COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENTS FOR SOCIAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE

WEDNESDAY 18 MARCH 2020
INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE CENTRE GENEVA (CICG)

PROGRAMME

09:00-09:45 WELCOME & OPENING STATEMENTS

Paul Ladd, Director, United Nations Research Institute for Social Development (UNRISD)
Joël Gapany, Director, School of Social Work (HES-SO Fribourg)
Teresa Bertotti, President, European Association of Schools of Social Work (EASSW)
Benjamin Joyeux, Coordinator, Jai Jagat Geneva - Skype contact with Rajagopal P.V. live from the Delhi-Geneva World March for Justice and Peace

09:45-11:00 KEYNOTE SPEECH

Engaging Migrant Communities for Social Justice: The Potential of the Minga Methodology (45 min)
Discussion (30 min)

Prof. Yvonne Riaño
University of Neuchâtel, Switzerland

11:00-11:30 LUNCH BREAK

(OFFERED BY HES-SO GENEVA)

11:30-13:00 WORKSHOPS

Jean Fabre, UN Inter-Agency Task Force on SSE and former Deputy Director of UNDP Geneva
WORKSHOP 1: Economy and social work in the 21st century: The transformational power of social and solidarity economy
French

Ariane Arlotti & Hélène Upjohn Jai Jagat Genève
WORKSHOP 2: Non-violence as an art of living
French

Cornelia S. Walther, PhD
POZE Network, Deakin University, UNICEF
WORKSHOP 3: Social change from the inside out
French

Ophelia Nicole- Berva & Anne Lavanchy University of Geneva & School of Social Work Geneva
WORKSHOP 4: Dispossession/s: Rethinking social work in the light of global social movements
French and English

Priska Fleischlin & Rory Truell International Federation of Social Workers (IFSW)
WORKSHOP 5: From community-level social work to the international level: Lessons learned
English

Swetha Rao Dhananka School of Social Work Fribourg
WORKSHOP 6: Contaminated communities: Social and environmental perspectives
French

14:15-15:30 KEYNOTE SPEECH

When People Define Democratic Participation and Development (45 min)
Discussion (30 min)

Ms. Aruna Roy
Socio-political activist and Founder of Workers and Peasants Strength Union (Mazdoor Kisan Shakti Sanghathan), National Campaign to People’s Right to Information, and the School for Democracy, India

15:30-16:00 WRAP UP & CLOSING REMARKS

SOCIAL WORK AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENTS
Rory Truell, Secretary-General, International Federation of Social Workers (IFSW)

CLOSING REMARKS
Joëlle Libois, Director, School of Social Work (HES-SO Genève)

EXHIBITIONS

Une vie bien remplie: Parcours de vie migratoires des plus de 60 ans
Esprit Nomade Association
Living the Squat: Countdown of an Expulsion
Nasser Tafferant HETS Geneve - HES-SO / LIVES