

**Date** Friday October 21<sup>st</sup> 2011  
**Time** 10.00–16.30 h  
**Venue** KfW Bankengruppe  
 Charlottenstrasse 33a  
 10117 Berlin, Germany

**Languages** English and German with translation  
**Format** Key note speeches, input speeches, panel discussion and thematic sessions



The conference is co-funded by the European Union. It forms part of an European awareness raising programme entitled "Africa's Demographic Challenges", implemented by DSW (Deutsche Stiftung Weltbevölkerung) and its partners, the Berlin Institute for Population and Development, the Austrian Foundation for World Population and International Co-operation (SWI) and the Hungarian BOCSE Foundation. Associates are the International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis (IIASA), Austria, Partners in Population and Development (PPD), Uganda, and DSW Tanzania. The contents of this leaflet as well as of the conference are the sole responsibility of the partners of the programme and can in no way be taken to reflect the views of the European Union.

## Registration

**International Conference on  
 Sub-Saharan Africa: Transforming Population Dynamics  
 into an Opportunity**

**Deadline October 7<sup>th</sup> 2011**

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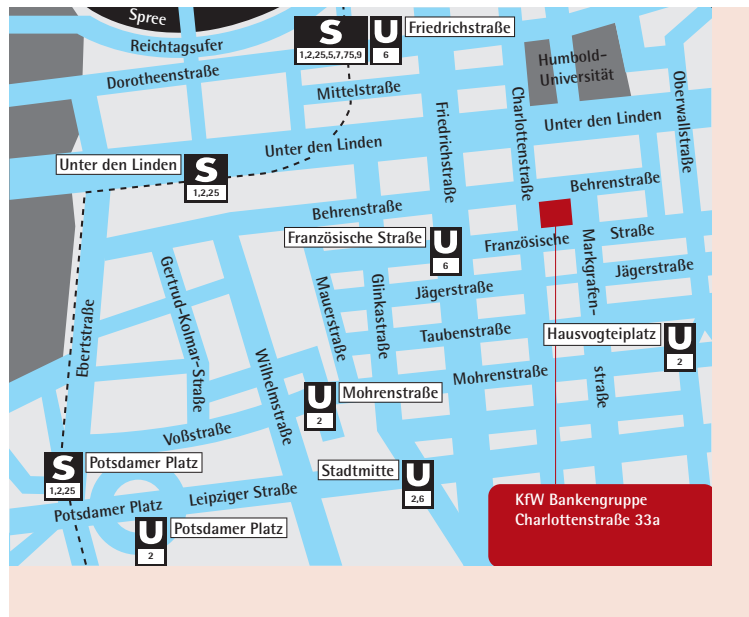
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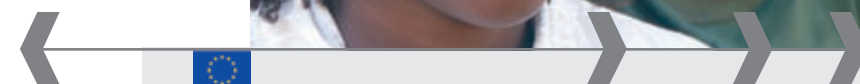


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## Conference Agenda

9.30–10.00 h **Registration and Coffee**

10.00–10.15 h **Welcome Address and Introduction**

Dr. Norbert Kloppenburg, *Member of the Executive Board of KfW*

10.15–10.25 h **Welcome Address**

Renate Baehr, *Executive Director, DSW*

10.25–10.50 h **Ministerial Keynote Speech**

Gudrun Kopp, *Parliamentary State Secretary, Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ): Population dynamics as a challenge for development cooperation*

10.50–11.15 h **Input**

Dr. Reiner Klingholz, *Director, Berlin Institute for Population and Development: Presentation of research study "Africa's Demographic Challenges"*

11.20–13.00 h **Panel Discussion**

**Africa's Population Dynamics: Boom or Bust – Empowering People**

**Moderator**

Dr. Melinda Crane, *Journalist, n-tv*

**Panellists**

Prof. John Cleland, *London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, University of London*

Tirsit Grishaw, *Country Director, DSW Ethiopia*

Dr. Boniface K'Oyugi, *Chief Executive Officer, National Coordinating Agency for Population & Development, Kenya*

Prof. Wolfgang Lutz, *Leader World Population Program, International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis (IIASA)*

Dr. John F. May, *Lead Population Specialist, The World Bank*

13.00–14.00 h **Lunch Break**

14.00–16.00 h **Parallel Thematic Sessions**

**Topic 1:**

**Integrating**

**Linking the Health Sector and the Environmental Sector: What are the Benefits of Cross-Sectoral Approaches?**

**Inputs**

Jason Bremner, *Program Director for Population, Health and Environment, Population Reference Bureau*

Tirsit Grishaw, *Country Director, DSW Ethiopia*

Karen Newman, *Network Coordinator, Population and Sustainability Network (PSN)*

Gyula Simonyi, *President, BOCS Foundation*

**Topic 2:**

**Implementing**

**How can Demographic Data be Better Utilised for Development Policy?**

**Inputs**

Dr. Alex Ezeh, *Executive Director, African Population & Health Research Center (APHRC)*

Sabrina Juran, *Census Analyst, United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)*

Dr. Boniface K'Oyugi, *Chief Executive Officer, National Coordinating Agency for Population & Development, Kenya*

**Topic 3:**

**Targeting**

**Adolescents as a Target Group: What Do Adolescents in Sub-Saharan Africa Need?**

A comprehensive perspective including experiences from latest upheavals in Northern Africa

**Inputs**

Dr. Wenke Apt, *VDI/VDE Innovation + Technik*

Dr. Venkatraman Chandra-Mouli, *Coordinator Adolescent Health and Development, World Health Organisation (WHO)*

Peter Owaga, *Country Representative, DSW Tanzania*

Dr. Bettina Silbernagl, *Head Sector Initiative Children and Youth Rights, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ)*

**Topic 4:**

**Meeting the Need**

**Addressing the Unmet Need for Family Planning**

How can the most vulnerable groups and especially girls and rural women be reached effectively and efficiently in sub-Saharan Africa?

**Inputs**

Sally Hughes, *Country Director, Marie Stopes International Burkina Faso*

Ruth Levine, *Director Global Development and Population Program, The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation*

Dr. Jotham Musinguzi, *Regional Director, Partners in Population and Development (PPD)*

Joachim Schmitt, *Division Health and Population Policy, Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ)*

**16.00–16.30 h**

**Wrap Up**

Renate Baehr, *Executive Director, DSW* and Rapporteurs

**Drinks Reception**

According to the United Nations' projections the world's population will reach seven billion people in October 2011. With the highest population growth rates in the region of sub-Saharan Africa, this milestone provides an excellent opportunity to discuss the complex linkages between population dynamics and sustainable development and to share best practices on how population issues in Africa can be integrated into development programmes on the ground. To this end, DSW is hosting an international conference on

**"Sub-Saharan Africa: Transforming Population Dynamics into an Opportunity"**

**on October 21<sup>st</sup> 2011, in Berlin, Germany.**

The conference will be held in co-operation with *KfW Entwicklungsbank*, Germany's leading development bank. It is part of a series of events on an international level celebrating DSW's 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary.



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