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Dear Ms Puntenney,

It is my pleasure to invite your organization to participate in the UNESCO World Conference on Education for Sustainable Development (ESD), which will be organized in Aichi-Nagoya (Japan) from 10 to 12 November 2014, and generously hosted by the Government of Japan.

The World Conference will mark the end of the UN Decade of ESD, as well as the launch of the Global Action Programme on ESD, that was endorsed by the 37<sup>th</sup> session of the UNESCO General Conference as the follow-up to the UN Decade. Some 1000 participants are expected to attend the Conference, which will feature a high-level roundtable, plenaries, workshops, exhibitions and side-events. Detailed information on the conference programme is available on the Conference website:

<http://www.unesco.org/new/en/unesco-world-conference-on-esd-2014/>

I should be most grateful if you would kindly confirm your participation at your earliest convenience, but no later than **17 October 2014**, via email to [esddecade@unesco.org](mailto:esddecade@unesco.org). You will subsequently receive access to the registration section of the Conference website.

I look forward to welcoming you to the Conference, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

Qian Tang