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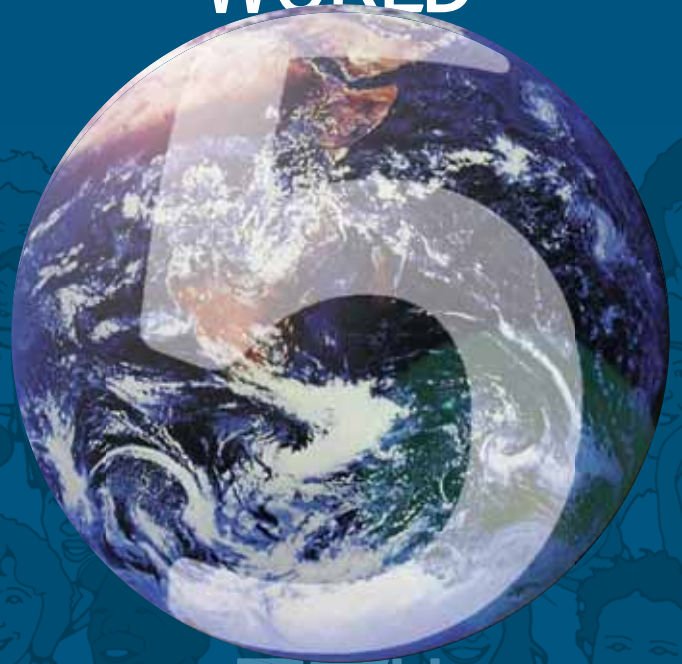
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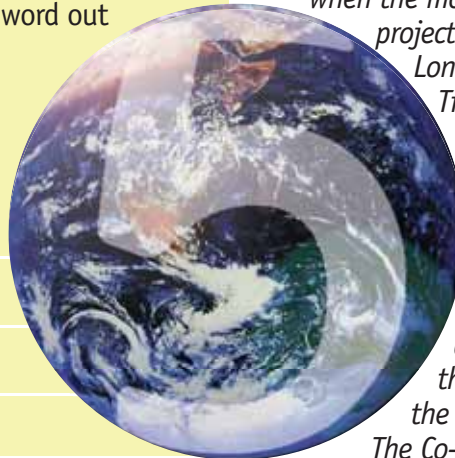
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**DAY 1 FRIDAY 15TH MAY 2009**

14.00	Check in and conference registration
15.00	Welcome Around the world in 80 seconds
15.30	Recognition, awards & getting the word out <b>Dawn Davies, Philippe Grainger, Gloria Murray</b>  Tell the world - What does this mean for me
17.15	AGM
19.00	DINNER
20.00	Show & tell - timebanking videos



**SPEAKERS**

**David Boyle** is an associate of the new economics foundation, the pioneering think-tank in London, and has been at the heart of the effort to introduce timebanks to Britain as a critical element of public service reform - since when the movement has grown to more than 100 projects in the UK. He is also the founder of the London Timebank network and co-founder of Timebanks UK. He writes about the future of volunteering, cities and business.

**Dr. Edgar S Cahn** is the creator of Time Dollars and the founder of the Time Dollar USA, as well as the co-founder of the National Legal Services Programme and the Antioch School of Law (now the David A. Clarke School of Law). He is the author of *No More Throw Away People: The Co-Production Imperative* (Essential Books, 2000), *Time Dollars* (co-author Jonathan Rowe, Rodale Press, 1992), *Our Brother's Keeper: The Indian in White America* (1972) and *Hunger USA*. The development of Time Dollars is just one achievement in a career that, since the early 1960's, has been dedicated to achieving social justice for the disenfranchised. His own life is an example of dedication to strongly held principles and ideals, and he brings to audiences a powerful vision, sincere compassion, spontaneous humour, and the ability to inspire others.

**Elvira Méndez** is Director of the Association Health and Family (Asociación Salud y Familia). She is specialist in public health, developing health prevention and social promotion programmes. She is associated professor in public policies in the Social and Political Sciences Department of the University Pompeu Fabra of Barcelona.

**Martin Simon** is the founder of the 'Fair Shares' network of community Timebanks in Gloucestershire and is now the Executive Director of Timebanks UK, the umbrella organization for Time Banking in the UK. He is an Alinski trained Citizen Organiser and an Organisational and Community Development specialist and has worked extensively in Europe, USA and Africa. Martin is a popular speaker and an experienced workshop facilitator.

**DAY 2 SATURDAY 16TH MAY 2009**

9.00	<b>David Boyle</b> The coming timebanking moment <b>Elvira Méndez</b> Timebanking and social inclusion <b>Martin Simon</b> Timebanking as a tool
11.00	Practitioners workshops including <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Support for learning disabilities</li> <li>■ Time4Health</li> <li>■ 'Doing Time' - Prison project</li> <li>■ Green footprints through timebanking</li> <li>■ Funding! Where do we start?</li> <li>■ Individual Budgets</li> <li>■ Digital Communities</li> <li>■ Affordable and effective marketing</li> </ul>
12.30	LUNCH
13.45	Problem solving - co-producing the future
15.30	Workshops repeated
18.30	DINNER
19.30	Dr Edgar Cahn - after dinner speaker
20.00	Open mike session - poetry, music, stories 2 To Tango - bring your dancing shoes!

**DAY 3 SUNDAY 17TH MAY 2009**

9.30	Back at the ranch - this is what we're going to do differently
10.00	Creating an environment for timebanking to flourish
11.00	Farewells over tea & pastries

By the end of the gathering, conference organisers hope that participants will be further enthused and informed about timebanking, energised to carry on, and specifically, by the end of the gathering it is hoped that those:

- New to the movement and those who have been around a while will know they are part of a vibrant movement...
- Who want to know how timebanking is now being used as a tool internationally, nationally and locally, have that fuller knowledge...
- Looking for practical steps the timebanking movement can take to limit the hardship caused by the recession, now have them...

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