



UGANDA – NIGERIA

BUSINESS FORUM & EXHIBITION

9TH - 10TH SEPTEMBER 2026 KAMPALA, UGANDA

Enhancing Business Linkages and Market Access through the AfCFTA Framework

DAY 1 — Wednesday 9th September 2026

13:45 – 14:25	Delegate Registration
14:25	MC Welcome National Anthems
14:30 - 14:35	WELCOME REMARKS Amb. Richard T. Kabonero Head, Department of Regional Economic Cooperation, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Uganda
14:35 – 14:40	REMARKS Amb. Phillip Odida Charge d'affaires, Uganda High Commission Abuja
14: 40 – 14:45	REMARKS Amb. Misitura Abdulraheem Charge d'affaires, Nigeria High Commission, Kampala
14:55 - 15:05	REMARKS Chief Michael Awunor President, Nigeria-Uganda Chamber of Commerce, Industry, Mines and Agriculture (NUCCIMA)
15:05 - 15:15	REMARKS Mr. Girma Wake CEO, Uganda Airlines
15:15 - 15:30	REMARKS Dr. Ibrahim Abubakar Kana, mni, DRM Permanent Secretary, Office of the Secretary to Government of the Federation, Nigeria
15:30 - 15:45	REMARKS Mr. Bagiire Vincent Waiswa Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Uganda
15:45 – 16:00	OFFICIAL OPENING Hon. Gen. Wilson Mbasu Mbadi State Minister for Trade
16:00 – 16:10	Group Photo
16:10 – 16:40	TOUR OF EXHIBITION Hon. Gen. Wilson Mbasu Mbadi State Minister for Trade
16:00 – 17:00	B2B / B2G / G2G ENGAGEMENTS
17:00	Close of Day 1
19:00 – 22:00	Welcome Dinner Mestil Hotel Poolside (invite only)



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DAY 2 — Thursday 10th September 2026

08:00 – 08:30

Delegate Registration

KEYNOTE ADDRESSES

08:30 – 08:45

Mr. Kenneth Kisambira

Managing Director, United Bank for Africa (UBA), Uganda

08:45 – 09:00

Mr. Ajay Kumar Pal

CEO, Quality Chemical Industries Limited (Qcil)

09:00 – 09:15

Mr. Stephen Asiimwe

CEO, Private Sector Foundation Uganda (PSFU)

09:15 – 10:35

INVESTMENT & BUSINESS SHOWCASE

(1hr. 20 minutes, 6 minutes each)

UGANDA

- i. **Mr. Hez Kimoomi Alinda**
Executive Director, Uganda Free Zones and Export Promotion Authority (UFZEPA)
- ii. **Prof. Charles Kwesiga**
Executive Director, Uganda Industrial Research Institute (UIRI)
- iii. **Ms. Juliana Kagwa**
CEO, Uganda Tourism Board (UTB)
- iv. **Ms. Rita Mugula**
Deputy Director Investment Promotion, Uganda Investment Authority (UIA)
- v. **Mr. George Inholo**
Secretary General, Uganda National Chamber of Commerce and Industry (UNCCI)
- vi. **Maj. Gen. Innocent Oula**
National Enterprise Corporation (NEC)
- vii. **Ben Kagonyera**
Head, Commercial & Business Development
Uganda National Oil Company (UNOC)

NIGERIA

- i. **Muhammad Ibrahim Abdullahi**
First Secretary Economic Trade and Investment, Nigeria High Commission, Kampala
- ii. **Mr. Thompson Oludare Sunday**
National Deposit Insurance Corporation (NDIC)
- iii. **Chief Michael Awunor**
National Agency for Science and Engineering Infrastructure (NASENI)
- iv. **Amb. Dr. Maureen Tamuno**
CEO, Abuja Investments Company Limited (AICL)
- v. **Dr. Abba A. Waziri**
Group Chairman & CEO, The Resident Cement Group

10:35 – 11:15

Audience Interventions (40mins)

11:15 – 11:45

Health Break

11:45 – 13:45

BUSINESS PITCHES

(2 hours, 7 minutes each)

UGANDA

- i. **Mr. John Magnay**
JAHL Production (U) Limited (coffee products)
- ii. **Mr. Benjamin Kiiza**
CEO, Piston Medical Limited (pharmaceuticals)
- iii. **Mr. Paul Musasizi**
Kiira Motors Cooperation (vehicle manufacturing)
- iv. **Mr. Duncan Bwengye**
Octien Technologies (AI & Smart Tech)
- v. **Mr. Benedict Lule**
Solutions Executive Agro - Uganda & South Sudan, Maersk Uganda (logistics)
- vi. **Mr. Bwire Okumu Fred**
HR & Sustainability Manager, JBER Coffee Ltd. (coffee)
- vii. **Mr. Wilberforce Mubiru**
Deputy General Manager, Sugar Corporation of Uganda Limited (SCOUL) (sugar)
- viii. **Mr. Jitendra**
BENNI Food Limited (dairy)

NIGERIA

- i. **Alhaji Tai Hassan Ejibunu**
CEO, Hawaz International Dynamics Ltd (refined oils)
- ii. **Mr. Ezekiel Zemoh Jatau**
CEO, Palm Valley Nigeria Ltd. (palm oil)
- iii.
Commercial Dairy Ranchers Association Of Nigeria (dairy)
- iv.
Makliff Integrated Services Nigeria Limited (IT & cyber-security)
- v.
AfriLabs Nigeria Limited (research)
- vi.
Afifa Nigeria Limited (manufacturing)

13:45 – 14:00

CLOSING REMARKS

Hon. Kyeyune Haruna Kasolo

Minister of State for Foreign Affairs Regional Affairs (RA), Uganda

14:00 – 15:00

Lunch

15:00 – 17:00

B2B / B2G / G2G ENGAGEMENTS

18:00

Close of Business Forum & Exhibition



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DAY 3 — Nigerian Delegation Field Visits

Friday 11th September 2026

08:00 – 08:30	Departure from Mestil Hotel
09:00 – 12:00	Tour of Quality Chemical Industries Limited (Qcil) Factory Luzira, Kampala
12:30	Departure for Jinja
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch in Jinja Source of the Nile Hotel
15:00 – 16:00	Tour of the Source of the Nile
16:00	Departure for Kampala

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