

Education for Sustainable Development Forum

Dubai - 11, 12 March 2009

Organized by: UK Trade & Investment and the Knowledge & Human Development Authority – Government of Dubai

Forum Location: Rashid School for Boys, Elementary Section – Nad El Shiba

Celebrating the UN Decade of Education for Sustainable Development 2005 – 2014

Forum Agenda:

Wednesday 11/3/2008

8:30 – 9:00 Registration

9:30 – 10:00 **Opening Ceremony**

Dr. Habib El Habr - Regional Representative and Director

United Nations Environment Programme – Regional Office of West Asia

Mr. Guy Warrington - HM Consul General, British Embassy Dubai

H.E. Fatma Al Marri – CEO School Agency, KHDA

10:00 – 10:30 Coffee Break

10:30 – 11:30 Panel session 1 (**Role of Governments**), Moderator: Tarek Alami, KHDA

- Sustainable Innovation – Ms. Hind Al Mulla , Chief of Innovation - KHDA
- The Role of Governments to promote ESD - Dr. Yasar Jarrar , Partner PWC
- Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) in schools: policy, curriculum and student engagement- Prof. Bill Scott, University of Bath, Centre for Research in Education and the Environment (CREE)

11:30 – 12:00 Discussion

12:00 – 12:30 Tea Break

12:30 – 14:00 Panel Session 2 (**Green Schools Design**), Moderator: Mr. Mark Standen, BRE

- Waste Management at schools – Mrs. Lina Chaaban, EnviroCare Manager , Tadweer
- Sustainable Procurement of schools – Robert Holt , Director – Education, Carillion Government Services
- Studio E – Architects – Mr. Andrzej Kuszell , Director
- Sustainable Architectural Solutions - Mr. David Greenhill , BBLB Architects

Thursday 12 /3/2008

8:00 – 8:30 Coffee

8:30 – 10:00 Panel session 3 (**ESD Case Studies**), Moderator: Ms. Siobhan Leyden, Dubai Radio

- Environmental initiative Ownership – Lewes Case study , Dr. John Parry
- ESD Initiatives , Field Studies Council, Mr. Anthony Thomas
- UAE Envirospellathon- Ms. Razan Khalifa Al Mubarak ,MD, Emirates Wildlife Society in association with WWF
- Dubai Conservation Award – Eng. Fatima Aslam Hussain Manager - Consumption Sustainability , DEWA

10:00 – 10:30 Tea Break

10:30 – 12:00 Panel session 4 (**The Way forward**), Moderator: Ibrahim Al-Zu'bi, KHDA

- UK TI's ESD strategy-Mark Roelofsen, Consultant to UKTI on ESD
- Young Arab Leaders, UAE – HE Sheikh Sultan Al Qassemi , Chairman
- Knowledge and Human Development Authority, H.E. Fatma Al Marri – CEO School Agency

12:00 – 13:00 Coffee and networking