AGENDA

MEDIA WORKSHOP ON HEALTH REPORTING

Hotel Portofino, KIGALI, RWANDA

28 – 30 NOVEMBER 2018

Day 1: November 28, 2018

9:00 AM – Registration

9:15-9:30 AM – An Introduction to the Workshop and its People
Parul Tewari and Vibha Varshney, CSE and Aghan Daniel, CEO, MESHA

9:30 -10:30 AM – Welcome of the guests in Rwanda, Official Release of Down To Earth issue and address by Guest of Honour, Mr. Gerald Mbanda, Head of Media Affairs and Communication Department, Rwanda Governance Board
Anchored by Aghan Daniel

10:30 AM – 11.00 – State of Health in Africa – What Down To Earth found
Vibha Varshney, CSE

11.00 AM – Tea break

11:30 AM-1:00 PM – Communicable Diseases – An Update
Speakers:
Dr. Olawale Salami, Clinical Project Manager, Drugs for Neglected Diseases initiative – Africa Regional Office, Nairobi
Dr. Julien Nyombayire, Research Physician of Project San Francisco, Kigali
Anchor: Aghan Daniel

1.00-2.00 PM – Lunch

2.00-3.30 PM – Non Communicable diseases – An Update
Speaker:
Dr. Samuel Oti, Senior Program Specialist, Food, Environment and Health Program, International Development Research Centre, Regional Office for Sub-Saharan Africa, Nairobi, Kenya
Anchor: Vibha Varshney

3.30-4.00 PM – Tea

4.00-4.30 PM – Recap by Aghan Daniel

Day 2: November 29, 2018

8.30 - 9.00 AM – Recap by Aghan Daniel
9.00-10.30 AM– Discussion – The challenges of reporting on health in Africa and India
Aimable Twahirwa (Rwanda), Christine Ochogo (Kenya), Bennet Ogbifo (Nigeria), Kundan Pandey (India)
Moderator: Aghan Daniel

10.30 – 11.30 AM – Sharing of experience by the journalists

11.30 – 12.30 PM – Briefing on field trips

12.30-1.30 PM – Lunch

1.30-4.00 PM – FIELD TRIPS

Day 3: November 30, 2018

8.30-9.00 AM – Recap by Aghan Daniel

9.00-11:00 AM – Using data to report on health – A workshop
Kiran Pandey and Rajit Sengupta, DTE

11.00-11.30 AM – Tea

11.30 AM-1.00 PM – Using data to report on health – A workshop (Contd)

1.00-2.00 PM – Lunch

2.00-300 PM – Closing session
Dr. Zuberi Muvunyi, DG of Clinical Services at Ministry of Health, Rwanda
Dr. Jose Nyamusore, RBC Epidemic Department
Final words by Aghan and Parul