



# G7 side event

## “Universities for Sustainable Development”

### Bologna, 11<sup>th</sup> June 2017



Fondazione MAST – Via Speranza 42, Bologna

**09.00 Registrations**

**09.30 Opening of the Event**

**Introduction by Italian Presidency**

**Designation of Co-Chairs and the Rapporteur**

**Opening Remarks** Chancellor of the University of Bologna, Prof. Francesco Ubertini

**10.00-13.00 Session 1: Teaching and Research for Sustainable Development**

**Introduction:** Proposed Co-Chair 1 - Prof. Denis Guibard, France (tbc)

**Speakers:**

- Prof. John Robinson, *Munk School of Global Affairs and the School of the Environment*, University of Toronto – Canada
- Prof. Yvan Lagadeuc, *Conference of University Presidents*, University of Rennes 1 – France
- Prof. Marco Rieckmann, *Faculty of Educational and Societal Sciences*, University of Vechta – Germany
- Prof. Kensuke Fukushi, *Integrated Research System for Sustainability Science (IR3S)*, University of Tokio – Japan

- Prof. Angelo Paletta, University of Bologna – Italy
- Prof. Callie Babbitt, Rochester Institute of Technology – USA

## Open Discussion

**11.00-11.30 Coffee Break**

**13.00-13.15 Group Picture**

**13.15-14.30 Lunch**

**14.30-17.30 Session 2: Universities implementing Sustainable Development and Sustainable Development Networks**

**Introduction:** Proposed Co-Chair 2 : Prof. John Robinson, Canada (tbc)

### Speakers:

- Prof. Stewart Elgie, *Professor, Law & Economics and Chair of Smart Prosperity Institute, University of Ottawa – Canada*
- Prof. Denis Guibard, *Director of the Telecom Management School, Chair of the Sustainable Development Commission of the "Conférence des Grandes Ecoles" – France*
- Prof. Mario Schmidt, *Institute for Industrial Ecology, Pforzheim University – Germany*
- Prof. Kensuke Fukushi, *Integrated Research System for Sustainability Science (IR3S), University of Tokio – Japan*
- Prof. Giovanni Sannia, *University of Naples Federico II – Italy*
- Prof. Thomas Coon, *Vice President, Dean and Director, Division of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources, Oklahoma State University – USA*

## Open Discussion

**15.30-16.00 Coffee Break**

**17:30-18:00 Conclusions and messages for the G7 Environment Ministers**  
**Conclusions of the day by Co-Chairs and Rapporteur**