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## ENGAGING PHILANTHROPY TO PROMOTE GENDER EQUALITY AND WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

*22 February 2010, United Nations Headquarters, New York  
3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.*

### DRAFT PROGRAMME

#### 3.00 – 3:30 p.m. **Opening Session**

Welcome address by the **President of ECOSOC**

Opening address by **Mr. Ban Ki-Moon**, Secretary-General of the United Nations

Keynote address by ...

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Setting the Stage for the Leadership Dialogues:

**Mr. Michael Patsalos-Fox**, Vice-Chairman, McKinsey

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#### **Parallel Leadership Dialogues One and Two**

#### 3.30 - 5:30 p.m. **1. *Ending violence against women and girls***

**Moderator: H.E. Ms. Linda Tarr-Whelan**, CEO& President, Tarr-Whelan Associates

#### **Lead discussants:**

**Ms. Rashida Manjoo**, United Nations Special Rapporteur on Violence against Women

**Mr. Alan Hassenfeld**, Chairman, Hasbro

**Ms. Marie Nyombo Zaina**, Coordinator of the National NGO Network for Women and Development in the Democratic Republic of the Congo

**Ms. Sharon D'Agostino**, Vice President, Worldwide Corporate Contributions and Community Relations, Johnson& Johnson

3.30 - 5:30 p.m. **2. Promoting women's economic empowerment**

**Moderator: Ms. Maria Livanos Cattai**, Board Member, Petroplus Holdings

**Lead discussants:**

**Ms. Zainab Salbi**, Founder and CEO, Women for Women International

**Ms. Sharon Allen**, Chairman of the Board, Deloitte

5.30 – 6.00 p.m. **Conclusions and Next Steps**

**Moderator 1: Mr. Sha Zukang**, Under-Secretary General, United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs

*Report back key messages from parallel Leadership Dialogues One and Two*

**Moderator 2: Mr. Amir Dossal**, Executive Director, United Nations Office for Partnerships

*Discussion of new partnership initiatives in support of gender equality and women's empowerment*

Remarks by **Ms. Geena Davis**, Academy Award-winning actor and Founder, See Jane

Closing remarks by the **President of ECOSOC**

A reception (by invitation only), hosted by the President of ECOSOC, will be held in the United Nations Delegates' Dining Room from 6:15 -7:45 p.m.