

Count Every Child Conference Programme
Monday 16 November
London



09.00 **Registration**

Welcome and overview of Plan's universal birth campaign (UBR) challenges and successes
Nigel Chapman, CEO Plan

Opening speech – UBR in the context of child rights
Actor Anil Kapoor, Plan India's UBR ambassador (invited)

Expert panel – chair Marie Staunton, Director Plan UK
Panellists from Pakistan, Indonesia, Paraguay and Burkina Faso present case studies for information and discussion

12.30 **LUNCH**

Keynote speech – UBR and links to migration, trafficking, citizenship and wider issues
Professor Jaqueline Bhabha, Harvard University

Keynote speech - Identity for Development
Dr Hamid Rashid, Coordinator, Legal Empowerment of the Poor, UNDP

Expert panel - chair Dr Susan Bissell, Head of Child Protection, UNICEF
ECPAT - Christine Beddoe, Director, ECPAT UK
Interpol – Uri Sadeh Child – Criminal Intelligence Analyst, Interpol
International Council of Nursing – Sylvia Denton, ICN Board Member
InterAmerican Development Bank – Mia Harbitz
The panel will discuss linkages at global level and how birth registration affects their work, with time for questions

Message by Archbishop Desmond Tutu, Plan's UBR ambassador (tbc)

Closing plenary – Chair of closing plenary Ms Ellen Wratten, Director of Policy and Head of Profession for Social Development, Department for International Development (invited)

17.00 **END**