

European Development Days 2022
High-level panel
**“Global health? Local answers :
resilient health systems and medical training”**
Tuesday 21 June, 17.55-18.55
SPEAKER PROFILES (in the order of appearance)

Mr. Udo Bullmann, MEP
Subpanel on health

Udo Bullmann (born 1956) is a German Member of the European Parliament and spokesperson for Development Policy of the Socialists and Democrats Group (S&D). The UN Sustainable Development Goals as well as the fight against inequalities are the focus of his work. He took up his parliamentary duties in 1999.

Udo Bullmann was S&D-Coordinator in the ECON Committee from 2009-2012. From 2012 to 2017, he led the German SPD delegation in the S&D Group until his election as first Vice-President of the S&D Group (Economic and Social Model). He served as President of the S&D Group in the European Parliament from 2018 to 2019.

Mr Bullmann is a political scientist by education and received his doctorate in social sciences. He worked as University lecturer and Jean Monnet Professor for European Studies ("Studies on European Integration") at the Justus Liebig University Giessen, Germany, prior to his election to the European Parliament.


Minister Amadou Hott
Subpanel on health

Until his appointment as Minister of Economy, Planning and Cooperation in Senegal in April 2019, Mr. Amadou Hott was the Vice President of the African Development Bank's Power, Energy, Green Growth and Climate Change Complex, since November 2016, and has 20 years of experience in areas such as structured finance, sovereign

wealth funds management, investment banking, infrastructure and the development of integrated energy solutions.

Prior to joining the African Development Bank, Amadou held various Investment banking and Investment advisory positions in New York, London, Dubai and Lagos. He was Director of Millennium Finance Corporation for Africa, where he was responsible for project finance operations in sectors such as energy, mining, ICT and banking in Africa and Middle East. He was also Managing Director of UBA Capital, which is present in 20 African countries, and then founder

and managing Director of Afribridge Capital, an investment firm specializing in advisory services in Africa where he provided advice in the areas of energy, electricity, information, communications and technology.

In 2012, after 15 years of international investment banking and advisory work, Amadou returned to Senegal to serve his country. His roles in Senegal included Special Advisor of HE President Macky Sall, Chairman of Aéroport Internationale Blaise Diagne (Senegal's new international airport) and Founder and CEO of Senegal's Sovereign Wealth Fund, as part of which he launched major infrastructure investment initiatives, including renewable energy and energy projects.

Amadou has undergraduate degrees in applied mathematics and economy, an MSc in Finance, from Sorbonne University in Paris, which included participation as an exchange student in New York University's MSc in Financial Mathematics program. He was named a Young Global Leader by the World Economic Forum in 2012.



Dr. Ayoade Olatunbosun-Alakija

Subpanel on health

Dr Ayoade Olatunbosun-Alakija is a visionary, innovative leader and influencer in global health and humanitarian development. A Pan-African at heart and citizen of the world, Ayoade speaks nine languages and is committed to transformational change that puts the voices of the global south at the heart of policy planning and decision

making in critical health, development, education, and humanitarian issues.

Ayoade currently serves as Special Envoy and Co-Chair to the World Health Organisation's Act-Accelerator, Co-Chair of the African Union, African Vaccine Delivery Alliance and Founder of the Emergency Coordination Centre, Nigeria (ECC), as well as the former Chief Humanitarian Coordinator for Nigeria. With a background in medicine, public health and policy, Ayoade is a recognised Pan-African strategist and analytical thinker who brings creative and innovative solutions to complex situations.

Ayoade has long-standing relationships and networks with leaders across governments, multilateral agencies, NGOs, civil society, and the private sector. She has successfully delivered initiatives ranging across health, development, humanitarian crisis and education in countries across Africa and globally. In addition to this, she served as a Board Member at George Washington University, Africa Centre for Peace and Human Security.

Ayoade is passionate about achieving equitable outcomes for in all aspects of life and especially health and education and achieving social justice globally. She is currently spearheading an initiative to create Safe Learning and Teaching Environments in Nigeria (The CASTLE Initiative).



Mr. György Hölvényi, MEP

Subpanel on education

György Hölvényi (born in 1962) is Hungarian Member of the European Parliament since 2014. He is Member and Spokesperson for the EPP Group in the Committee on Development (DEVE) and Member in the Human Rights Subcommittee (DROI). He is also Member of the Delegation of the ACP-EU Joint Parliamentary Assembly. MEP Hölvényi

is Standing Rapporteur for Education in the Committee on Development and he was Standing Rapporteur for the EU Trust Funds. He also works as Co-Chair of Working Group on Intercultural and Religious Dialogue of the EPP Group.

Before his election as MEP Hölvényi served as Secretary of State for Relations with Churches, National Minorities and Civil Society, 2012- 2014, in Hungary. He is Board Member of the Robert Schuman Foundation. He also worked as Advisor on Intercultural and Religious Dialogue in the EPP Group and as Press Advisor in the EPP Group Secretariat, 2003-2009. He is a Founding member of the Christian Democratic People's Party (Hungary).



Minister Miryan Djamila Sena Vieira

Subpanel on education

Date/place of birth: February 23, 1977. Praia, Santiago Island, Cabo Verde.

- Degree in International Relations
- Diplomat
- Speaks Portuguese, English and French fluently

➤ Performed the functions of:

- Counselor at the Permanent Mission of Cabo Verde to the UN,
- Deputy Coordinator of Experts of the Third Committee of the African Group, United Nations, NY
- Desk-Officer for cooperation between Cabo Verde and the United Nations System, Diplomat at the National Directorate for Political Affairs and Cooperation, Multilateral Affairs Division, Ministry of Foreign Affairs,
- Desk-Officer at the Directorate-General for International Cooperation and National Coordinator of the Paris Declaration on Aid Effectiveness.
- French Teacher in Secondary Education, Praia, Santiago Island, Cabo Verde



Dr. Richard Hardi

Subpanel on education

Catholic missionary, doctor, ophthalmologist in the Democratic Republic of Congo since 1995. Founder and builder of the Ophthalmological Clinic St Raphael, opened since 2006 in Mbuji Mayi, in the province of Kasai Oriental. Currently head of medical staff at the clinic and trainer of young Congolese doctors.