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They will send a message of hope to the world through the mass media and raise awareness among decision makers on the essential role of the family, sharing good practices implemented in their respective countries.



Trans-Atlantic networking among participants will be fostered, both at national and international level, sharing good policy practices and establishing relationships that will lead to ongoing cooperation in the coming years, summing up the participants' political, intellectual and social capital.



A Declaration on shared values will be launched and a letter addressed to the UN General Secretary sharing the concern on the need to strengthen the family as a driver for development in the post-2015 Agenda.

WHEN AND WHERE

A Side Event will take place in **November 14th 2014** (Date to be confirmed) in the UN Headquarters in New York, hosted by the Hungarian Permanent Mission to the United Nations.



PRELIMINARY AGENDA

10 am - 12 pm

Side Event

Speakers:



Hungarian Minister for Human Resources. (tbc)

Rick Santorum.

US Senator. Candidate for the Republican nomination for President of the United States. (tbc)

Mr. Oscar Iván Zuluaga.

President of the Democratic Center Party in Colombia.

Prof. Robert P. George.

Professor of Jurisprudence at Princeton University will present a Declaration on shared values. (tbc)

Mr. Jaime Mayor Oreja.

Former Member of the European Parliament, will receive the Familias et Veritas (Family and Truth) World Congress of Families' Award.

12:15 pm Press Conference

1pm Lunch

3-6 pm Inter-parliamentarian Round Table

8 pm Reception Dinner

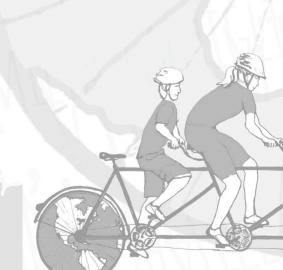
Special guest:

Archbishop Chaput, Philadelphia.

Organizer of the World Meeting of Families 2015 (tbc)









TRAVELING AND ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation will be provided to participants. We encourage participants to cover their own traveling expenses due to funding limitations. If that wasn't possible, please contact us so we may provide them

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