WE THE PEOPLES - CELEBRATING 7 MILLION VOICES

REPORT LAUNCH AND PRESENTATION OF MY WORLD 2015 RESULTS

More than 7 million people have taken the MY World survey showcasing what we, the people want. These votes represent the hopes and dreams of every 1 in 1,000 people on the planet, hopes and dreams for a better life.

This event, co-hosted by Mr. Ahmad Alhendawi, the United Nations Secretary-General’s Envoy on Youth, and the UN Millennium Campaign, will launch “We the Peoples –Celebrating 7 Million Voices.” This major report tells the story behind the MY World data and serves to share the voices of ordinary people around the world with the United Nations. The event will showcase not only the data from these 7 million voices, but also some of the personal stories behind them which were gathered during the recent Humans of MY World global tour. These narratives will be performed by emerging young actors.

WHO:

- UN Deputy Secretary-General H.E. Jan Eliasson (keynote)
- Mr. Ahmad Alhendawi, Special Envoy for Youth
- H.E. Mr. David Donoghue, Ambassador, Permanent Mission of Ireland,
- H.E. Dr. Palitha T. B. Kohona, Ambassador, Permanent Mission of Sri Lanka
- H.E. Mrs. U. Joy Ogwu, Ambassador, Permanent Mission of Nigeria

WHEN: Friday, 12 December, 16:30 – 17:00

WHERE: Dag Hammarskjold Library Auditorium, UNHQ, New York

The event will be webcast live on UN Web TV

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