Draft Programme of Work
PRE-ADF EVENTS

Sunday, 21 October 2012

Registration for ADF and pre-ADF activities
(Registration for ADF open all day)
Venue. Delegates Registration Building

Media Training on ‘Governing and Harnessing Natural Resources for Africa’s Development ’

Towards Equity in Natural Resources Development
(UN/AU Social and Human Development Cluster)

Monday, 22 October 2012

8.00 a.m. Registration for ADF and pre-ADF activities
(Registration for ADF open all day)
Venue. Delegates Registration Building

9.00 a.m. Opening of ADF-VIII exhibition
Venue. UNCC exhibition area

9.30 a.m.-4.30 p.m. Meetings/workshops

1. Urban Mining, Opportunities and Challenges for Africa
   (World Resources Forum)

2. Leveraging State-Society Dialogue for Improving Natural Resource Governance in Africa (Coalition for Dialogue on Africa (CoDA) and UNECA)

3. World Economic Forum Responsible Mining Development Initiative Meeting (World Economic Forum)

4. Geological Mapping and Mineral Inventory in Africa
   (World Bank, Geological Society of Africa and SEAMIC )


5.00-6.00 p.m. Opening Ceremony
African Development Forum VIII
Venue: Conference Room 1
ADF EVENTS

DAY 1 Tuesday, 23 October 2012

10.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.  Plenary session 1
Roundtable on Governing and Harnessing Natural Resources for Africa’s Development
Venue: Conference Room 1

1.00-2.30 p.m.  LUNCH BREAK

2.30-4.00 p.m.  Plenary session 2
Roundtable on Mineral Resources for Africa’s Development: Anchoring a New Vision
Venue: Conference Room 1

4.00-4.30 p.m.  COFFEE BREAK

4.30-6.00 p.m.  Plenary session 3
Roundtable on Governing the Risks and Opportunities of Large-scale Land Investments for Africa’s Development
Venue: Conference Room 1

6.00-8.00 p.m.  RECEPTION

DAY 2 Wednesday, 24 October 2012

9.30-11.00 a.m.  Plenary session 4
Roundtable on Harnessing Fishery Resources: Swimming the Tide to Africa’s Development
Venue: Conference Room 1

11.00-11.30 a.m.  COFFEE BREAK

11.30 a.m.-1.00 p.m.  Plenary Session 5
Roundtable on Seizing Green Growth Opportunities in the Forest Sector for Africa’s Sustainable Development
Venue: Conference Room 1

1.00-2.30 p.m.  LUNCH

2.30-4.00 p.m.  Parallel thematic breakout sessions
• Minerals for development. issues, challenges and opportunities
• Role of land resources in development
• Role of fishery resources in development
• Role of forest resources in development
4.00-4.30 p.m.  COFFEE BREAK

4.30-6.00 p.m.  Parallel Thematic Breakout Sessions (continued).
  • Minerals for development. issues, challenges and opportunities
  • Role of land resources in development
  • Role of fishery resources in development
  • Role of forest resources in development

DAY 3 Thursday, 25 October 2012

9.30-11 a.m.  Plenary Session 6
  Reporting on discussions, policy suggestions and actions from the breakout sessions
  Venue. Conference Room 1

11.00 -11.30 a.m.  COFFEE BREAK

11.30-1 p.m.  Plenary Session 6 (continued)
  Reporting on discussions, policy suggestions and actions from the breakout sessions
  Venue. Conference Room 1

1.00-2.30 p.m.  LUNCH

2.30-3.15 p.m.  Plenary Session 7
  Open-ended discussion on the draft consensus statement
  Venue. Conference Room 1

3.15-4.15 p.m.  Plenary Session 8
  High-level reflections on key messages
  Venue. Conference Room 1

4.15-4.30 p.m.  COFFEE BREAK

4.30-5.00 p.m.  Closing Ceremony
  Venue. Conference Room 1

5.00-5.30 p.m.  Press Conference
  Venue. Conference Room 1

6.00-10 p.m.  AWARENESS CONCERT