



**Association Luxembourgeoise pour les Nations
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**World Federation of United Nations
Associations (WFUNA)**

Commemoration of the 70th Anniversary of the World Federation of United Nations Associations.

**In celebration of the foundation of WFUNA in Luxembourg in 1946
and of United Nations Day**

Under the theme:

The United Nations and WFUNA: Celebrating 70 years of partnership and looking forward

Date: Wednesday October 19th 2016 at 18h00

Location: Campus Limpertsberg of the University of Luxembourg, Bâtiment des Sciences, Salle 003
162a avenue de la Faïencerie L-1511, Luxembourg

Program.

- Musical interlude from the Nigerian singer Ms Ayodele Oriade
- Introduction by Mr. André Rollinger, President of UNA Luxembourg
- Video message on the occasion of the 70th Anniversary of WFUNA by Mr. Ban Ki-Moon, Secretary General of the United Nations Organization
- Address by Mr. Bonian Golmohammadi, Secretary-General, World Federation of United Nations Associations
- Address by Ms. Deborah Seward, Director of the United Nations Regional Information Center
- Short videos concerning the involvement of youth: Ms. Rebecca Okine, President of the International Relations Club of the University of Luxembourg, speaking about the UN education project 2015; A project on ecosystems and the environment in Sustainable Development Goal no. 15 (Life on Land) of the UN Agenda 2030, implemented with secondary schools
- Intervention of Ms. Simone Beck, President of the National Commission of Luxembourg for the cooperation with the UNESCO
- Musical interlude by the Duo Equisonanza of Ms Jehanne Strepenne and Mr Nicolas Deletaille: Duo No 1 for violin and cello from L.v. Beethoven
- Speech by H.E. Mr. Jean Asselborn, Minister of Foreign and European Affairs of Luxembourg on Topics in regard of the scope and relevance of the human rights in the age of the UN sustainable development goals
- Open discussion
- Musical interlude by the Duo Equisonanza: Passacaglia for violin and cello from Händel-Halvorsen

After the commemoration, a reception with drinks and snacks will be offered by ALNU at about 20h00.