Sunday, June 24, 2018

06:00 PM - 08:30 PM: Welcome Reception | Bobby Van’s Grill & Steakhouse

Address: 1201 New York Ave NW, Washington, DC 20005
Parking: Self-parking in the garage between 12th and 13th on I Street.

6:30 PM: Welcome Remark
6:45 PM: Welcome Keynote

USEFUL INFORMATION
Registration/Information Counter: The registration desk opens on Monday June 25 at 7:00 AM.
Security: Security measures will be in place and are required to access the venue.
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Working Language: The working language of the Summit will be English, and French.
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FEATURED ATIGS 2018 PLENARY KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Dr. Coutinho Nobre Miguel
Chairman of the Board of Directors
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Dr. Miguel has served as
Chairman of the Disciplinary Board of ABANC – Angolan Bank Association
Vice President of the Angolan bank Association
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“Driving Trade, Unleashing Investment and Enhancing Economic Development: the Gateway to African Markets”
Monday, June 25, 2018

6:00 AM: Security Check
7:00 AM - 8:00 AM: Registration – Atrium Ballroom Foyer
7:00 AM - 8:00 AM: Continental Breakfast & Networking – Amphitheater Foyer

**Track A: Opening Ceremony & Introduction Remarks - Amphitheater**
7:40 AM: ATIGS 2018 Symbolic Ribbon Cutting Ceremony (Red-Carpet Treatment) - Amphitheater Foyer
8:00 AM: Housekeeping Note by Conference Host
8:05 AM: Organizer’s Opening Remark
8:10 AM: Venue Host Welcome Message
8:15 AM: Host Country Official Welcome Address – U.S. Government
8:20 AM: Welcome Message from the Chairman of ATIGS Organizing Committee

**Opening Keynote Session - Amphitheater**

**Opening Global FDI Talk - Amphitheater**
8:40 AM: Global FDI Trends: the big picture and impact on specific countries and world regions: FDI Talk

**Deep Dive - Amphitheater**
9:00 AM: Investment and Business in Africa: Opening Plenary Panel Session

**Track B: Africa Deep Dive - World’s Next Major Economic Success Story - Amphitheater**
10:05 AM: High-Level CEO Panel: Doing Business in Africa - Plenary Panel Session

10:55 AM: Deal Time: Coffee and Networking Break – Amphitheater Foyer
Exhibition Viewing: Atrium + Atrium Ballroom - Exhibition Halls

**Deep Dive - Amphitheater**
11:15 AM: Fast-Track Africa’s Industrialization – Special Address
11:30 AM: High-Level Ministerial Panel: Trade and Investment in Africa - Plenary Panel Session

12:20 PM: Networking Lunch: Amphitheater Foyer
Exhibition Viewing: Atrium + Atrium Ballroom - Exhibition Halls

**Track C: Luncheon Program: Conversations & Presentations**
12:00 PM – 12:30 PM: International Trade Financing and How to be a Successful Global Company – Presentation
Room: Continental B

12:00 PM – 12:30 PM: Collaboration in the Replication of Global Health Care Models – Presentation
Room: Continental C

12:00 PM – 12:30 PM: Exporting K-12 Technology Literacy and Robotics in Africa Schools – Presentation
Room: Continental A

01:00 PM – 1:30 PM: Leading Africa to Prosperity – Presentation | Room: Continental C
12:30 PM – 1:10 PM: Keys to Unlocking Capital for Projects – Panel Session | Room: Amphitheater
12:30 PM – 1:10 PM: Africa is Open for Business: Opportunities and Partnerships – Panel Session | Polaris BC
12:30 PM – 1:10 PM: FDI in Africa and Fostering Long-Term Investment and Economic Growth – Panel Session
Room: Hemisphere A
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM: Leveraging Emerging Market-Sourced Investment - Featured Presentation | Continental B
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM: FDI in North African Nations – Presentation | Room: Continental C
12:30 PM – 1:10 PM: The Cashew Apple Project "Uncovering Africa's Hidden Jewels" | Presentation | Room: Rotunda
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM: Changing the Landscape of Wireless Connectivity | Presentation | Room: Meridian C
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM: Increasing the Use of International Mediation in International Arbitration – Presentation | Room: Continental A
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM: Sustainable Change: Investing in Africa's Most Undervalued Assets | Presentation | Polaris A

Track D: Grow with Africa
1:05 PM: Mega Projects Financing in Africa - Featured Panel Session - Amphitheater
1:05 PM: Regional Integration in Africa – Featured Panel Session – Rotunda
1:50 PM: Overview of United Nations Sustainable Development Goals Agenda 2030 (SDG 17 & 8) – Keynote | Room: Amphitheater
1:50 PM: A Dialogue with Ambassadors: Grow with Africa - Featured Conversation | Polaris BC

2:30 PM: Deal Time: Coffee and Networking Break - Amphitheater Foyer
Exhibition Viewing: Atrium + Atrium Ballroom - Exhibition Halls

Parallel Special Sessions - Room: Rotunda

11:00 AM: Economic Development in Africa – Special Address | Room: Rotunda
Track E: The Forum for Africa’s Economic Development

11:30 AM: Digitize Africa – Special Address | Room: Rotunda
Track F: Technology, Innovation & Transformation

12:10 PM: Sustainable Development and Growth of African Economies – Special Keynote | Room: Rotunda

2:00 PM: Investment in the Educational Sector – Special Address | Room: Rotunda
Track H: Sustainable Agriculture Forum: Africa

2:30 PM: Energy for All - Special Address | Room: Rotunda

3:00 PM: Overview of Power Africa – Keynote | Room: Rotunda
Track G: Electrify Africa Forum

3:30 PM: Investing Frontiers in Africa's emerging Exponential Agriculture: Special Address | Room: Rotunda
Track H: Sustainable Agriculture Forum: Africa

4:00 PM: Bridging Africa's Infrastructure Gap: Special Address | Room: Rotunda
4:30 PM: Transportation and Economic Development: Special Address | Room: Rotunda

Track E: The Forum for Africa’s Economic Development
1:30 PM: Public–Private Partnership for Infrastructure Development – Panel Session | Hemisphere A
1:30 PM: AU Agenda 2063: The Africa Future We Want – Panel Session | Hemisphere B
2:30 PM: Africa Trade Experts – Panel Session | Polaris BC
2:30 PM: Africa and the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development – Panel Session | Amphitheater
2:30 PM: Solving Societal Challenges while Generating Revenue – Panel Session | Hemisphere A
2:30 PM: Tools for Combating Fraud and Corruption in Business – Panel Session | Hemisphere B
2:30 PM: Encouraging Trade and Economic Transformation in Africa – Presentation | Continental B
2:30 PM: Project Management for Sustainable Development in Africa – Presentation | Continental C
2:30 PM: How to Eradicate Poverty and Corruption in Africa – Presentation | Meridian C

Track F: Technology, Innovation & Transformation
3:10 PM: Innovation in Africa – Panel Session | Polaris BC
3:10 PM: Fintech and Insurtech Ecosystem in Africa – Panel Session | Amphitheater
3:10 PM: Technology Transformation in Africa – Panel Session | Hemisphere A
3:10 PM: The Innovators & Game Changers – Panel Session | Hemisphere B
3:00 PM: Made in Africa: Innovation – Presentation | Continental B
3:00 PM: A Fintech A.I. Blockchain Revolution – Presentation | Continental A
3:00 PM: Emerging African Tech – Presentation | Meridian C
3:30 PM: Shaping up an African Tech Industry – Presentation | Continental B
Track G: Electrify Africa Forum
2:00 PM: The Wind Energy Outlook in Africa – Presentation | Polaris A
4:00 PM: Renewables and Their Vital Role in Powering Africa – Panel Session | Amphitheater
4:00 PM: Renewable Energy Technology Enablers – Panel Session | Polaris BC
4:00 PM: Future Trends and Outlook for Solar PV in Africa – Panel Session | Hemisphere A
4:00 PM: Green Economy – Presentation | Meridian C

Track H: Sustainable Agriculture Forum: Africa
4:00 PM: Agribusiness in Africa – Panel Session | Hemisphere B
3:30 PM: Seawater Farms – Presentation | Meridian C
4:00 PM: Youth of Africa with the Youth of America, in Global Trade – Presentation | Continental B
4:00 PM: Africa & Smart Agriculture in the 21st Century – Presentation | Continental C

Track I: Construction and Infrastructure Forum: Africa
4:40 PM: Construction and Infrastructure Projects in Africa – Panel Session | Amphitheater
4:00 PM: Leading the Development of Trimble Geospatial Solutions in the Emerging Markets – Presentation | Meridian C

Track J: Africa’s Smart Cities Forum
11:40 AM: Africa’s Liveable and Sustainable Cities – Panel Session | Polaris

Track K: Consumer Technology Forum: Africa
4:30 PM: VISA Africa Integration Index – Presentation | Continental B

Track L: Sustainable Educational Development Forum
4:40 PM: Educational Development in Africa – Panel Session | Hemisphere A

Networking
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM: Expo Reception | Atrium and Atrium Ballroom
4:00 PM -7:00 PM: Canada-Africa Business Discussion & Networking Event | Polaris BC
6:00 PM -9:00PM: Cocktail Drinks Reception | Atrium
Tuesday, June 26, 2018

6:00 AM: Security Check
7:00 AM - 8:00 AM: Registration – Atrium Ballroom Foyer
7:00 AM - 8:00 AM: Continental Breakfast & Networking – Amphitheater Foyer

**Track A: Opening Ceremony & Introduction Remarks - Amphitheater**
8:00 AM: Housekeeping Note by Conference Host
8:05 AM: Organizer’s Opening Remarks

**Opening Keynote Sessions - Amphitheater**
8:20 AM: Opening Ministerial Statement – Keynote
8:30 AM: Opening Governor Statement – Keynote
8:40 AM: Trade & Export Finance – Opening Plenary Panel Session
9:30 AM: Trade and Investment for Shared Prosperity – Keynote
9:50 AM: Our Continent, Our Legacy: Contributing Toward Africa’s Development Agenda – Keynote

10:10 AM: Deal Time: Coffee and Networking Break - Amphitheater Foyer
Exhibition Viewing: Atrium + Atrium Ballroom - Exhibition Halls
Book Signings | Atrium

**Track O: Doing Business in Africa**
10:30 AM: Expanding in African Markets - Panel Session | Amphitheater
11:20 AM: Doing Business in Africa and Closing Your First African Deal - Panel Session | Hemisphere B

**Track P: The Money: Investing in Africa**
10:30 AM: Impact Investment in Africa - Panel Session | Hemisphere B
11:20 AM: Investing in Africa - Panel Session| Amphitheater

**East Africa Digital Health Roadmap Initiative | Time: 10: 00 AM – 5:00 PM | Polaris**
10:00 AM – 10:15 AM: Welcome Coffee and Networking
10:15 AM – 11:15 AM: Opening Session
  - Opening Remarks:
  - Digital Reach Initiative Presentation:
  - Private Sector Engagement Overview
11:15 AM – 12:00 PM: Panel and Discussion on Private Sector Models
12:00 PM – 12:30 PM: Working Session
12:30 PM – 02:00 PM: Lunch and Networking
02:00 PM – 05:00 PM: Bi-lateral Meetings

**Africa Tech Summit Washington Forum | Time: 10: 00 AM – 12:00 PM | Hemisphere A**
10.00 AM: Opening Remarks
10.05 AM: Africa is at the forefront of the 4th Industrial Revolution
10.20 AM: Corporates & Startups: Partnerships of Possibility
10.35 AM: Blockchain Technology Empowering African Trade & Economic Development
10.50 AM: Yegomoto – Moving people, enabling business
11.05 AM: Remittance as Impact Leveraging the diaspora to fund Africa's digital transformation
11.20 AM: Panel Discussion: The African Tech Opportunity
11.55 AM: Closing Remarks

12:20 PM: Networking Lunch – Amphitheater Foyer
Exhibition Viewing: Atrium + Atrium Ballroom -- Exhibition Halls
Luncheon Program: Conversations & Presentations | Tme: 12:30 PM – 1:00 PM
12:00 PM: Overview of the World Trade Organization’s Trade Facilitation Agreement (TFA) – Presentation | Room: Continental B
12:00 PM: Role of NGOs in Sustainable Economic Development in Africa – Presentation | Room: Continental C
12:00 PM: Tourism as a source of Economic Development -- Focus on China – Presentation | Room: Continental A
12:00 PM: Getting Your Business Ready for AGOA – Presentation | Room: Meridian C
12:00 PM: Exim Bank Trade and Export Credit Financing – Presentation | Room: Hemisphere A
12:30 PM: Resources and Data for Businesses and Development Projects | Room: Continental B
12:30 PM: Leveraging Your Personality When Negotiating Win/Win Business Agreements – Presentation | Room: Hemisphere A
12:30 PM: Private Equity Investment in Africa – Panel Session | Room: Amphitheater
12:30 PM: Financial Intelligence: Building Enterprises from Africa – Presentation | Room: Continental A
12:30 PM: Promoting Access to Finance in Conflict-Affected Markets: Shuraako’s Success in Somalia – Presentation | Room: Meridian C

US-Africa Business Forum
1:10 PM: AGOA: The U.S.-Africa Trade Program: Taking Full Advantage – Panel Session | Hemisphere A
1:10 PM: Africa and the United States: A defining relationship of the 21st century – Panel Session | Hemisphere B

UAE-Africa Business Forum
1:10 PM: Middle East – Africa Partnership – Panel Session | Amphitheater

Africa-China Economic Forum
2:10 PM: China - Africa Partnership – Panel Session | Continental C

EU-Africa International Business Congress
2:00 PM: EU-Africa Partnership – Panel Session | Hemisphere B

Special Sessions
09:30 AM: Asia-Africa Business – Special Address | Room: Polaris BC
12:30 PM: Latin America and Africa Business – Special Address | Room: Hemisphere B
11:00 AM: Peace & Development in Africa – Special Address | Room: Continental B
04:00 PM: Women’s Economic Empowerment – Special Address | Room: Amphitheater
04:30 PM: Rise of Automation, Robotics and Artificial Intelligence in Emerging Markets – Special Address | Room: Amphitheater
01:00 PM: Economic Impact Message – Special Address | Room: Amphitheater
09:00 AM: Opportunities in Africa: How to Penetrate New & Emerging Markets in Africa | Hemisphere B
09:30 AM: Use of Technology to Increase Financial Inclusion | Room: Hemisphere B
10:00 AM: Engaging the African Diaspora in Economic Development in Africa – Presentation | Hemisphere B

Women at The Top
12:30 PM: The Future is Female: Investing in Women, the Gateway to Disrupting Africa” s Economic Development” – Special Address | Room: Continental C
03:10 PM: Women at the Top - Reinvent Business Leadership in Africa with Women | Panel Session | Hemisphere A
02:10 PM: Women at the Top - Opportunities & Challenges in African Trade & Investment: Lessons Learned from Leading Women – Panel Session | Room: Hemisphere A
2:10 PM: Advancing Women Leadership in Key Sectors in Africa – Panel Session | Room: Amphitheater

Track V: Rebranding Africa Forum
4:00 PM: Rebranding Africa – Panel Session | Hemisphere A

Track W: Africa and The Diaspora
4:00 PM: Bridging the Diaspora and Africa – Panel Session | Hemisphere A

Africa’s Next Generation & Startup Africa Forum
3:10 PM: Africa Startup Ecosystem – Panel Session | Continental C
2:10 PM: The Next Generation: Tomorrow’s Champions – Panel Session | Continental C
3:00 PM: **Deal Time: Coffee and Networking Break** - Amphitheater Foyer

**Exhibition Viewing:** Atrium + Atrium Ballroom - Exhibition Halls

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**Track X: Parallel Country and/or State Briefings**

10:00 AM: **Investment Opportunities in Gombe State, Nigeria** | Room: Continental A
10:00 AM: **Investing in Ethiopia - why now?** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental B
10:00 AM: **How to win African Business Opportunities (Pan African)** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental C
10:30 AM: **Investment Opportunities in Rivers State, Nigeria** | Room: Continental A
10:30 AM: **The Katsina Green Industrial Park: Potentials & Economic Benefit to Global Investors** – **Presentation**
Room: Continental C
10:30 AM: **Investing in Africa (Top 10 Investment Options in Nigeria)** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental B
11:00 AM: **Investing in Ghana** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental A
11:00 AM: **Investment Opportunities in Zimbabwe** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental C
11:30 AM: **Investment Projects in Zimbabwe** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental A
11:30 AM: **Invest in Ogun State (Nigeria): The Gateway City** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental B
11:30 AM: **Grow your Export in Canada** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental C
01:00 PM: **Opportunities in Congo DRC** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental A
01:00 PM: **Doing Business in Botswana** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental B
01:30 PM: **Investment Opportunities in Nigeria – The Path Less Trodden** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental C
02:00 PM: **Business Opportunities in Sao Tome / Doing Business in Lusophone Africa** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental A
02:30 PM: **Investing in Angola** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental A
03:00 PM: **The Secure Triangle, USA-AFRICA-HUNGARY** – **Presentation** | Room: Continental A
03:30 PM: **Ease of Doing Business in Nigeria- the Nigerian Exeprience: Legal Landscape** – **Presentation**
Room: Continental A

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**Track Y: Sector Focus**

3:00 PM: **Shaping the Future of Healthcare in Africa** – **Panel Session** | Room: - Hemisphere B
3:00 PM: **Africa Agricultural Sector Transformation, Changing the Dialogue** – **Panel Session** | Amphitheater
3:00 PM: **Natural Resources Opportunities in Africa** – **Panel Session** | Room: Continental B
3:00 PM: **African Fashion & Beauty Business** – **Panel Session** | Room: Continental B
1:00 PM: **Media & Telecommunication** – **Panel Session** | Room: Continental C
1:30 PM: **Sports, Music and Tourism in Africa** – **Panel Session** | Room: Continental C
4:00 PM: **Food Security in Africa** – **Panel Session** | Room: Continental B
1:00 PM: **Tourism Trade Education - Presentation** | Room: Meridian C
1:30 PM: **The Business of Sports In Africa; Potentials and Opportunities** – **Presentation** | Room: Meridian C
3:30 PM: **Agriculture and International Business: Benefit Corporation for Africa Initiative (BCAI)** – **Presentation** | Room: Meridian C
2:00 PM: **Logistics and Transport** – **Presentation** | Room: Meridian C
2:30 PM: **Scalable Power Network Architecture for Rural African Energy Access (Scalable Pico/Nano/Micro grid architectures and appliances)** – **Presentation** | Room: Meridian C
3:00 PM: **African Oil & Gas Refinery Business Made Easy: Ultimate Guide to Investing in Oil & Gas Refining** – **Presentation** | Room: Meridian C

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**Track Z: Fueling the Future**

4:50 PM: **Summit Announcement Plenary** | Amphitheater

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**Summing up the Africa Trade and Investment Global Summit 2018**

**Going Forward, Faster: Building Africa Together**

5:20 PM: **Launch of ATIGS 2020 Roadmap** | ATIGS 2020 in Dubai, UAE during the World Expo | Amphitheater

5:30 PM: **Closing Press Conference** - Media Room – Meridian B

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**Networking**

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM: **Expo Reception** | Atrium and Atrium Ballroom
5:30 PM - 7:00 PM: **ATIGS Expression of Cultural Arts** | **Fashion Show, Music, & Dance** | Amphitheater
7:00 PM - 9:30 PM: **ATIGS Awards Ceremony** | Pavilion
7:00 PM - 11:00 PM: **Closing Party** | Atrium