





Campus Plein Sud at the ULB Lunch Debate: 18 March 2014, 13-14h Sociology Institute, Salle Baugniet (ground floor), Solbosch Campus, Av. Jeanne 44, 1050 Brussels

Mundus maris asbl, SEDIF asbl and the Vice-Rector for International Relations of the ULB jointly invite to a high-level lunch debate about

International Fisheries Relations and the implementation of the Reform of the Common Fisheries Policy in Europe

Moderators: Prof. Paul Jacobs of ULB and Dr Cornelia E Nauen of *Mundus maris* asbl

Panelists:

- Mrs. Maria Damanaki, Member of the European Commission with portfolio responsibility for the Reform of the Common Fisheries Policy
- Ms. Isabella Lövin, Member of the European Parliament actively involved in the reform process and author of the award-winning book "Silent Seas. The Fish Race to the Bottom"
- Ms. Béatrice Gorez, Coordinator of the Coalition for Fair Fishing Agreements (CFFA) with wide-ranging international experience
- 35 Dr Aliou Sall, Socio-Anthropologist with decades of experience in the changing tides of small-scale fisheries in West Africa, particularly Senegal

Panelists will be invited to speak particularly to how they see the future of fisheries relations between Europe and Africa and other developing countries currently governed by fisheries partnership agreements. The framing of traditional North-South relations may become less central taking into consideration a growing multipolarity of economic and political power and shifting trade flows. At the same time, the global climate and resource crisis puts the need for greater equitability and rebuilding of degraded resource systems into the heart of the challenges. How can the implementation of the reform of the Common Fisheries Policy help to navigate these currents of change and what else is needed?

This moderated lunch time debate invites panelists to short opening statements followed by an open interaction with the audience. Bring you sandwich!