



# GENEVA PEACE CONFERENCE

MOBILIZING CIVIL SOCIETY FOR BUILDING PEACE OCTOBER 24, 2014 GENEVA

## October 24, 2014 – Friday

08.00-09:00 On-Site Registration and Access to Palais des Nations

09:30-10:30 Opening Ceremony & Key-note Addresses

**Mustafa Yeşil** President, Journalists and Writers Foundation

**Ela Gandhi** Peace Activist, Granddaughter of Mohandas Gandhi, South Africa

**Amb Heinrich Kreft** Director for Public Diplomacy and Dialogue among Civilizations, Foreign Ministry of Germany

10:30-12:00 **Freedom of Religion & Building and Sustaining Peace**

**Gunnar Johan Stålsett** Member of Norwegian Nobel Committee, Norway (Moderator)

**Prof. Tariq Ramadan** Oxford University, Faculty of Oriental Studies, UK

**Dr. Samya C. Marasinghe** Daughter of Mr. Ariyaratne, Sarvodaya Shramadana Movement, Sri Lanka

**Rabbi Ehud Bandel** Vice President of the International Council of Christians and Jews, Israel

**Prof. Thomas Michel** Georgetown University, Faculty of Theology, US

12:00-14:00 Lunch Break

14:00-15:30 **Peace and Journalism**

**Joost Lagendijk** Columnist at Today's Zaman (Moderator), Netherland

**Myung-bok Bae** Editorial Writer & Diplomatic Correspondent, JoongAng Ilbo, South Korea

**Dr. Petra Aczél** Corvinus University of Budapest, Hungary

**Dr. Cengiz Aktar** Lecturer at Süleyman Şah University, Istanbul, Turkey

15:30-16:00 Coffee Break

16:30-17:30 **Education & Sustaining Peace**

**Prof. Abdeljalil Akkari** Prof of International Education, University of Geneva (Moderator)

**Prof. Toh Swee-Hin** Distinguished Profesor, University for Peace, Costa Rica

**Prof. Radhi Al-Mabuk** Professor of Education at the University of Northern Iowa, US

**Daniel Hyslop** Institut for Economics and Peace, Australia

18:00-20:00 Reception and Cocktail