

# LISBON FORUM 2020

1-3 December

## Learning from our global challenges: Enhancing solidarity

Tuesday 1 December

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14h00-14h30

### Opening of the Lisbon Forum 2020

- **Rik Daems**  
President of the Parliamentary Assembly, Council of Europe
- **Snežana Samardžić-Marković**  
Director General of Democracy, Council of Europe
- **Ana Paula Zacarias**  
Secretary of State for European Affairs, Government of Portugal
- **Ambassador Manuel Montobbio**  
Chair of the North-South Centre's Executive Committee

14h40-15h00

Keynote Speech

### ***Learning from our global challenges: enhancing solidarity***

- **Mary Robinson**  
Adjunct Professor for Climate Justice in Trinity College Dublin and  
Chair of The Elders; 1997 North-South Prize laureate

15h10-15h30

Special guest to the Lisbon Forum

### ***70 years of the ECHR framing international solidarity***

- **Ksenija Turković**  
Vice-President of the European Court of Human Rights, Council of Europe

*Break*

15h45-17h15

### **A new solidarity wave: stories from the ground**

Presenter:

**Marina Sarli**, EU Cluster Coordinator, Impact Hub Global Community

Storytelling featuring solidarity initiatives from the #SolidAction campaign around the three main topics.

- a) Education and citizen's global consciousness
- b) Addressing vulnerabilities through intersectionality
- c) Intergenerational dialogue and environment protection

14h00-14h30

**Lessons learnt: what challenges still to overcome?**

Presenter: **Cathie Burton**

Keynote speech:

- **Miguel Ángel Moratinos**  
High Representative of the United Nations Alliance of Civilisations

14h30-16h00

**Ubuntu Talk**

**Moderated interview with Q&A**

- **Ambassador Akua Sena Dansua**  
Regional Chair for West and Central Africa, Global Parliamentary Network to End Infectious Diseases (UNITE)
- **Hamzat Lawal**  
Chief Executive, Connected Development (CODE)

*Break*

16h15-17h45

**Parallel expert workshops:**

- a) Education and citizen's global consciousness

*With the contribution of:*

- **Damiano Borgogno**  
Global Coordinator on Climate Transparency and MRV  
United Nations Development Program (UNDP)

- b) Addressing vulnerabilities through intersectionality

*With the contribution of:*

- **Sarah Diedro**  
freelance communication consultant and podcast producer
- **Ioana Barbulescu**  
legal consultant on Roma women's access to justice and minority rights
- **Onai Hara**  
media manager of the Zimbabwe Deaf Media Trust and programme manager of Deaf Women Included
- **Rania Ali**  
journalist and co-leader of Living Together Initiative, Terre Des Hommes
- **Nondumiso Hlope**  
founder and co-Director of the Global Shapers Community Mbabane Hub

- c) Intergenerational dialogue and environment protection

*With the contribution of:*

- **Jorge Aguado Sánchez**  
Member of the Advisory Council on Youth of the Council of Europe

14h00-14h30

**How can we make solidarity even stronger?**

Presenter: **Okechukwu Jake Emmanuel Effoduh**

**Ubuntu Talk**

- **Obiora C. Okafor**  
Independent Expert on International Solidarity, United Nations
- **Kathryn Gwiazdon**  
Executive Director, Center for Environmental Ethics and Law

14h30-16h00

**Moderated interview with Q&A**

- **Ambassador Nasser Kamel**  
Secretary General, Union for the Mediterranean
- **Leoluca Orlando**  
Mayor of Palermo (Italy) and 2019 North-South Prize laureate
- **Nabila Hamza,**  
Deputy Mayor of La Marsa (Tunisia) and 2019 North-South Prize Laureate

*Break*

16h30-17h00

**Closing of the Forum**

- **Anna Rurka**  
President of the Conference of INGOs, Council of Europe
- **Ambassador Jorge Silva Lopes**  
Executive Director of the North-South Centre, Council of Europe

17h00-17h30

Intercultural concert: **Mundana Refugi Orchestra**