

Conference Plan

















2 March

Ethiopian Skylight Hotel, Addis Ababa – BALL ROOM
10.00 am – 6.00 pm **Made in Germany – Africa Exhibition**

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- 11.00 am – 12.30 pm **INAUGURATION OF MADE IN GERMANY – AFRICA**
and official Tour by the Organizers, Governments and Partners
African Union Commission;
Ethiopian Government;
German Embassy;
Trade and Fairs Group Germany;
- 12.30 pm – 1.00 pm **PRESS CONFERENCE**
by Organizers & Partners (for media only)
- 2.00 pm – 2.45 pm **Perspectives on the AfCFTA, its Potential and Challenges**
Presenter: AfCFTA Secretariat
Panellists: Eyob Bekele, Managing Director and Owner, Desta Plc;
Prof. Martha Belete, Professor at Addis Ababa University;
Youssef Moussa Dawaleh, President of Djibouti Chamber of Commerce
Moderator: Claudia Voss, Afrika Verein (AV)
- 3.00 pm – 4.15 pm **The Supply Chain Due Diligence Act - Human and Labour Rights Protection Expanded to Global Value Chains**
Presenter: Business and Human Rights in Africa:
John I. Gbodi, Political Officer (Human Rights), Department of Political Affairs and Peace and Security (PAPS), African Union Commission
Presenter: German Supply Chain Act:
Dr. Stender, Head of Directorate-General VI „European and International Employment and Social Policy“, Germany’s Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs;
Panellists: Ina Hommers, Country Director Ethiopia & Djibouti, GIZ Ethiopia;
Alexio Musindo, Director ILO Country Office for Ethiopia, Djibouti, Sudan, South Sudan and Somalia, ILO Special Representative to the AU and ECA;
Rose Omamo, Secretary General, Amalgamated Union of Kenya Metall Workers;
Dr. Stender, Head of Directorate-General VI „European and International Employment and Social Policy“, Germany’s Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs;
Carsten Schreiter, Dialog Textil Bekleidung Germany (DTB)
Moderator: Amanuel Desalegn, Program Manager AU-Team, Friedrich-Ebert-Foundation
- 4.30 pm – 5.15 pm **German Dual Education System**
Presenter: Lars Fiechel, Cluster Coordinator Skills Development, GIZ Ethiopia

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

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10.00 am – 10.45 am	<p>East Africa – Development and Economic Outlook</p> <p>Panellists: Aregash Asfaw, Cluster Coordinator Employment & Private Sector Development, GIZ Ethiopia; Youssouf Moussa Dawaleh, President of Djibouti Chamber of Commerce; Carsten Ehlers, German Trade and Invest (GTAI); Antje Steiner, DEG Nairobi</p> <p>Moderator: Estifanos Samuel, MD, East African Partners</p>
11.00 am – 11.45 pm	<p>Germany – Steps Planned for Collaboration with Africa</p> <p>Panellists: Ambassador Stephan Auer, German Embassy, Addis Ababa; Ina Hommers, Country Director Ethiopia & Djibouti, GIZ Ethiopia; Philipp Jornitz, German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Climate Protection; Antje Steiner, DEG Nairobi</p> <p>Moderator: Ulrich Binkert, German Trade and Invest (GTAI)</p>
12.00 noon – 12.45 pm	<p>Growth through Digitalizing</p> <p>Presenters: Kevin Nono, CEO of ELO Digital Office Germany; Franz von Weizsaecker, Head of Programme for digital transformation in the African Union, GIZ Ethiopia; Mihret Woodmatas, Senior ICT Expert, African Union Commission</p>
2.00 pm – 3.00 pm	<p>Finance in Africa 2023: Navigating the Financial Landscape in Turbulent Times</p> <p>Panellists: Ousmane Dione, Country Dir of World Bank for Ethiopia, Eritrea, Sudan and South Sudan; Ethiopian Ministry of Finance; Nebil Kellow, Founder, First Consult PLC, Ethiopia; Antje Steiner, DEG</p> <p>Moderator: Benjamin-Tedler Hecker, German Embassy, Addis Ababa</p>
3.15 pm – 4.00 pm	<p>Finance for Agriculture - Accelerating Agricultural Mechanization</p> <p>Panellists: Biruk Abayneh, Project Coordinator Increasing Agricultural Productivity through Innovation (Leasing), GFA Consulting Group GmbH; Dr. Yohannes Ayalew, President Development Bank of Ethiopia; Bereket Forsido, Mechanization Directorate Director, Ministry of Agriculture, Ethiopia; Basaznew Legesse, Moenco; Michael Tesfaye, Commercial Director, Kaleb Service Farmers House Plc;</p> <p>Moderator: Diana Hedrich, Director Office Addis Ababa, KfW Development Bank</p>
4.15 pm – 5.30 pm	<p>Baden-Württemberg – THE LÄND of Innovation and Ideas</p> <p>Presenter: Sarah Musch, Manager Internationalisation, Baden-Württemberg International</p> <p>Panellists: Leulekal Dagne, Voith Hydro East Africa; Gert Kluge, NIRAS, Ethiopia Office</p> <p>Moderator: Estifanos Samuel, East Africa Economic Representative for Baden-Württemberg</p>
5.30 pm	<p>Special Cocktail Reception by Baden-Württemberg State (by Invitation only)</p>

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- 10.00 am **Bavaria's Engagement with Africa**
- 10.45 am **Panellists:** Prof. Esayas Kebede, Jimma University;
Yilma Taye, Country Rep Ethiopia;
Chris Wegner, GM of Krones Ethiopia
- Moderator:** Tsion Kifle, Country Dir. Bavaria Africa

- 11.00 am **Smart Power Generation Solutions for Energy and Mobility**
- 11.45 am **Presenter:** Tobias Hoffmann, Rolls Royce Power Solutions

- 12.00 noon **Powerful Impact towards Clean Cities**
- 12.45 pm **Presenter:** Richard Mumo Thyaka, MD Kärcher International

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