/Buffet breakfast

9:00am: Welcome, Introductions and Expectations:

Introduction of journalists and faculty members; highlight key

goals of briefing sessions

Penny Duckham, executive director, Kaiser Media Fellowships

Program, Henry J. Kaiser Family Foundation

9:15am-10:30am: Overview of the global epidemic, and of the epidemics in

Africa, India, the Caribbean, Russia and Ukraine:

Jennifer Kates, Director of HIV/AIDS Policy, Kaiser Family

Foundation

Presentation followed by Q&A

Break

10:45am-12:00pm: Prevention of HIV/AIDS

Judith Auerbach, PhD, Vice President, Public Policy and

Program Development, The Foundation for AIDS

Research (amfAR)

Presentation followed by Q&A

12:00pm-2:00pm: Break out into smaller groups for lunch and discussion:

Stigma, Language and the Challenges of Reporting on

HIV/AIDS: Use of language and the vocabulary of HIV/AIDS;

ethics; the use of photographs/video

Break

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2:15pm-3:30pm: Confronting stigma, and the challenges in rolling out ARV

treatment—The Botswana experience and its implications for

Africa, India and the Caribbean

Dr. Ernest Darkoh, Chairman, BroadReach Healthcare; former director of Botswana's National AIDS Treatment Programme

Presentation followed by Q&A

Break

3:45pm-5:00pm: Women, children and AIDS—Mrs. Bernice Heloo, President,

The Society of Women against AIDS in Africa; and executive

director, Pro-Link, Accra, Ghana

6:30pm: Optional reception

7:00pm: Optional BBQ/Buffet on hotel patio

#### FRIDAY, AUGUST 11

Meetings in The Champagne West Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Novotel hotel

8:30am: Coffee/Buffet breakfast

9:00am-10:00am: Helene D. Gayle, M.D., M.P.H., Co-Chair XVI International

AIDS Conference & President, International AIDS Society; president and CEO, CARE USA—What are the goals of the XVI

AIDS Conference?

Break

10:15am-12:00pm: How to Report on an IAS conference:

--How to read Medical Abstracts, the science of AIDS/reporting

on an IAS conference

-- How to interview scientists

--How to structure reporting over a week of conflicting events Panel with Jon Cohen, writer, *Science* magazine, Akin Jimoh; Kalpana Jain; Linda Villarosa; Maureen Brosnahan; Maureen

**Taylor** 

12:00pm-2:00pm: Break out into smaller groups for lunch and discussion:

What are the key issues for your readership/audience?

Break

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2:00pm-3:15pm: Clinical/Vaccine Trials—Katie Moore, Senior

Director, global communications, International AIDS

Vaccine Initiative (IAVI)

Break

3:30pm-4:30pm: Health care in Canada—introduction to Toronto, the

Canadian system and multi-cultural society, Canadian journalism and media issues:

Susan Marjetti, Regional Director of Radio, Toronto 99.1 & Southern Ontario English Radio Regional News,

Canadian Broadcasting Corporation and Pauline Dakin, National

Health/Medical Reporter, CBC Radio

4:30pm: Final group session—Questions, Thoughts

Moderator: Penny Duckham

7:30pm: Dinner—The Alsace Room

<u>Speaker</u>: Mary Fisher, UNAIDS Special Representative and founder, Mary Fisher Clinical AIDS Research & Education

(CARE) Fund

"Learning Indifference: 15 Years a Pilgrim"

#### **SATURDAY, AUGUST 12**

8:00am: Depart hotel for the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation

Broadcast Center (opposite convention center)

8:30am-9:00am: Continental breakfast offered by the CBC

9:00am-1:30pm: Ethics in health reporting: Canadian Institute for

Training in Public Broadcasting CBC/Radio-Canada

Renee Pellerin, Executive Producer, In-House

Documentaries, Newsworld Production Unit, CBC and Gustavo A. Win, Development Officer and Trainer,

Broadcasting Board of Governors / International Broadcasting

Bureau, Washington, DC

12:30pm: Lunch offered by the CBC during training program)

Saturday afternoon options

1:00pm-6:00pm: IAVI satellite session, Renaissance Hotel

AIDS vaccine research in the developing world Visit International AIDS Conference Center

--Advance registration and collect conference materials

--General orientation

#### Free time

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#### SATURDAY, AUGUST 12 (continued)

7:00pm: Optional dinner, location CAMERA Bar

1028 Queen Street West

Screening and discussion of *The Age of AIDS* Renata Simone, producer, *The Age of AIDS* FRONTLINE, WGBH/PBS Television

#### **SUNDAY, AUGUST 13**

Evening: Opening Ceremony

#### MONDAY, AUGUST 14/FRIDAY, AUGUST 18

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#### **Panelists/Moderators**

- --Maureen Brosnahan, national reporter, CBC News-Investigations
- --Jon Cohen, writer, Science Magazine
- --Vito Cupoli, Senior Producer, English Radio News, CBC
- --George Curry, editor in chief, National Newspaper Publishers Association News Service and BlackPressUSA.com
- --Pauline Dakin, national health/medical reporter, English Radio News, CBC
- --Ervin Dyer, reporter, The Pittsburgh Post Gazette
- -- Frankie Edozien, reporter, New York Post
- -- Ms. Natalia Feduschak, Kaiser International Journalism Fellow, Kyiv, Ukraine
- --Susan Jacobs, former medical editor, The Orange County Register, CA
- --Kalpana Jain, former health editor, *The Times of India*; Kaiser International Journalism Fellow, New Delhi, India
- --Akin Jimoh, program director, Development Communications Network Media Resource and Advocacy Centre, Lagos, Nigeria
- --Jackie Judd, vice president, Kaiser Family Foundation; former special correspondent, *ABC Television News*, Washington D.C.
- -- Jaldeep Katwala, BBC World Service Trust, Nigeria
- --Susan Marjetti, Canadian Broadcasting Corporation
- --Renee Pellerin, Executive Producer, In-House Documentaries CBC
- --Maureen Taylor, national health reporter, English Network Television News, CBC
- --Gustavo A. Win, Development Officer and Trainer, Broadcasting Board of Governors / International Broadcasting Bureau, Washington, DC
- --Linda Villarosa, contributing writer, *The New York Times*

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#### **Invited Journalists**

#### **AFRICA**

- 1. Ms. Betty Abah, staff writer, *TELL magazine*, Lagos, Nigeria; 2006 Alfred Friendly Fellow
- 2. Ms. Lillian Aluanga, The Sunday Standard, Kenya
- 3. Mr. Akin Jimoh, Lagos, Nigeria
- 4. Mr. Simon Kasyate, Daily Monitor, Uganda
- 5. Mr. Jaldeep Katwala, BBC World Service Trust, Nigeria
- 6. Ms. Tchibozo Komlan Makeba, Adjinakou newspaper, Benin
- 7. Mr. Francisco Manjate, *Jornal Noticias* newspaper, Mozambique
- 8. Ms. Hellen Miseda, The People On Sunday/The People Daily, Kenya
- 9. Ms. Arlita Jose Monjane, TV Miramar, Mozambique
- 10. Mr. Robert Mukondiwa, The Sunday Mail, Zimbabwe
- 11. Mr. Samuel Muraya, Metro-FM radio, Kenya
- 12. Mr. Elseborn Mwangi, freelance reporter, The People Daily, Kenya
- 13. Mr. Ansbert Ngurumo, East African/Free Media, Tanzania
- 14. Ms. Nassima Oulebsir, Le Jeune Independent newspaper, Algeria
- 15. Ms. Anso Thom, Health-e/Sunday Times, South Africa

#### **CANADA**

### Canadian Broadcasting Corporation / Canadian Institute for Training in Public Broadcasting faculty

- 1. Ms. Maureen Brosnahan, Canadian Broadcasting Corporation
- 2. Mr. Vito Cupoli, Senior Producer, English Radio News, CBC
- 3. Ms. Pauline Dakin, Canadian Broadcasting Corporation
- 4. Ms. Susan Marjetti, Canadian Broadcasting Corporation
- 5. Ms. Renee Pellerin, Canadian Broadcasting Corporation
- 6. Ms. Maureen Taylor, Canadian Broadcasting Corporation
- 7. Mr. Gustavo A. Win, Broadcasting Board of Governors/International Broadcasting Bureau

#### **CARIBBEAN**

#### In partnership with Pan American Health Organization

- 1. Mr. Loren Burford, CVM Communications Group (CVMTV), Jamaica
- 2. Mr. Dale Enoch, Director of News and Public Affairs, Citadel Limited, Trinidad
- 3. Ms. Dale Forde, Reporter and News Anchor, Caribbean Broadcasting Corporation, Barbados

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- 4. Ms. Kendra Griffith, Great Belize Productions (Channel 5), Belize
- 5. Mr. David Rodríguez, Univision, Puerto Rico
- 6. Mr. Hector I. Aponte del Valle, camera operator, Univision, Puerto Rico

#### **INDIA**

- 1. Mr. Harindra Singh Bagwada, senior correspondent, Rajasthan Patrika, Jaipur, Rajasthan
- 2. Ms. Mohuya Chaudhari, senior editor, New Delhi Television, New Delhi
- 3. Mr. Shekhar Deshmukh, sr. sub-editor/reporter, *Loksatta*, Indian Express Newspapers, Mumbai
- 4. Ms. Rumni Ghosh, special correspondent, Dainik Bhaskar, Indore, Madhya Pradesh
- 5. Ms. Kalpana Jain, Kaiser International Health Journalism Fellow, New Delhi
- 6. Mr. Sudhir Mishra, senior correspondent, *Hindustan*, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh
- 7. Ms. Angana Parekh, reporter, Indian Women's Feature Service, New Delhi
- 8. Ms. Toufiq Rashid, reporter, *Indian Express*, New Delhi
- 9. Ms. Sanchita Sharma, health editor, *Hindustan Times*, New Delhi
- 10. Mr. Manish Srivastava, reporter, Dainik Jagran, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh
- 11. Mr. Arun Kumar Tripathi, news editor, Hindustan, New Delhi

#### **IAVI** journalists

- 1. Mr. Khopotso Bodibe, radio journalist, Health-e News Service, South Africa
- 2. Ms. Linda Nyondo, reporter, Zambia Daily Mail

#### **RUSSIA and UKRAINE**

- 1. Ms. Alla Astakhova, Special Reporter, Itogi Magazine, Moscow, Russia
- 2. Ms. Tetyana Bilyk, Director of Programs, Transatlantic Partners Against AIDS, Kyiv, Ukraine
- 3. Ms. Olga Knorre, Manager, Journalism Program in the Russian Federation, Transatlantic Partners Against AIDS
- 4. Mr. Andrey Reut, Editor, Economic Department, Izvestia Newspaper, Moscow, Russia
- 5. Mr. Igor Slisarenko, TV News Reporter, Channel 5, Kyiv, Ukraine
- 6. Ms. Iryna Solomko, Journalist, Korrespondent, Kyiv, Ukraine

#### U.S.—National Association of Black Journalists/Black AIDS Institute

- 1. George Curry, editor in chief, National Newspaper Publishers Association News Service and BlackPressUSA.com
- 2. Ervin Dyer, reporter, The Pittsburgh Post-Gazette
- 3. Frankie Edozien, reporter, New York Post
- 4. Susan Jacobs, former medical editor, The Orange County Register, CA
- 5. Linda Villarosa, contributing writer, *The New York Times*

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#### **Invited participants**

- Mr. Michael Curry, correspondent, Kontakt Television Network
   Mr. Vianou François Godonou, reporter, La Capitale, Republic of Benin
- 2. Ms. Aurora Herrera, Media and Communications Coordinator, Toronto YouthForce, TakingITGlobal and former reporter, *Trinidad Guardian*, Trinidad
- 3. Mr. Jurij R. Klufas, executive producer, Kontakt Ukrainian Television Network
- 4. Ms. Ina van der Linde, *Adjunct Director*, Office of the CEO Human Sciences Research Council, South Africa

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