

2nd ASAF Annual General Forum

Public Conference

ASAFs role as a broker towards the Africa we want

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Venue: Hotel RAMADA Resort by Wyndham Dar

Address: Plot 170-171, Jangwani Beach Dar es Salaam, Tanzania & hybrid

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14:00 – 14:10	Introduction into the public conference by Ann <i>(Hybrid)</i> <i>(who are the external guests, their position in the society, the potential benefit for ASAF...)</i>
14:10 - 14:20	Why do we hold a public conference? Agenda
14:20 – 15:30	Bloc 1: Moderated Panel discussion followed by Q&A <i>(Hybrid)</i> <i>(5-7 min keynote per speaker then moderated discussion)</i>

	<p>I. Jutta Urpilainen - EU Commissioner, International Partnerships (INTPA) (video recording). <i>Introduction by: Eleonora Martinello, DG INTPA</i></p> <p>II. Fiorella Perotto (EU), Senior Expert - DG Education, Youth, Sport and Culture - International Cooperation Unit: <i>“The EU-AU partnership and ASAF’s role in this context”</i> (online)</p> <p>III. Chigozie Emmanuel Okonkwo, African Union; Higher Education & AU-EU Education Initiatives Focal Person: <i>“The role of students/youth as critical actors in the drive towards ownership of the Agenda 2063: A Reflective Perspective”</i> (online)</p> <p>IV. Peter Kwasi Kodjie, Secretary General, All-Africa Students Union (AASU): <i>“ASAF as a rallying point for youth action in Africa”</i> (onsite)</p> <p>V. Pascal Doh, President General, Diaspora Academic Network For Africa (Diana Ry) (ENG): <i>“The Diaspora’s role in achieving the Africa We Want”</i> (onsite)</p> <p>VI. Felix Kwabena Donkor - President-ASAF, <i>“Harnessing the demographic dividend for Africa’s sustainable development”</i> (onsite)</p>
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee Break + Networking and interaction of members
16:00 – 16:15	Bloc 2: Introduction into the Breakout sessions onsite and online (what, how, where...) (moderation team)
16:15 – 16:30	<p>Moving and installation into the breakout rooms onsite (Jackson & Amadou)</p> <p>Organization of the breakout rooms online (Felix & Yamungu)</p>
	<p>Breakout sessions notes:</p> <p><i>Each contributor will have 7 min for an inspiring talk + 10 min of moderated discussion followed (after the different discussions) by 10 min to prepare/discuss the report from the rapporteur and prepare a short presentation of 2 min highlighting the main conclusions for the general audience.</i></p> <p><i>PS: Baha will provide the templates for the report and for the short 2 min presentations.</i></p>
16:30 - 17:30	Breakout sessions discussions:

1) Role of ASAF as a vehicle for academic mobility and regional integration

- a. Language: Swahili
- b. Contributors
 - i. **Ms. Apiyo Okwiri**, Project manager @ Obreal Global, ASAF member
 - ii. **Karen Nasso**, Young African Leaders Initiative (YALI) Tanzania
 - iii. **Ms. Geline Alfred Fuko** Director @ Tangible Initiatives for Local Development, ASAF member
- c. Moderator: **Ms. Lina Mkoji**, Sustainable Tourism professional, ASAF Interim Board.
- d. Rapporteur: **Ms. Elizabeth Achola Mang'eni**, Senior Officer with the Ministry of Industrialization, Trade and Enterprise Development in Kenya, ASAF member.

2) Comment l'ASAF peut-elle faciliter l'acquisition de compétences et le développement de la carrière des membres/jeunes professionnels pour prospérer dans le monde post-pandémique?

- a. Langue: Français
- b. Contributeurs:
 - i. **Raharimalala Vero Veronirina Sylvie**, Communication Manager de la Plateforme des Fédérations des Personnes Handicapées de Madagascar, membre de l'ASAF
 - ii. **Amany EL Hadidiy** (ASAF member-Egypt)
 - iii. **Jackson Lontchi** (ASAF board member)
- c. Moderatrice: **Mme. Soumaya Nabih**, PhD student at Sidi Mohamed Ben Abdelah University, Fez, Morocco, ASAF Co-ambassadrice @ Le maroc
- d. Rapportrice: **Mme Irinomenjanahary Randrianjafy**, enseignante-chercheure à l'Université de Mahajanga (Madagascar), ASAF member.

3) Role of ASAF within the EU-AU partnership

- a. Language: English

- b. Contributors:
 - i. **Mr. Cosmas Kombat**, ASAF Interim Board
 - ii. **His Excellency Manfredo Manti** (EU ambassador)
- c. Moderator: **N.N. Pascal Doh** President General, Diaspora Academic Network For Africa (Diana Ry)
- d. Rapporteur: **Ms. Kangwa Chilekwa**, Health and social - Data Entry Clerk, Ministry of Health (Zambia), asaf member.

4) Role of ASAF in achieving the Agenda 2063

- a. Language: English
- b. Contributors:
 - i. **Ms Asmaa Abdelaziz Mohamed**, Admin Staff at International Relations Office at Cairo university (Egypt), ASAF Co-Ambassador @ Egypt
 - ii. **Maria Pentzel**, Marine Parks and Reserves Unit (MPRU), Tanzania
- c. Moderator: **Ms Sophia Otoo**, Early Careers Programme, World Economic Forum, Switzerland, ASAF member.
- d. Rapporteur: **Ms. Patience Mansa Gakpetor**, Research Scientist, CSIR- Forestry Research Institute of Ghana, ASAF Research and Survey task force member.

5) Role of ASAF in promoting inclusive and quality education

- a. Language: English
- b. Contributors:
 - i. **Ms. Imane Benrabiaa**, ASAF member
 - ii. **Mr. Aidarus Yusuf ABDULLAHI**, ASAF member
 - iii. **Abdalla Abeid**, Executive Director, Zanzibar Fighting Against Youth Challenges Organization (ZAFAYCO)
 - iv. **Sana Ben Ismail**
- c. Moderator: **Mme Dorcas Kalele**, Consultant Agronomist, GreenHands Africa Ltd (Kenya), ASAF member

	<p>d. Rapporteur: Ms. Eva Nambeye. Lecturer @ University of Zambia, ASAF member.</p> <p>6) Rôle de l'ASAF en tant que plate-forme pour améliorer l'éducation des femmes.</p> <p>a. Langue: français</p> <p>b. Contributeurs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Mme Sylvie DJACBOU DEUGOUE, Executive President of YouAct and a Forest Governance Expert, ASAF member ii. Malouono Orphon, ASAF Member iii. Mohammed Nassim Abdallah, ASAF member <p>c. Moderatrice: Mme Awa Ly, Prestataire archiviste in Dakar, ASAF member</p> <p>d. Rapporteur: Mr. Tamawoe Zimare ISSIFOU, Agronome (Togo) ASAF Co-Ambassadeur @ Togo</p> <p>7) Être membre d'ASAF en 2022: motivations, opportunités et challenges (Online only)</p> <p>a. Langue: français (with interpretation to English)</p> <p>b. Contributrice: Ms Helene Banegas, Project Adviser – Erasmus+ International Alumni, European Education and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA)</p>
17:30 – 17:45	Break to re-gather
17:45 – 18:30	<p>Wrap-Up</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Brief reports form the break out sessions by the rapporteurs ○ Closing words by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Fiorella Perotto, EU Senior Expert

- **Malouono Orphon**, ASAF member