

**NSI Ottawa Forum**  
*Governing Natural Resources for Africa's Development*

May 9 - 10, 2013 - Ottawa, Canada

## Agenda

DAY 1 , Thursday May 9, 2013	
08:00 – 09:00	<p><a href="#">Registration</a></p> <p>Location: <b>Fairmont Château Laurier</b>, 1 Rideau Street, Ballroom</p>
09:00 – 09:15	<p><a href="#">Opening Session</a></p> <p>Welcoming Remarks: <b>Mr. Joseph K. Ingram</b> - President and CEO, The North-South Institute (NSI)</p>
09:15 – 09:35	<p>Opening Remarks: <b>The Honourable Dean Allison</b> – M.P. and Chair of the Foreign Affairs and International Development Committee, House of Commons, Government of Canada</p>
09:40 – 10:00	<p><a href="#">Keynote Address</a></p> <p><a href="#">The African State and Natural Resource Governance in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century</a></p> <p>Keynote Speaker: <b>The Honourable Dr. Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala</b> – Co-ordinating Minister for the Economy and Minister of Finance, Federal Ministry of Finance (FMF) Abuja (by video)</p>
10:00 – 10:20	<p><b>Dr. Lahra Liberti</b> – Senior Adviser, Natural Resources, OECD Development Centre, The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development</p> <p><i>Using Natural Resources for Broad-based Development: How can the OECD help?</i></p>
10:20 – 10:35	<b>Coffee/Tea Break</b>
10:35 – 12:00	<p><a href="#">Session One</a></p> <p><a href="#">The Role of Africa's Natural Resources in the Global Economy</a></p> <p>Moderator: <b>Mr. Ian Smillie</b> - Chairman, Diamond Development Initiative</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <p><b>Dr. Kobena Hanson</b> – Head, Knowledge and Learning, African Capacity Building Foundation <i>Capacity Development for Natural Resource Management: The findings of the African Capacity Indicators 2013</i></p> <p><b>Mr. Matthew Genasci</b> —Head of Legal and Economics, Revenue Watch Institute <i>The Resource Governance Index: A measure of Transparency in Oil, Gas and Mining</i></p> <p><b>Dr. Timothy M. Shaw</b> – Graduate Program Director, Global Governance and Human Security, University of Massachusetts <i>Public Diplomacy for Developmental States: Implementing the African Mining Vision</i></p>

12:00 – 12:30	<p><a href="#">Distinguished Luncheon Speaker</a></p> <p><b>Dr. José Antonio Ocampo</b> - Professor and Director of the Economic and Political Development Program, Columbia University <i>Harnessing Natural Resources for Economic Development</i></p>
12:30 – 13:30	<b>Lunch</b>
13:30 – 15:30	<p><a href="#">Session Two</a></p> <p><a href="#">Governing the Extractive Sector in Africa: Institutional Challenges and Opportunities</a></p> <p>Moderator: <b>Dr. Paulo de Sa</b> – Manager of Sustainable Energy, Oil, Gas &amp; Mining (SEGOM), The World Bank Group</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <p><b>Mr. Antonio M. A. Pedro</b> – Director of the Sub-regional Office for Eastern Africa (SRO-EA), United Nations Economic Commission on Africa (UNECA) <i>The Africa Mining Vision (AMV) as a Model for Natural Resource Governance in Africa</i></p> <p><b>Mr. Jim Cust</b> – Acting Director, International Secretariat, Natural Resource Charter <i>The Natural Resource Charter in Africa: a tool for national strategy and evaluation</i></p> <p><b>Dr. Peter Eigen</b> - Founder and Chair of the Advisory Council, Transparency International <i>Extractive Sector Governance and Resource Revenue Transparency in Africa</i></p> <p><b>Mr. Chris W. J. Roberts</b> – President, African Access Consulting. <i>Extractive Sector Regulations in Africa: Old Practices and New Models for Change</i></p>
15:30 – 15:45	<b>Coffee/Tea Break</b>
15:45 – 17:30	<p><a href="#">Session Three</a></p> <p><a href="#">Extractive Companies and Community Engagement in Africa: Beyond CSR, and the Role of Free, Prior and Informed Consent (FPIC)</a></p> <p>Moderator: <b>Ms. Emily Nunn</b> – Manager, Corporate Social Responsibility, Prospectors and Developers Association of Canada (PDAC)</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <p><b>Mr. Douglas Horswill</b> – Senior Vice President, Teck Resources Limited <i>Putting People First: Community Engagement and Social Responsibility in the Extractive Sector</i></p> <p><b>Mr. Lalith Gunaratne</b>—Principal Consultant, Sage Ontario for Mindful Leadership <i>CSR, Host Communities and Extractive Companies in Africa: Issues and Constraints</i></p> <p><b>Mr. Errol P. Mendes</b> – Editor-in-Chief, National Journal of Constitutional Law, Faculty of Law, University of Ottawa <i>FPIC, the UN Human Rights Framework, and Extractive Sector Governance</i></p>
18:30 – 21:00	<p><a href="#">Gala Dinner</a></p> <p>Location: <b>Fairmont Château Laurier</b>, 1 Rideau Street, Adam Room</p> <p>Chair: <b>The Right Honourable Joe Clark, PC CC</b> - Former Canadian Prime Minister and Foreign Minister</p> <p>Keynote Speaker: <b>Dr. Cadman Atta Mills</b> - Senior Advisor to the President of Ghana</p>

DAY 2: Friday, May 10, 2013	
08:00 – 09:00	<p><b><u>Registration</u></b></p> <p>Location:  <b>Fairmont Château Laurier</b>, 1 Rideau Street, Ballroom</p>
09:00 – 10:45	<p><b><u>Session Four</u></b>  <b>Emerging Economies and the New Scramble for Africa’s Natural Resources</b></p> <p>Moderator:  <b>Mr. Bruce Shapiro</b> – President, MineAfrica</p> <p>Panelists:  <b>The Honourable Sam G. Russ</b> – Deputy Minister of Operations, Ministry of Lands, Mines and Energy, Liberia  <i>China’s investments in Africa’s natural resources: A Liberian perspective</i>  <b>Dr. Jacobus Kamfer (Jakkie) Cilliers</b> – Executive Director, The Institute for Security Studies  <i>Emerging Powers and the Changing Landscape of Natural Resource Governance in Africa</i>  <b>Dr. Fantu Cheru</b> – Professor of African and Development Studies, School of International Service American University  <i>Emerging countries and Africa’s Natural Resources: Avoiding the ‘resource curse’ and building more resilient societies</i></p>
10:45 – 11:00	<b>Coffee/Tea Break</b>
11:00 – 12:30	<p><b><u>Session Five</u></b>  <b>Mining and Development in Africa: Canada’s Role</b></p> <p>Moderator:  <b>Mr. Alan Martin</b> – Research Director, Natural Resources, Partnership Africa Canada</p> <p>Panelists:  <b>Mr. Louis Guay</b> – Senior Fellow, Saint Paul University  <i>Governance for Sustainability: An approach</i>  <b>Dr. Philippe Le Billon</b> – Associate Professor, Liu Institute for Global Issues and Geography, University of British Columbia  <i>Extractive Sectors Governance and Development: What Role for Canada?</i>  <b>Mr. Patrick Chevalier</b> - Director, Strategic Outreach and Partnerships Division, Natural Resources Canada  <i>Resource Extraction and Sustainable Development in Africa: A Canadian Perspective</i></p>
12:30 – 13:30	<b>Lunch</b>
13:30 – 15:00	<p><b><u>Session Six</u></b>  <b>Land Governance and Land Deals in Africa</b></p> <p>Moderator:  <b>Dr. Blair Rutherford</b> – Director of the Institute of African Studies, Carleton University</p> <p>Panelists:  <b>Mr. Bruce Moore</b> - President, Institute for Active Citizenship  <i>The Continental Land Rush: Canadian Role in Advancing the Land Rights of Africans</i></p>

	<p><b>Dr. Jennifer Clapp</b> – Professor of Environment and Resource Studies, University of Waterloo  <i>Land and Financialization: Role of International Financial Actors in Land Deals in Africa</i></p>
15:00 – 15:15	<b>Coffee/Tea Break</b>
15:15 – 16:15	<p><a href="#"><u>Closing Session</u></a></p> <p>Chair:  <b>Dr. Huguette Labelle</b> – Chair, Transparency International</p> <p>Keynote speaker:  <b>Mr. Mahmoud Mohieldin</b> – Special Envoy to the President, The World Bank</p> <p>Closing Remarks:  <b>The Honourable Lois Brown</b> — M.P. and Parliamentary Secretary, Canadian International Development Agency, House of Commons, Government of Canada  <b>Mr. Joseph K. Ingram</b> – President and CEO, The North-South Institute (NSI)</p>