

**Monday, 29 January 2018**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Theme</b>	<b>Speakers</b>
8:30 - 9:00	Registration	
9:00 - 9:05	Welcome Addresses	<i>Dr. Christophe Longuet, Executive Director CORDS</i> <i>Prof. Amin Soebandrio, Chairman CORDS</i>
9:05 - 9:15	Keynote Address I	<i>Prof. Charlanne Burke, Associate Director The Rockefeller Foundation</i>
9:15 - 9:25	Keynote Address II	<i>Prof. Larry Brilliant, Chair of the Board, Ending Pandemics</i>
9:25 - 9:40	Special Lecture: Lessons learned from HIV for the Next Pandemic	<i>Prof. Françoise Barré Sinoussi, Nobel Laureate, Institut Pasteur Paris</i>
<b>Session 1: Promoting Innovation</b> Chair: <i>Prof. Julius Lutwama, EAIDSNet</i> Co-Chair: <i>Mr Sari Hussein, MECIDS</i>		
9:45 - 10:00	Lecture: Promoting Innovation for Efficient Healthcare Systems	<i>Prof. Itamar Grotto, Israeli Ministry of Health</i>
10:00 - 10:45	Panel: Innovation in Disease Surveillance	Innovative Tools for Event Detection, <i>Prof. Ann Marie Kimball, Chatham House</i>  The WHO Health Emergencies Programme: Platforms and Systems to Manage Public Health Risks and Emergency Events, <i>Dr. Oliver Morgan, WHO</i>  Ending Pandemics, <i>Dr. Mark Smolinski, Ending Pandemics</i>
10:45 - 11:15	Coffee break & Poster session	
11:15 - 12:15	Panel: Innovation in Disease Surveillance Using a Digital Approach	Innovative tools and approaches for surveillance in animal health, <i>Dr. Julio Pinto, FAO</i>  East Africa Public Health Laboratory Networking project strengthens disease surveillance using regional web based reporting system, <i>Dr. Benedict Mushi, EAPHLN</i>  Using smart phones equipped with intelligent mobile & web apps for electronic system of disease surveillance in Tanzania, <i>Mr Eric Beda, SACIDS</i>  Inter-sectoral and inter-network collaboration for improving disease surveillance in East & Southern Africa, <i>Prof. Eron Karimuribo, SACIDS</i>  Open discussion

12:15 - 13:00	Panel: Improving Laboratory-Based Disease Surveillance	<p>Building capacities for influenza surveillance in the Republic of Macedonia (2014-2017), <i>Dr. Vladimir Mikikj, SECID</i></p> <p>Genomic profiling of multidrug resistance tuberculosis among patients in Tanzania, <i>Dr. Bugwesa Katale, SACIDS</i></p> <p>Seroepidemiological study to identify Middle East Respiratory Syndrome Corona Virus (MERS-coV) transmission in Jordan, Israel and Palestinian Authority, <i>Prof. Daniel Cohen, MECIDS</i></p> <p>Open discussion</p>
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch break & Poster session	
<b>Session 2: Advancing One Health</b> Chair: <i>Prof. Mark Rweyemamu, SACIDS</i> Co-Chair: <i>Prof. Nguyen Dang Vung, MBDS</i>		
14:00 - 14:15	Lecture: Emerging Infections: Interventions from a One Health Perspective	<i>Prof. Ab Osterhaus, Center of Infection Medicine and Zoonosis Research at Hannover Veterinary University</i>
14:15 - 15:05	Panel: Making One Health Surveillance Work	<p>Pan African network for rapid research, response, relief and preparedness for infectious disease epidemics (PANDORA), <i>Dr. Willy Were, EAIDSNet/SACIDS</i></p> <p>Estimating the economic and social consequences for patients diagnosed with human African Trypanosomiasis in Muchinga, Lusaka and Easter provinces of Zambia (2004-2014), <i>Dr. Martin Simuunza, SACIDS</i></p> <p>Gap analysis of a neglected global disease of marginalized people 'leishmaniasis', Jordan, Albania and Pakistan (2015), <i>Prof. Silvia Bino, SECID</i></p> <p>Open discussion</p>
15:05 - 15:30	Coffee break & Poster session	

15:30 - 16:50	Panel: Addressing Antimicrobial Resistance Using the One Health Approach	<p>Antibiotic use and antimicrobial resistance, <i>Dr. Jorge Pinto Ferreira, OIE</i></p> <p>The SACIDS One Health approach to genomics driven surveillance for antimicrobial resistance - a potential collaboration with EAIDSNet, <i>Dr. Stephen Mshana, SACIDS</i></p> <p>Antimicrobial resistance in Macedonia compared with Balkan region and Europe: Results of CAESAR network, <i>Prof. Golubinka Bosevska, SECID</i></p> <p>Strengthening regional role in EID research: APEIR experience, <i>Prof. Wiku Adisasmito, APEIR</i></p> <p>The Fleming Fund One Health Programme on AMR <i>Dr. Toby Leslie, Mott MacDonald</i></p> <p>Open discussion</p>
16:50 -17:00	Wrap-up of day 1	

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<b>Session 3: Network Capacity Building</b> Chair: <i>Prof. Silvia Bino, SECID</i> Co-chair: <i>Prof. Amin Soebandrio, APEIR</i>		
9:00 - 9:15	Lecture: Africa Centers for Diseases Control and Prevention: An Opportunity to Strengthen Public Health Networks on the Continent	<i>Dr. John Nkengasong, Africa CDC</i>
9:15 - 10:15	Panel: Building Capacity in the Regions	<p>Operational research project management experiences, challenges and lessons learned in East Africa Public Health Laboratories networking project, <i>Dr. Mary Karimi, EAIDSNet</i></p> <p>Reproducibility of results and performance of TB diagnostics in East Africa Public Health Networking Project in Kenya, <i>Dr. Willie Githui, EAIDSNet</i></p> <p>The Australian government 's new Health Security Initiative for the Indo-Pacific Region, <i>Ms Madeleine Moss, Indo-Pacific Centre for Health Security and JEE Alliance</i></p> <p>Open discussion</p>
10:15 - 10:45	Coffee break & Poster session	
10:50 - 12:00	Panel: Building Capacity in the Regions (Cont'd)	<p>A network to enhance regional cross-border collaboration on health-related issues, <i>Dr. Sovann Ly, MBDS</i></p> <p>Mediterranean Programme for Intervention Epidemiology Training as an approach to addressing international health risks in the Mediterranean region, <i>Dr. Gordana Kuzmanovska, SECID</i></p> <p>The process of evaluating timeliness of outbreak detection and response in Southeast European Region, <i>Dr. Kujtim Mersini, SECID</i></p> <p>Influenza Season 2016-2017 in Serbia, sentinel surveillance of severe acute respiratory infection, <i>Dr. Dragana Dimitrijevic, SECID</i></p> <p>Canada's priorities to mitigate global biological threats, <i>Dr. Robert Clark, Canada's Global Partnership Program</i></p> <p>Open discussion</p>
12:00 – 12:30	Poster session	
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch Break	
<b>Session 4: Building Sustainable Networks</b> Chair: <i>Dr. Sovann Ly, MBDS</i> Co-chair: <i>Prof. Julius Lutwama, EAIDSNet</i>		

14:00 - 14:15	Lecture: Building Sustainable Networks to achieve CORDS' vision and mission	<i>Prof. Suwit Wibulpolprasert</i> , International Health Policy Program Foundation and Ministry of Public Health Thailand
14:15 - 15:05	Panel: Network Experiences	<p>Sustaining and strengthening capacity of regional networks and partnership to respond to emerging infectious diseases in Asia, <i>Prof. Wiku Adisasmito, APEIR</i></p> <p>Evolution of MBDS network and the regional importance of collaboration, <i>Prof. Soe, MBDS</i></p> <p>The Evolution of SACIDS from concept towards a sustainable structure, <i>Prof. Gerald Misinzo, SACIDS</i></p> <p>Open discussion</p>
15:05 - 15:30	Coffee break & Poster session	
15:30 - 16:50	Panel: Network Experiences (Cont'd)	<p>Strengthening communicable disease response in South East Europe through regional networking and establishing a regional development center, <i>Prof. Silvia Bino, SECID</i></p> <p>Tracking inter-country transmission of Salmonella Infantis using the laboratory-based surveillance network established by MECIDS, <i>Dr. Ravit Bassal, MECIDS</i></p> <p>The role of EMPHNET in responding to public health challenges in the Eastern Mediterranean Region, <i>Dr Mohannad Al-Nsour, EMPHNET</i></p> <p>Building sustainable networks: Experiences and challenges of EAIDSNET, <i>Prof. Julius Lutwama, EAIDSNET</i></p> <p>Building sustainable laboratory networks, <i>Mr Benoit Miribel, Fondation Mérieux</i></p> <p>Developing a regional surveillance network in West Africa, <i>Dr. Bakary Sylla, CORDS</i></p> <p>Establishing One Health Disease Surveillance Network: A recent convergence in South Asia, <i>Prof. Sithar Dorjee, Khesar Gyalpo University of Medical Sciences of Bhutan</i></p> <p>Open discussion</p>
16:50 – 17:00	Conference Closing Remarks	<i>Dr. Christophe Longuet</i> <i>Prof. Amin Soebandrio</i>