Monitoring and Accountability: Supporting Governments to Meet their Commitments

Palisade Room, 3rd Floor, Carnesale Commons, UCLA
April 24, 2015

8:30 a.m.   **REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST**

9:00 a.m.   **Words of Welcome**
Jody Heymann
Founding Director, WORLD Policy Analysis Center and Dean, Fielding School of Public Health, UCLA

9:30 a.m.   **OPENING KEYNOTES**

Global Monitoring for the Realization of Economic, Social, and Cultural Rights:
A Challenge for Human Rights Treaty Bodies
Maria Virginia Bras Gomes
Member, UN Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights

The Data Revolution in Education and Implications for Education Policy Worldwide
Harry Patrinos
Practice Manager, Education Global Practice, World Bank Group

10:30 a.m.   **BREAK**

11:00 a.m.   **PANEL 1: Harnessing Data for Impact in Social and Economic Rights**
Moderator: Jody Heymann, *Founding Director, WORLD Policy Analysis Center and Dean, Fielding School of Public Health, UCLA*

➤ **Sarah Iqbal**
   Program Manager, Women, Business and the Law, World Bank

➤ **David Gordon**
   Director, Townsend Centre for International Poverty Research and Professor of Social Justice, University of Bristol

➤ **Jody Heymann**
   Founding Director, WORLD Policy Analysis Center and Dean, Fielding School of Public Health, UCLA

➤ **Discussion (30 min)**

12:30 p.m.   **LUNCH**

1:30 p.m.   **PANEL 2: Mechanisms for Participation and Accountability in Policymaking and Governance**
Moderator: Roberto Bissio, *International Coordinator, Social Watch and Executive Director, Third World Institute*

> **Jacqui Hunt**
> *Director of the Equality Now London Office*

> **Björn Halleröd**
> *Professor in Sociology, University of Gothenburg*

> **Anita Nayar**
> *Director, Regions Refocus 2015 and Senior Advisor, Dag Hammarskjöld Foundation*

> **Roberto Bissio**
> *International Coordinator, Social Watch and Executive Director, Third World Institute*

> **Discussion (30 min)**

3:00 p.m.   **BREAK**

3:30 p.m.   **PANEL 3: Storytelling and Interactive Transmedia for Engagement and Impact**
Moderator: Sean Southey, *Chief Executive Officer, PCI Media Impact*

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> **Catherine Bracy**
> *Director of Community Organizing, Code for America/Code for All*

> **Neal Baer**
> *Research Scientist and Adjunct Professor, Fielding School of Public Health, UCLA and Co-Founder, Global Media Center for Social Impact*

> **Husna Ali-Khan**
> *Director of Programs, Reboot*

> **Discussion (30 min)**

5:00 p.m.   **CLOSING KEYNOTE**

Fostering a Positive Digital Environment for Citizen Engagement and Participation
Rebecca MacKinnon
Co-Founder of Global Voices Online and Director of the Ranking Digital Rights Project at the New America Foundation Open Technology Institute

Next Steps
Jody Heymann
Founding Director, WORLD Policy Analysis Center and Dean, Fielding School of Public Health, UCLA

5:45 p.m.   **RECEPTION**