

**EAST AFRICA CAPITAL MARKET DAY INAUGURAL CONFERENCE PROGRAMME
KIGALI – RWANDA**

23RD - 24TH MAY, 2019

THEME OF THE CONFERENCE:

Showcasing East Africa's Economic Vibrancy and the capital market's place within the region.

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DAY 1	May 23rd 2019: Arrival of Guests and Speakers
All Day	Registration & Tour of Kigali/ Networking/B2B/ CARAVAN
Dress Code	Free Style

Day 2 Moderator:

DAY 2	MAY 24th 2019: OFFICAL OPENING AND PLENARY SESSIONS
08:00 – 09:00 Hrs	Delegates Registration and Light Breakfast
09:00 – 09:05 Hrs	Welcome Remarks:
09:00 – 09:30 Hrs	Lightning Talk:
09:30 – 09:45 Hrs	Key Note Speech: Guest of Honour
09:45 – 10:00 Hrs	Photo Session: <i>Guest of Honor and Special Guests</i>
10:00 – 11:00 Hrs	Plenary Session One: Moving the East African capital markets from the board rooms, trading floors and master plans to Main Street: Solutions/ Opportunities for entrepreneurs and investors for a complete financial market model that can work for East Africa by East Africa.
11:00 – 12:00 Hrs	Plenary Session Two: Unlocking and protecting real value for our domestic markets in the wake of International markets uncertainties and biases: Can domestic and regional institutional investors fill in the gap in the wave of international capital flight?
12:00 – 13:00 Hrs	Plenary Session Three: Government support through supportive regulatory environment- Discussion on what each country is doing with respective regulators and what should be done to make sure capital market becomes relevant.
13:00 – 14:00 Hrs	Lunch Break
14:00 – 15:00 Hrs	Break Away Session One: Open discussion on SMEs development and funding through Capital Markets

14:00 – 15:00 Hrs	Break Away Session Two: Confronting our Ghosts and turning them into opportunities: Small size, illiquidity, fragmentation and volatility – How to leverage on home grown solutions such as customized products and Technology as a weapon?
15:00 – 15:15 Hrs	Refreshment Break
15:15 – 15:45 Hrs	Sessions 4: Wrap up: Business not as usual: What are we really taking home for implementation?
15:45 – 15:45 Hrs	Closing Ceremony:
18:00 – 22:00 Hrs	Farewell Gala Dinner – <i>Diner en Blanc</i> (white party)
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