

PROGRAMME

DELIVERY OF THE IYL 2015 FINAL REPORT
MONDAY 3 OCTOBER 2016

UNESCO HQ
Place de Fontenoy, 75352 Paris, France
Room II



09:00 -10:00 Welcome and Morning Coffee

10:00 -10:10 Opening Remarks

Moderator: Romain Murenzi
Director of the Division of Science Policy and
Capacity Building, UNESCO

10:10 -10:40 IYL 2015 Report Overview

John Dudley
Chairman of the IYL 2015 Steering Committee

10:40 -12:00 Selected Topics of IYL 2015
Partner Presentations

***The UN Sustainable Development Goals: How Can
Photonics Help?***
Eugene Arthurs
CEO, SPIE

Women in Science Outreach
Lucia Marchetti
The Open University & UK IYL2015 Outreach Chair

The Year of Light in Africa
Yanne Chembo
ERC Laureate, CNRS

Off-Grid Lighting and Power for All
Harry Verhaar
Head of Global Public & Government Affairs
Philips Lighting

The Ibn Al-Haytham Legacy of IYL 2015
Azzedine Boudrioua
Université Paris VIII and President of the
Ibn Al-Haytham International Society

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(cont.) Partner Presentations

Refugee Outreach - Physics for All
Sara Schulz
The German Physical Society (DPG)

PHARES in Paris – light for the public
Milène Guermont
Artist & Engineer (Sculpture PHARES)

12:00 -12:10 Towards an International Day
of Light - an IYL 2015 Legacy

Ana María Cetto
Director of the Museum of Light, México
and Instituto de Física, UNAM

12:10 -12:20 The Soft Power of UNESCO and
Science for Peace

Maciej Nalecz
Director's Designated Representative for
Strategic European Programs, Nencki Institute
Polish Academy of Sciences

12:20 -12:30 Official Delivery of the IYL 2015
Report

Flavia Schlegel
Assistant Director-General for Natural
Sciences, UNESCO

12:30 -14:30 Cocktail and Buffet Lunch