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## Antimicrobial Resistance: How to Foster Innovation, Access and Appropriate Use of Antibiotics?

A Joint Technical Symposium by the World Health Organization (WHO), the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) and the World Trade Organization (WTO)

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WIPO Headquarters, New Conference Hall

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

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09.30 – 10.00 Introductory Remarks

Speakers: Mr. Francis Gurry, Director General, WIPO

Mr. Roberto Azevêdo, Director-General, WTO

Mr. Keiji Fukuda, Special Representative for Antimicrobial

Resistance, WHO

10.00 – 10.45 **Keynote Address** 

Speaker: Ms. Hala Audi, Head of Review Team, representing

Mr. Jim O'Neill, Chair of the Review on Antimicrobial

Resistance, United Kingdom

10.45 – 11.15 Coffee Break

11.15 – 12.45 Panel 1 – Fostering access and appropriate use

Speakers: Ms. Evelina Tacconelli, Professor of Medicine,

Universitätsklinikum Tübingen, Tübingen, Germany

Ms. Eveline Wesangula, Coordinator of the Global Antibiotic Resistance Partnership (GARP), Kenya

Mr. Rob Ahern, Principal Officer of Agricultural Health

and Food Safety, Inter-American Institute for Cooperation in Agriculture (IICA), Costa Rica

Moderator: Ms. Suzanne Hill, Director, Department of Essential

Medicines and Health Products, WHO

12.45 – 14.15 Lunch Break

14.15 – 15.45 **Panel 2 – Business models for antibiotic innovation** 

Speakers: Mr. Jean-Pierre Paccaud, Director,

Business Development & Legal, Drugs for Neglected Diseases *initiative* (DND*i*), WHO/DND*i* Global Antibiotic

Research & Development Partnership (GARDP)

Viviana Munoz Tellez, Coordinator, Development, Innovation and Intellectual Property Programme,

The South Centre

Mr. Brian Woolhouse, Head,

Hospital and Acute Care Business, MSD, United States of

America

Moderator: Mr. Edward Kwakwa, Senior Director, Department for

Traditional Knowledge and Global Challenges, WIPO

## 15.45 – 17.15 Panel 3 – Trade policy in support of antimicrobial access and stewardship

Speakers: Ms. Monique Eloit, Director General,

World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE)

Mr. Lucas Sversut, Permanent Mission of Brazil to the

United Nations Office and other international

organizations in Geneva (tbc)

Mr. Jørgen Schlundt, Professor of Food Science and Technology, Nanyang Technological University,

Singapore

Moderator: Mr. Hoe Lim, Director, Trade and Environment Division,

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## **17.15 – 17.30 Closing Remarks**

Moderator: Mr. Minelik Alemu Getahun, Assistant Director General,

Global Issues Sector, WIPO

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