



4th Annual Africa Business Conference at the Johns Hopkins Carey Business School

100 International Drive, Baltimore, MD 21202

“Amplifying African Voices for Action on the Global Stage: Vision 2030”

Friday, April 21, 2023

Conference Opening & Networking Mixer

2nd floor: Passano Lobby

Time	SESSION	SPEAKERS/ORGANIZATIONS
4:30–5:00 PM	Registration	1. CLLCTIVLY 2. RowdyOrbit 3. Global Health Catalyst 4. RnD Associates 5. Research Poster, Dr. Fatoumata from JHSPH 6. Seeka Foundation and Univ of Delaware 7. International Youth Foundation (IYF) 8. FastForward U & Leaders of Africa 9. Constituency for Africa 10. Kamoky And Many More!
5:00–5:30 PM	Welcome & Opening	Africa Business Club & Open Mic
5:30–6:30 PM	Networking Mixer	Open Mic
6:30–7:00 PM	Live African Drum and Dance Performance	Keur Khaleyí
7:00–7:30 PM	Networking and closing	

Saturday, April 22, 2023: Africa Business Conference

24th Floor: 24AB/24C

Session	Speakers	Title/Organization
Registration & Continental Breakfast 8:30- 9:00 AM		
Opening Address 9:00 - 9:15 AM	Laura Buhnange Mahamed Konfru	President, Africa Business Club, Carey Business School VP Internal Audit at Morgan Stanley Alumni President, Africa Business Club
Keynote Address 9:15 - 9:30 AM	Mr. Melvin Foote	Founder & President, Constituency for Africa
Plenary 9:35-10:25 AM	1. Dr. Jill Humphries 2. James Rege 3. Amb. Koby Koomson 4. Dr. James Calvin (Moderator)	1. Assistant Professor Africana Studies, University of Toledo 2. Engineer, Omarichet Space 3. Former Ambassador of Ghana to the US 4. Professor of Practice, Carey Business School
Mid-Morning Break 10:25-10:35 AM		
Panel 1: Policy & Development Finance 10:35-11:15 AM	1. Abraham Akoi 2. Luke Cooper 3. John Lewis 4. Dr. Fikru Boghossian 5. Prof. Seydina Fall (Moderator)	1. Advisor to Executive Director, World Bank Group 2. Founder & GP at Latimer Ventures 3. President, The Harbor Bank 4. Dean, Earl G. Graves School of Business and Management at Morgan State University 5. Program Director, Real Estate & Infrastructure, Carey Business School
Panel 2: Youth Investment, Entrepreneurship, and Educational Partnerships 11:20 AM -12:00 PM	1. Roger Williams 2. Miles Henderson 3. Madelle Kangha 4. Lanre Ogungbe 5. DaQuan Lawrence (Moderator)	1. Director, DEIB, Community & Corporate Partnerships, Carey Business School 2. Founder/Executive Director, True Culture University 3. Founder, Jumpstart Group 4. CEO/Co-founder, Prembly Inc 5. Co-Founder, SMOOTH Inc. Ph.D. Candidate, Howard University
NETWORKING LUNCH 12-1 PM		
Breakout Session I-A (1:00–1:30 PM) Technology, Innovation & Entrepreneurship	1. Jonathan Moore 2. Lanre Ogungbe 3. Toyin Olaleye	1. Founder/CEO, RowdyOrbit 2. CEO/Co-founder, Prembly Inc 3. Co-founder of Kamoky
Breakout Session I-B (1:00–1:30 PM) Trade, Policy & Development Finance	1. Abraham Akoi	1. Advisor to Executive Director, World Bank Group
Panel 3: Health, Innovation & Technology 1:35 –2:25 PM	1. Kate Wright 2. Dr. Wilfred Ngwa 3. Meschack Kinyua 4. Rebkha Atnafou (Moderator)	1. Research Associate, Bloomberg School of Public Health (JHSPH) 2. Director, Global Health Catalyst on Oncology in Africa, JHSOM 3. Founder/President, Omarichet 4. Research Associate, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine CEO, RnD Associates
Breakout Session II- A (2:30-3 PM) Gender Equity in Health & Education	1. Rebkha Atnafou 2. Dr. Jean Christophe Rusatira	1. Research Associate, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine CEO, RnD Associates 2. Bloomberg School of Public Health (JHSPH)
Breakout Session II- B (2:30-3 PM) Youth Investment & Educational Partnerships	1. Jok Abraham 2. Dr. Peter Penar & Eva Penar 3. Miles Henderson	1. UMBC/YALI Fellow 2. CEO and CTO, Co-Founders of Leaders of Africa 3. Founder/Executive Director, True Culture University
Conference Wrap-up and Closing Remarks 3:00-3:30 PM		
♦ Closing Remarks: Dr. Constant Beugre ♦ Closing Keynote Address		♦ Professor, Delaware State University ♦ TBD
Networking Mixer @ Lebanese Taverna 4:00-6:30 PM		