

UHC Forum 2017

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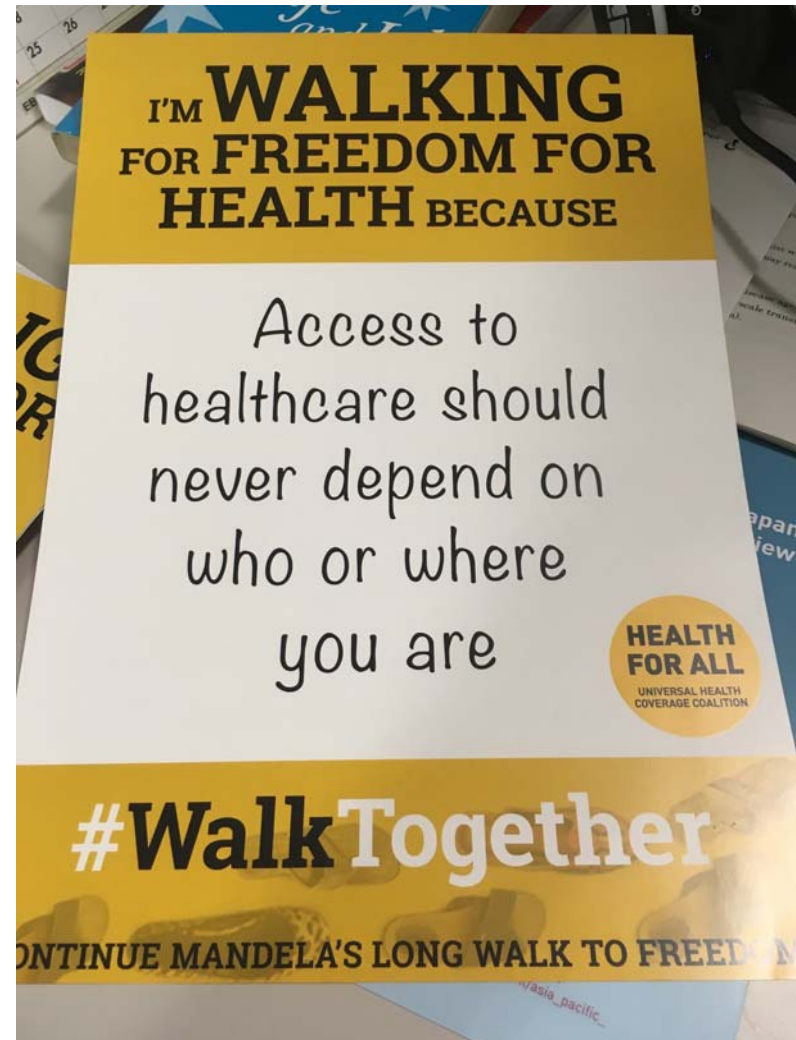


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- UHC2030:
 - WHO
 - World Bank
 - UNICEF
 - JICA
 - Gvt of Japan



Theme: Health For All

“Rising for our Right to Universal Health Coverage”

HEALTH FOR ALL
RISING FOR OUR RIGHT
TO UNIVERSAL HEALTH COVERAGE

14 December 2017, 18:00-19:30
Tokyo Prince Hotel, Japan
#HealthForAll

Co-Hosts
Tsepo Makwela News and Current Affairs Anchor, South African Broadcasting Corporation
Sputniko! Artist; University of Tokyo Associate Professor; 2017 World Economic Forum "Young Global Leader" of Asia

Performance
Maaya Wakasugi Calligrapher/Artist, Performer

Welcome Remarks
Kazuyuki Nakane State Minister of Foreign Affairs, Japan

Opening Keynote
Alaa Murabit UN High-Level Commissioner on Health Employment and Economic Growth; SDG Global Advocate

Commitments of Action
Jim Yong Kim President, World Bank Group
Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus Director-General, World Health Organization
Isaac F. Adewole Minister of Health, Federal Ministry of Health, Nigeria
Santosh Kumar Giri Secretary and Executive Director, Kolkata Rista, India
Batool Alwahdani Vice-President for External Affairs, International Federation of Medical Students' Associations (IFMSA)
Githinji Gitahi Co-chair, UHC2030 Steering Committee; CEO, Amref Health Africa
Paul Lackson Zacaria Chibingu Member of Parliament, Malawi; Vice-Chair, African Parliamentary Forum on Population and Development
Mark Suzman Chief Strategy Officer and President of Global Policy & Advocacy, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

UHC Youth Japan

Celebrating the Health For All Movement
Cherdchai Chaivaivid Minister, The Royal Thai Embassy, Tokyo

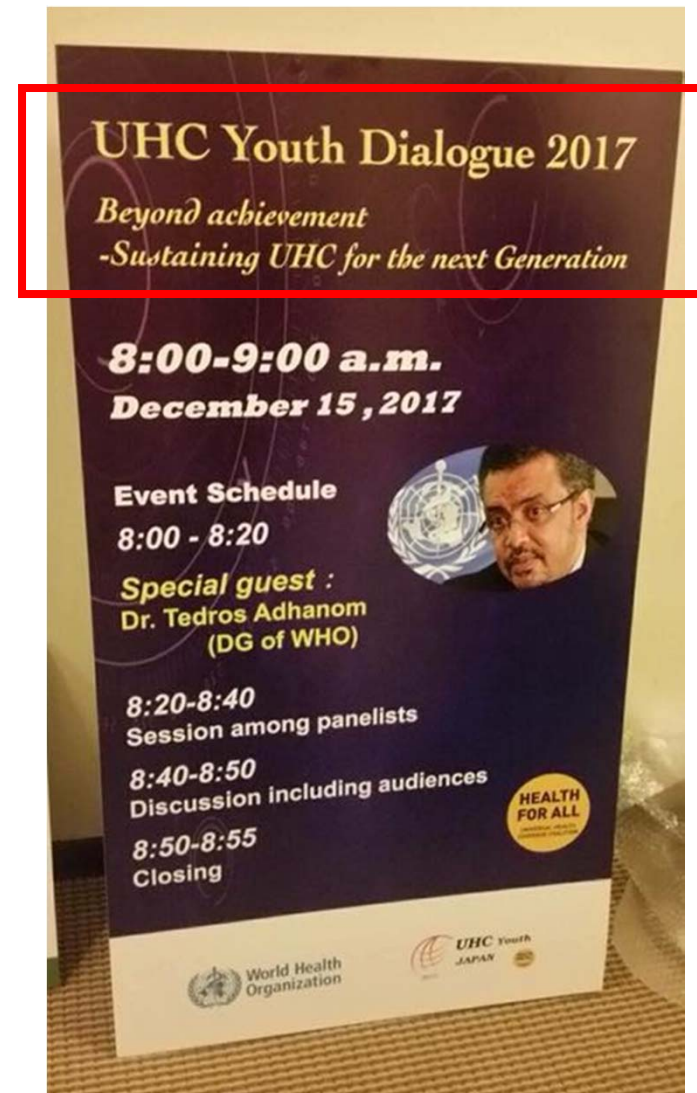
Closing Keynote
Ricardo Lagos Former President of Chile; Member of The Elders

Closing Remarks & Performance
Yvonne Chaka Chaka Singer, Songwriter; President, Princess of Africa Foundation

Youth Side Event: UHC Youth Japan

I was among the panelists:

Beyond Achievement-Sustaining UHC for the next generation



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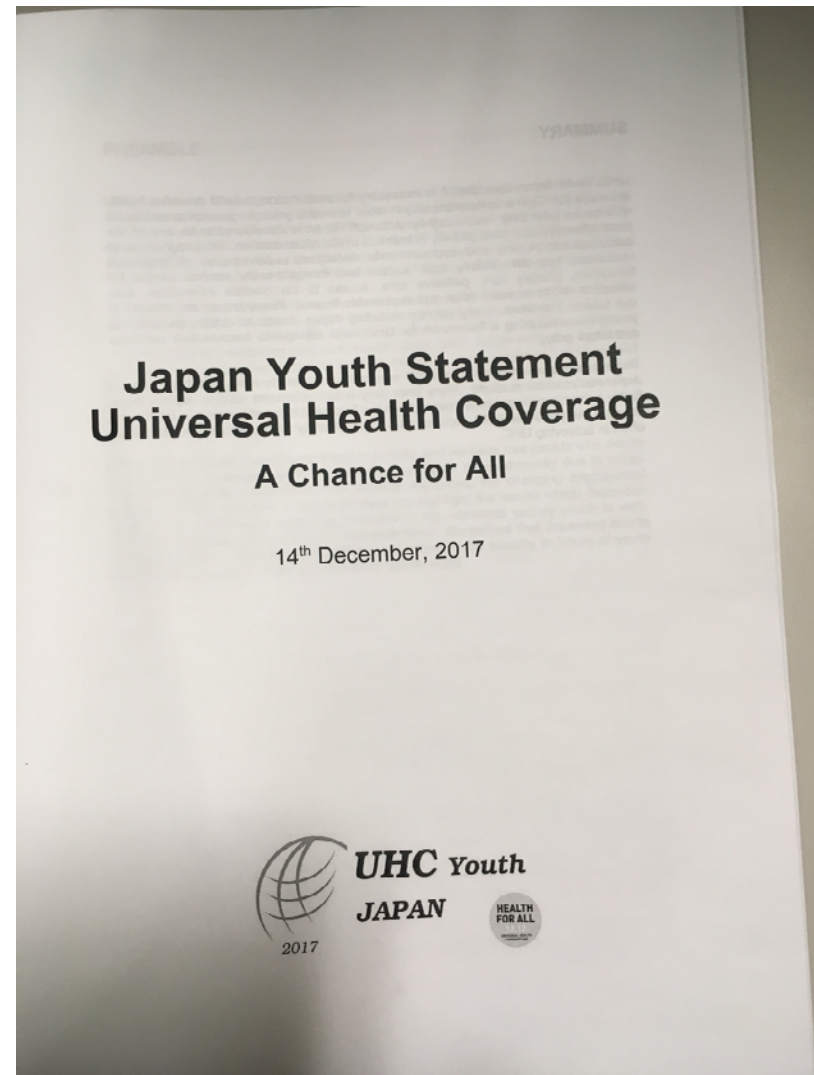


Lesson Learnt

- No UHC success with Political Will
- Health financing is essential for UHC achievement
- Global partnership of multi-sectorials is paramount,
- Involvement of young researchers, Global Health professionals and many other various sectors is the only way to SDGs achievement.
- Individual commitment to the success toward UHC should be a key priority.
- Students from Universities should be first aware about this strategy

Next Step

- Disseminate the Youth Statement in all Universities of Japan.
- Monitor the implementation of that statement as well as commitments
- I commit to establish University Based group about SDGs and UHC (Undergraduate & Graduate) at Nagasaki University.



Conclusion

- The Participation was a great opportunity,
- Opened my understanding about the current global health challenges that can hinder the achievement of SGDs as well as UHC by 2030.
- It expanded my network for future career path.