

# WAVE Conference

Saturday, Oct 13 2007, 09.00-18.30, Sava Center, Hall 2  
Draft Programme

- 09.00** Introduction to the Day  
*Facilitator: Eveline Slijderink, the Netherlands*
- 09.05** Welcome Address  
*Janet Macharia, Senior Gender Advisor, UNEP*
- 09.15** Opening and Introduction  
*Morning Co-Chairs: Sascha Gabizon, Executive Director, WECF and  
Andjelka Mihajlov, President, Environmental Ambassadors, former  
Minister of Environment-Serbia*
- 09.20** Keynote Speech: Women's leadership for the environment as a  
Human Right in Europe, Eastern Europe and Beyond  
*Lena Sommestad, former Minister of Environment, Sweden, former  
Chair of the Female Environmental Ministers Network*
- 09.45** Environmental Rights in the EU and EECCA  
*Prof. Tamara Steger, Center for Environmental Policy & Law, Budapest*
- 10.00** Testimonies from Women Environmental Leaders on Environmental  
Human Rights Cases in the EU and EECCA
- *Nadjesda Kutepova, Planet of Hopes-Russia (Energy)*
  - *Elena Manvelian, AWHHE-Armenia (Energy)*
  - *Diana Iskrevva, Earth Forever Foundation-Bulgaria (Water)*
  - *Daniela Lemp, Landschaftspflegeverband-Germany  
(Biodiversity)*
  - *Helen Lynn, Co-Chair, Health Group, WECF- UK, Breast  
Cancer& the Environment (Chemicals)*
- 10.50** Tea / coffee break
- 11.20** Opportunities and Challenges for Citizen's Right to a Healthy  
Environment  
*Pia Bucella, Director, Communication, Legal Affairs & Civil Protection  
Directorate, European Commission, DG Environment*

Women as the Voice for the  
Right to a Healthy Environment

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- 11.40** Mobilizing for a Healthy Environment
- *Fay Mansell, Chair, Women's Institute: Climate Change & Campaign Strategies*
  - *Sonja Haider, Director, WECF: The Nesting Project (Health)*
  - *Gulbuchar Inzentaeva, Mehriban, Karakalpakstan, Uzbekistan: Water, Sanitation and Health (Water)*
  - *Olga Speranskaya, Eco-Accord Russia: Obsolete pesticides and Waste incineration – (Chemicals)*
  - *Anna Golubovska, MAMA-86 Ukraine Public Participation in Environment (PP)*
  - *Victoria Elias, WWF Russia: Eco-Forum at the EfE (PP)*
- 12.30** Consequences for Policy Makers
- *Gordana Comic, Member of Parliament, Serbia*
  - *Karine Danielyan, former Minister of Environment, Armenia*
- 13.00** Lunch and Press Conference
- 14.30** Introduction to the Structure for the Afternoon Sessions  
*Facilitator: Eveline Slijderink*  
*Afternoon Co-Chairs: Irene Dankelman and Svetlana Slesarenok Co-Chairs of WECF International Advisory Council*
- 14.50** Working groups, Round 1: WAVE Belgrade declaration (preliminary draft sent)
- 10-15 working groups: Right to Biodiversity and Safe Food, Right to Safe Water and Sanitation, Right to Safe Energy - not nuclear, Right to Safe Chemicals, Right to Information, Participation, and Justice, and Our Vision and Commitments.*
- The working groups will address:*
- *What do you see for this theme as the main problems or issues? – Give 3 priority problems or issues for our region*
  - *What should be the main goals for 2020? – Give 3 priority goals*
  - *What should be the policy changes to reach these goals? – Give 3 priorities*
- 16.00** Working groups, Round 2: Amending the WAVE Belgrade Declaration  
*The working groups take the results of the previous round and make adjustments to the draft declaration.*
- 17.00** Report Back
- 18.00** Endorsing the WAVE Belgrade Declaration
- 18.15** Closing Remarks  
*Marie Kranendonk, President, WECF*
- 18.30** Reception & Buffet