



The International Day of
Remembrance
of the **Victims of**
Slavery and the
Transatlantic Slave Trade
25 March

Celebrating
Emancipation



Permanent Memorial
International Design Competition
Winning Design Unveiling Ceremony
Monday, 23 September 2013 [TBC]
East Lounge Area [TBC]
United Nations Secretariat

Programme of Events

1:30 - 2 p.m. [TBC]

Master of Ceremony opens ceremony

- Under-Secretary-General Peter Launsky-Tieffenthal, Department of Public Information (1:30 p.m.)

Statements (3 minute each)

- Secretary-General Ban Ki-Moon (1:32 – 1:35 p.m.)
- H.E. Mr. John W. Ashe, President of the 68th session of the General Assembly (1:36 – 1:39 p.m.)
- UNESCO Director-General Irina Bokova (1:40 – 1:43 p.m.)
- H.E. Ms. Portia Simpson Miller, Prime Minister, Jamaica (1:44 – 1:47 p.m.)

Tribute to the Finalists and Announcement of the Winning Design

- H.E. Mr. Courtenay Rattray, Chair, Permanent Memorial Committee introduces a visual presentation of designs and announces winner (1:48 – 1:50 p.m.)

Unveiling of the Winning Design

- All dignitaries (1:50 – 1:52 p.m.)

Photo Opportunity

- All dignitaries, International Design Competition Judges, Author of the Winning Design (1:52 – 1:55 p.m.)

End of Ceremony (1:55 pm.)