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IN THE BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS CONVENTION**

**4 December 2008 — 13:15 - 14:45
Room XXII, Palais des Nations, Geneva**

- ➔ A sandwich lunch will be served outside Room XXII from 13:00
- ➔ English-French simultaneous interpretation will be provided

Agenda

Opening Remarks

Sophie Moal-Makame, Permanent Mission of France to the Conference on Disarmament
Christiane Agboton Johnson, Deputy Director, UNIDIR

Successes and Challenges in Current CBMs

Ngoc Phuong Huynh, BWC Implementation Support Unit, Office for Disarmament Affairs

Global Trends in the Content of Information Exchanged

Filippa Lentzos, London School of Economics

Reaching a Tipping Point: Achieving the Universalization of the CBMs in the BWC

Angela Woodward, The Verification Research, Training and Information Centre (VERTIC)

Questions and open discussion

Summary of the Debate

Elisande Nexon, Fondation pour la Recherche Stratégique