

SEMINAR
MEGACITIES, WATER, AND CLIMATE CHANGE

5 October 2016, Wednesday,
Narra-Yakal Function Room, Dusit Thani Hotel, Manila
2:00 – 5:00 PM

PROGRAM

<p><i>Registration</i> 1:00 – 2:00 PM</p>	
SESSION 1	<p><i>Opening Remarks</i> 2:00 – 2:15 PM Bruno Nguyen, UNESCO-IHP Vic Aquitania, ICLEI François Prévot, ARCEAU-IdF, Université Paris Diderot (UPD) <i>Background, Proposed global alliance, aims of the seminar, likely next steps</i></p>
	<p><i>The Problem Statement</i> 2:15 – 2:35 PM Arjun Thapan, Chairman, WaterLinks <i>The economic and social importance of megacities; the water-energy nexus and its central role in megacity sustainability; the range and scale of climate-change impacts; costs of impacts; options for adapting to the impacts; institutional reform; costs of options and financing</i></p>
	<p><i>Q & A Session</i> 2:35 – 2:50 PM Vic Aquitania, Bruno Nguyen, François Prévot, Arjun Thapan <i>Participants have an opportunity to ask questions or comment on any of the issues touched upon so far.</i></p>
SESSION 2	<p><i>Megacities' Perspectives</i> 2:50 – 3:50 PM 2:50 – 3:00 PM Dhaka, Taqsem Khan, Dhaka Water and Sanitation Authority 3:00 – 3:10 PM Manila, Ramon Alikpala, USAID-Be Secure Project</p>
	<p><i>Coffee Break</i> 3:10 – 3:20 PM</p>
	<p>3:20 – 3:30 PM Greater Mumbai, B.D. Yamgar, Maharashtra Jeevan Pradhikaran 3:30 – 3:40 PM Jakarta, Shabaz Khan, UNESCO Jakarta 3:40 – 3:50 PM Paris, Bruno Nguyen, former COO, Eau de Paris <i>Presentations to be based strictly on the elements of the Problem Statement</i></p>
	<p><i>Q & A on Megacities Presentation</i> 3:50 – 4:20 PM</p>
SESSION 3	<p><i>Global Alliance Concept and Regional Platforms</i> 4:20 – 4:40 PM Shahbaz Khan, UNESCO Jakarta Field Office Vic Aquitania, ICLEI ; Bruno Nguyen, UNESCO ; François Prévot, ARCEAU-IdF, UPD ; Arjun Thapan, WaterLinks</p>
	<p><i>Next Steps</i> 4:40 – 4:50 PM Bruno Nguyen, UNESCO-IHP</p>
	<p><i>Last Words</i> 4:50 – 5:00 PM Arjun Thapan, WaterLinks</p>