



UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon addressed young people at an event on the role of youth in the post 2015 agenda at BOZAR

The event organised by the European Commission and the UN, called "Our World, our Dignity, our Future. The post2015-agenda and the role of youth" was hosted at BOZAR on the 27th of May and was livestreamed to audiences across the world.



Microsoft Pink Cloud Conference to Empower Girls in STEM and ICT

From 16th -18th May 2013, Microsoft organized the 3rd edition of *The Pink Cloud Conference* in Italy, where 1,900 young women attended the event. UNRIC was featured as a key-note speaker as youth, namely girls, were the target audience of the event and one of the priorities of the UN.



Time for Global Action—Youth make your mark

Weekly conversation with UN Youth Envoy Ahmad Alhendawi #youthnow.

Each week #Youthnow will share information on a different topic that impacts youth development including employment, health, education, poverty, conflict, girls and young women and more.



For more information: <http://www.un.org/pga/youth/>

Upcoming events

The UN will be in the Park for Climate Action - World Environment Day

As previous years, the UN will join in the celebrations of the 'Fête de l'environnement' at the *Parc du Cinquantenaire* in Brussels on June 7, from 11:00 to 17:00.

UNRIC, UNEP, UNESCO and FAO will be participating in one of the biggest green events in Belgium. The UN will focus on the 2015 agenda, with special workshops, and games around urban gardening and sustainable consumption.



For more information: <http://www.environnement.brussels/>

CINÉ ONU - United Nations film screenings and debates on world issues



June screenings:
Send in the Clowns - 4 June, 18:30, Goethe Institute

Send in the Clowns explores the impact of aid in Haiti as it follows a group of idealistic volunteer performers from Clowns without Borders.

Merchants of Doubt - 8th June, 19:00, BOZAR

Inspired by the acclaimed book by Naomi Oreskes and Erik Conway, *Merchants of Doubt* takes the audience on a satirically comedic, yet illuminating ride into the heart of conjuring American spin.

To register please [click here](#).

INTERNATIONAL DAYS

- 05/06 World Environment Day
- 08/06 World Oceans Day
- 20/06 World Refugee Day

LOOKING AHEAD

- 11/07 World Population Day
- 18/07 Nelson Mandela Day

WHO WE ARE

Organized into **nine geographical and thematic desks**, UNRIC works with all stakeholders in Europe - the European Union Institutions, governments, civil society and of course the media. UNRIC informs & engages Europeans on global issues. Leading the UN Communication Group for 25 UN Agencies based in Brussels.

An **Info Point & Library**, open to the public, maintains a collection of UN documents and publications. Original

Strong UN. Better World.

This year on **October 24** the UN will celebrate its 70th anniversary since its establishment in 1945. The 70th anniversary of the United Nations aims at honouring the historic breadth of the Organization's development, security and human rights work, and ultimately, unite the international community in common cause to enable a strong UN to realize a better world.



SAVE THE DATE

Come celebrate with us the 70th anniversary of the UN on Sunday, 25 October at the Grand Place

MORE RESOURCES

UNRIC: Find out what is happening at the UN directly from the source. Website in 13 languages. www.unric.org

UN apps: UN mobile apps and e-publication are an easy and informative way to engage every day with the UN. <http://www.unric.org/en/apps-directory>

UN Brussels: The United Nations team brings together 26 specialised agencies, funds and programmes spanning the development, humanitarian and human rights work of the UN. <http://www.unbrussels.org/>

UNRIC Videos: Images from UNRIC www.vimeo.com/unric

Facebook: Facebook pages available in all 13 languages. www.facebook.com/unric

Cine-ONU Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/CineONU>

Info Point & Library: Do you have questions about the UN? Are you looking for a UN document? Would you like to receive information material on UN issues? <http://www.facebook.com/UNRICLibrary>

Week Ahead: The European perspective <http://www.unbrussels.org/> <http://unric.org/en/week-ahead-the-un>

European Year for Development 2015: The European Union declared 2015 as the special year for development. <https://europa.eu/eyd2015/en/unric>

7 Billion Others: On selected international days, UNRIC, in partnership with the Good Planet Foundation, will post video clips from the 7 billion Others project. <https://www.unric.org/en/7-billion-others>