SCALING UP SYNERGIES BETWEEN THE GLOBAL FUND AND INNOVATORS TO BREAK DOWN BARRIERS TO HEALTH INNOVATION FOR THE MOST VULNERABLE

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Venue: H7 Confluence
70 Quai Perrache, 69002 Lyon

Co-hosts: Drugs for Neglected Diseases initiative - DNDi, Foundation for Innovative New Diagnostics - FIND, Innovative Vector Control Consortium - IVCC, International Partnership for Microbicides - IPM; Medicines for Malaria Venture - MMV, PATH, TB Alliance

Welcome François Rivasseau, Permanent Representative of France to the United Nations Office in Geneva

Opening session
- Michèle Boccoz, Director-General Envoy for Multilateral Affairs, WHO
- Catharina Boehme, CEO, FIND
- Marijke Wijnroks, Chief of Staff, Global Fund

Testimony from affected groups/communities
- Estelle Tiphonnet Diawara, Director of partnerships and capitalization, Coalition PLUS

Panel talks: Innovation upstream and downstream the Global Fund’s work – how to achieve optimal synergies
- Moderator: Mark Chataway

Innovation upstream: from R&D to more powerful tools
- Willo Brock, Senior Vice President, External Affairs, TB Alliance
- François Dabis, President, France Recherche Nord & Sud Sida-hiv Hépatites
- Renuka Gadde, Vice-President for Global Health, BD
- Tom McLean, Market Access Director, IVCC

Innovation downstream: from new health tools to impact
- Sherwin Charles, CEO and co-founder, Goodbye Malaria
- H.E. Chitalu Chilufya, Minister of Health, Zambia
- Bernard Pécout, Executive Director, DNDi
- Sanne Wendes, Chief of Staff, Unitaid

Closing remarks: David Reddy, CEO, MMV