



## Draft-program Africa Day Business & Investment Forum 2019

**Time:** Wednesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> of May 2019 | from 12:30 pm to 07:00 pm  
**Venue:** Bürgersaal Wandsbek (Am Alten Posthaus 4, 22041 Hamburg)  
**Main topic:** Agriculture and rural Development  
**All day:** small Business-Fair, B2B-Session, Workshops

**12.30-13.00** Admission  
**13.00-13.05** Sylvaina Gerlich (President IMIC e. V., Integration Council of the Hamburg Senate)  
Frank Heinrich (Director of Stensington Academy/ Publisher of El Aviso)  
**13.05-13.45** Hon. Prof. Aaron Michael Oquaye, Speaker of the Parliament of Republik of Ghana  
H.E. Dr. Isatou Touray, Vice President Republik Gambia  
H.E. Yaw Osafo Maafo, Senior Minister Republik Ghana  
H.E. Vincent Bamulangaki Ssempijja, Minister of Agriculture, Animal Industry and Fisheries Republik Uganda

### Panel I – Cooperative business models for market integration

Panel hosted by: **CO.NET Verbrauchergenossenschaft eG (consumer cooperative)**

**13.45-13.50** **Short welcoming speech by CO.NET Consumer Cooperative**  
Johann Zwart – COO  
**13.50-14.05** **Key-note by CO.NET Consumer Cooperative**  
Michael Maßmann – Cash and Payment Manager  
**14.05-14.50** **Panel-discussion:**  
- Dr. Andreas Wieg – German Cooperative and Raiffeisen Confederation  
- Simplicie Ndago – Head VKII-Energygroup, Cameroon Association of Engineers and Computer Scientists)  
- Divine Winter – CEO, WinSolarTech Sarl.  
- Michael Maßmann – Cash and Payment Manager, CO.NET Consumer Cooperative  
- Hon. Dr. Abdul-Rashid Hassan Pelpuo – Member of Parliament, Ghana, Business Committee, Employment, Social Welfare and State Enterprises Committee  
- Yannick Guetse (Co-Founder, Winback Investment Fonds)  
**14.50-15.05** **Coffee break**

### Panel II – Investment Promotion and Economic Cooperation in Africa

Panel hosted by: **Friedrich-Naumann-Foundation for Freedom (FNF)**

**15.05-15.10** **Short welcoming speech by Friedrich-Naumann-Foundation for Freedom (FNF)**  
Michael Anders – Head Regional Office Hamburg  
**15.10-15.20** **Key-note by German Society for International Cooperation (GIZ)**  
Andreas Kaiser – Private Sector Cooperation, Economic and Social Development  
**15.20-16.05** **Panel-Discussion:**  
- Yaw Osafo-Marfo – Senior Minister, Ghana  
- Dr. Edith Dankwa – CEO, Business & Financial Times (B&FT), Ghana  
- Prof. Dr. Seth N. Asumah – SUNY Distinguished Teaching Professor, Chair Africana Studies Department, State University of New York at Cortland  
- Andreas Kaiser – German Society for International Cooperation (GIZ), Private Sector Cooperation, Economic and Social Development  
- Joe Tackie – Chief Director Ministry of Business Development, Ghana  
- Erick Yong (Founder and CEO GreenTech Capital Partners)  
**16.05-16.35** **Coffee break**



**Panel III – Skills Development in Agriculture**

**Panel hosted by: GFA Consulting Group GmbH**

- 16.35-16.40 Short welcoming speech by GFA Consulting Group GmbH**  
Anja Desai – Department Director, Education Skills & Employment
- 16.40-16.50 Key-note by GFA Consulting Group GmbH**  
Greg Umaya – Regional Coordinator East Africa for the Agricultural Technical Vocational Education and Training (ATVET) in the Comprehensive Africa Agriculture Development Programme (CAADP) of the African Union Development Agency
- 16.50-17.35 Panel-discussion:**
- Hon. Vincent Bamulangaki Sempijja – Minister for Agriculture, Animal Industry and Fisheries, Uganda
  - Nana Prof. Dr. Richard Boakye Owoare a.k.a, Akyem Kotoku Mponuahene & Pankesehene
  - Ousmane Djibo – GIZ, Project Manager Agriculture Policy and Food Security
  - Prof. Christa Randzio-Plath – Chairperson Marie-Schlei Association – Assistance for Woman in Africa, Asia and Latin America, former Member of European Parliament
  - Claus Stopka – German Savings Banks Foundation for International Cooperation
  - Greg Umaya – GFA, Regional Coordinator East Africa for ATVET CAADP
- 17.35-17.50 Coffee break**

**Panel IV – Health-sector improvements in rural Africa**

**Panel hosted by: Cameroon Association of engineers and Computer Scientists**

- 17.50-17.55 Welcoming speech by Cameroon Association of engineers and Computer Scientists**  
**Steve Kommogne, President**
- 17.55-18.05 Key-note by KTC Center (Telemedicine for landlocked countries)**  
Steve Yannick Biapan, CEO
- 18.05-18.50 Panel-discussion:**
- Hon. Dr. Isatou Touray, Vice-President of the Gambia and former Minister of Health and Social Welfare Affairs, Gambia
  - Hon. Prof. Aaron Michael Oquaye, Speaker of the Parliament of Republik of Ghana
  - Anja Hajduk - Member of German Bundestag (MdB), Committee on budgets
  - Patricia Monthe – CEO, MEDx eHealthCenter B.V.
  - Steve Yannick Biapan – CEO, KTC Center (Telemedicine for landlocked countries)
  - Hon Paul Essien, Deputy Minister, Chieftancy and religious Affairs
- 18.50-19.15 Product and Company presentations**
- 19.15-19.20 Closing Ceremony, Frank Heinrich – Advisor IMIC e. V.**
- 20.00-23.00 Gala Dinner (including Music, Business Plan Award & Awards of Excellence)**