



AGENDA

Promoting and protecting the rights of children working and/or living on the street: An inclusive roundtable discussion in South East Asia

Lien Centre for Social Innovation, Singapore Management University

Singapore, 10-11th December

Tuesday, 10 December 2013

8:30 Registration

Moderator (9:00-10:15): David Schofield, Aviva

9:00-9:15: Welcoming

- Koh Choon Hui, Singapore Government Representative
- Sanushka Mudaliar, Lien Centre for Social Innovation

9:15-9:45: Key note statements

- Khor Hock Seng, CEO Aviva Asia
- Datin Paduka Intan Kassim, Chair, ASEAN Commission on Women and Children Rights
- Jyoti Sanghera, Chief, Human Rights and Economic and Social Issues Section, OHCHR
- Andrew Johnson, CEO, Consortium for Street Children

09:45-10:15: Roundtable objectives and scene setter

Street Children's voices, Louise Meincke, Consortium for Street Children

Moderator (10:15-11:00): Jyoti Sanghera, OHCHR

10:15 -11:00: Discussion 1: What are children rights in the context of children working and or living on the street?

- Imma Guerras, Child Rights Advisor, OHCHR
- Bernard Gastaud, Committee on the Rights of the Child
- Jane Caulder, Save the Children Singapore

Q&A and discussion

11:00-11:15: Coffee break

Moderator (11:15-13:00): Guy Thompstone, Child Frontiers

11:15-13:00: Discussion 2: What are the main challenges for children working and/or living on the street in South East Asia?

- Najat Maalla M'jid, UN Special Rapporteur on Sale of Children, Child Prostitution and Child Pornography
- Datin Paduka Intan Kassim, Chair, ASEAN Commission on Women and Children Rights
- Grace Agcaoili, Child Protection Specialist, UNICEF
- Sebastian Marot, FRIENDS International

Q&A and discussion

13:00-14:30: Lunch

Moderator (14:30-15:45) Sanushka Mudaliar, Lien Centre for Social Innovation

14:30-15:45: Discussion 3: How do we align child rights and the actions of business?

- UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights and CRC General Comment on State Obligations regarding the impact of the business sector on children rights, Kevin Koh, Secretariat of the Committee on the Rights of the Child
- Children Rights and Business Principles, Beth Verhey, Senior Adviser, Social Corporate Responsibility, UNICEF
- Bindu Sharma, International Centre for Missing and Exploited Children

Q&A and discussion

15:45-16:00: Coffee break

Moderator (16:00-17:30): Jyoti Sanghera, OHCHR

16:00-17:30: Discussion 3 (cont) How can business act as a partner in the promotion and protection of children rights?

- Kerri-Ann Mower, Head of Corporate Responsibility, Communications and Engagement, Aviva Asia
- Nicoletta Panta, Plan International
- Tara McDermott, MTV Exit

Q&A and discussion. Other perspectives.

18:30-20:30: Dinner

Wednesday, 11 December 2013

9:00 – 10:00: Introduction to Day 2 – expected outcomes of Day 2 and sum up of Day one

- David Schofield, Aviva and Louise Meincke, Consortium for Street Children

Moderator (9:00-12.30:) Dr. Sarah Thomas de Benitez

10.00-12:30: Discussion 4: Moving forwards. How do we learn from each other? Examples of cooperation – existing good practices and lessons learnt

12:30-14:00 Lunch & Imagining the future participatory session

Moderator (14:00-16.30:) Dr. Sarah Thomas de Benitez

14:00-16:00 Discussion 5: Moving forwards. How can we work together? Turning challenges into opportunities

Moderator (16:00-16:45) MTV Exit Youth Leader

16:00-16:45 Final Conclusions

16:46-17:00 Closing

17.00 – 18.00 Media engagement
