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<i>Date</i>	<i>Item no.</i>	<i>Agenda item</i>
Monday 24 May		Introductory statement by the Chairman, Dr. Arnaldo Ventura
10.00-13:00	1	Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters -Opening statement by Mr. Fortin, Deputy Secretary-General of UNCTAD -Nobel Laureate Professor John Sulston, United Kingdom -Ambassador Walter Lichem, Director-General, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Austria -Calestous Juma, Coordinator of the MDGs Task Force on Science, Technology and Innovation and Professor at Harvard University
		<i>General discussion</i>
15:00-18:00	2	Substantive theme: Promoting the application of science and technology to meet the development goals contained in the Millennium Declaration Presentation by the Secretariat Sub-theme 1: Strengthening basic and applied research in developing countries and international scientific networking Jean-Marie Leclerc, Director-general, Centre for Information Technologies of the State of Geneva Ambassador Claudio Moreno, General Coordinator for Trieste Expo 2008 candidacy, Ministry Foreign Affairs. Maria Cristina Pedicchio, President, Area Science Park of Trieste. Arturo Falaschi, Director General, International Center for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, Trieste. Paolo Budinich, President, International Foundation in favour of the Progress and Freedom of Sciences, Trieste. Stanislav Miertus, International Center for Science and High Technology, UNIDO, Trieste.

Pierpaolo Ferrante, Project Manager, Trieste Expo 2008
Challenge.

Prof. Walter Gerbino, Dean, University of Trieste

General discussion