



**2<sup>nd</sup> EAST AFRICAN  
MANUFACTURING BUSINESS SUMMIT  
23<sup>rd</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> May 2017 KIGALI, RWANDA**



PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

<b>Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May</b>	<b>Arrival of Delegates</b> <b>Set-up, occupation and branding of exhibition structures</b>
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<b>Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May</b>	<b>DAY ONE</b>
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08.00-10.00	<b>B2B breakfast meetings</b>  <i>Room 1: Regional Infrastructure, Transport and Logistics (transport, warehousing, etc.).</i> <i>Room 2: Investment, finance and insurance (banks, investment funds, insurances).</i> <i>Room 3: SME – corporate linkages (providers of intermediate products, outsourcing).</i> <i>Room 4: Technology &amp; Innovation (tech solution providers, consultants, researchers).</i> <i>Room 5; Diaspora Engagement (Diaspora association, investors)</i>
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<b>OPENING SESSION</b>
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10.00–12.30	<b>Welcoming Remarks:</b>  <b>Chair Person of Council of Ministers</b>  Welcoming Remarks: <b>Mr. Felicien Mutalikanwa</b> , RAM Chairman Welcoming Remarks: <b>Mr. Audace Ndayizeye</b> , EABC Chairman  <b>Official Address</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>H. E. Amb. Libérat Mfumukeko</b>, EAC Secretary General</li> <li>• <b>Key Note by manufacturer: Representative of the Manufacturers: “Bright Future of Manufacturing in the East Africa Region”</b></li> <li>• <b>Hon. Minister François Kanimba</b>, Minister of Trade, Industry and EAC Affairs, Republic of Rwanda</li> </ul> <p style="color: blue;"><b>Key Note Address by Guest of Honour: His Excellency Paul Kagame, President of Republic of Rwanda.</b></p>
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	<b>Short Interactive Session with the President</b>
12.30–14.00	<b>Group photo</b> <b>Official opening of exhibition</b> <b>Lunch break</b>
<p><b>Session: Private Sector Perspectives on Optimizing Manufacturing Business Environment to Support Private Investment in Strategic Industrial Projects in East Africa</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Private sector to present views on policy issues and enabling factors for successful private investment in manufacturing and EAC Strategic industrial projects.</li> <li>• Approaches such as PPP and other Special Purpose Vehicles (SPVs) to be discussed.</li> </ul>	
14.00–16.00	<p><b>“Opportunities for Manufacturing in the EAC Region, Public and Private Sector perspective”:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Hon Christophe Bazivamo, Deputy Secretary General Productive and Social Sectors, EAC Secretariat: Potential Regional Industrial Projects; Automotive Assembly; Cotton-Yarn-Textile-Apparels Manufacture; Leather &amp; Footwear Manufacture; Integrated Iron &amp; Steel Mill; Pharmaceutical production; and Agro Food Industries.</b></li> <li>• <b>Mr. Vimal Shah, CEO BIDCO: “Manufacturing Success Factors in the East Africa Region”</b></li> <li>• <b>Mr. Jonathan Hall: MD Bralirwa, “The fast expanding market for manufactured good beyond the EAC region”</b></li> </ul> <p>Moderator: <b>Ms. Betty Maina, PS MEAC, Kenya</b></p> <p><b>Feedback /Responses from Ministers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Hon. Euphrasie Bigirimana, Minister for Trade, Industry, Post and Tourism, Republic of Burundi</b></li> <li>• <b>Hon. Adan Mohamed, Cabinet Secretary for Industrialization and Enterprise Development, Rep. of Kenya</b></li> <li>• <b>Hon. François Kanimba, Minister for Trade and Industry, Republic of Rwanda</b></li> <li>• <b>Hon. Dr. Abdallah O. Kigoda, Minister for Industry, Trade and Marketing, United Rep. of Tanzania</b></li> <li>• <b>Hon. Amelia Kyambadde, Minister for Trade, Industry and Cooperatives, Republic of Uganda</b></li> </ul> <p><i>Output: Key Action Points on Manufacturing Business Environment and Strategic Regional Projects Adopted by Ministers</i></p> <p><b>Plenary Discussions</b></p>

16.00-16.30	Tea break at exhibition space
Industry roundtables; EAC Sectors Of Focus	
16.30-18.00	<p><b><u>Investment opportunities in manufacturing in the EAC Region</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Hon Francis Gatare</b>, CEO and Cabinet Member, Rwanda Development Board</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Clifford Tandari</b>, ED, Tanzania Investment Center (TIC)</li> <li>• <b>Dr. Moses Ikiara</b>, CEO, Kenya Investment Authority (KenInvest)</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Lawrence Byensi</b>, ED, Uganda Investment Authority (UIA)</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Antoine Kabura</b>, ED, Burundi Investment Promotion Authority (API)</li> </ul> <p>Plenary Discussions</p>
19.00-21.00	<b>Gala Dinner</b>

Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>DAY TWO</b>
Session: Emerging practices for improving the competitiveness of the manufacturing sector	
08.30-09.30	<p><b>Key Note: Dr. Mukhisa Kituyi</b>, Secretary General UNCTAD: <i>“Unlocking the Potential of Manufacturing in Africa – The Role of FDIs and Global Value”</i></p> <p><b>Key Note: Andre Habimana</b>, Country Representative Rwanda, United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO), <i>“Strategic Policy Making for Industrializing Africa- Global Best Practices and Strategies”</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Felix Masha</b>, EABC, <i>“Improved Business Environment for increased Intra-EAC Trade and Investment, Role of the East African Business Council”</i></li> <li>• <b>Mr. Frank Malsaert</b>, CEO TMEA: <i>“Gains made in Trade Infrastructure and Logistics to Foster Creation of a Competitive Manufacturing Base and Export Products in EAC Region”</i></li> <li>• <b>Mr. Gabriel Negatu</b>, Director-General, AfDB: <i>“The Role of Innovative and Long Term Financing in Accelerating Business and Development impacts on Manufacturing in Africa.”</i></li> <li>• <b>Ms. Maria Mogello</b>, Specialist, World Bank: <i>“World Bank/IFC Innovative Financing Mechanisms and Opportunities for Manufacturing”</i></li> </ul> <p>Plenary Discussions</p>

**Parallel Sessions: Industry Roundtables**

<p>9.30-11.00</p>	<p><b><u>Pharmaceutical &amp; cosmetics value chain</u></b></p> <p>Chair: AU/NEPAD Agency</p> <p><b>Key Speaker</b>  <b>Mr. Nazeem Mohamed</b>, Chairman, FEAPM</p> <p>Discussants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Palu Dhanani</b>, Chairman/MD FKPM/Universal Corporation Limited.</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Hiiti B. Sillo</b> - DG, Tanzania Food and Drugs authority (TFDA)</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Dirk Rabien</b> -GIZ</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Laurean B. Rugambwa</b>, DG, Medical Stores Department</li> <li>• <b>Dr. Jeanine U. Condo</b>, DG, Rwanda Bio Medical Centre</li> <li>• <b>Dr. Thomas Walter</b>, GFA/GIZ</li> <li>• <b>Dr. D. Mukanga</b>, Bill &amp;Melinda Gates Foundation</li> </ul> <p><b>Plenary Discussions</b></p>	<p><b><u>Mining, cement, iron &amp; steel value chains</u></b></p> <p>Chair: RAM</p> <p><b>Key Speaker:</b>  <b>Mr. Pradeep Paurana</b>, MD, ARM Cement</p> <p>Discussants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Oliver Lalani</b>, MD, Roofings</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Busisiwe Legodi</b>, CEO, CIMERWA</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Simon Ole Nkeri</b>, CEO, East African Portland Cement</li> <li>• <b>N.N., Athi River Steel</b></li> <li>• <b>Ms. Christine Mbanda</b>, MD, NMC</li> <li>• <b>Ms. Getenet Motie</b>, CEO, Hippo Roofings</li> </ul> <p><b>Plenary Discussions</b></p>	<p><b><u>Automotive Industry</u></b></p> <p>Chair: UMA</p> <p><b>Key Speaker</b>  <b>Ms. Rita Kavashe</b>, MD, General Motors</p> <p>Discussants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Paul Musasizi</b>, CEO, Kira Motors</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Gavin Bennett</b>, Kenya Motor Industry Association (KMI)</li> <li>• <b>Mr. David Percival</b>, MD, Kenya Vehicle Manufacturers (KVM)</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Thomas Schaefer</b>, CEO, Volks Wagen, SA</li> <li>• <b>A. Juma</b>, Yamaha</li> <li>• <b>EAC Secretariat ID</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Plenary Discussions</b></p>
<p>11.00–11.30</p>	<p><b>Tea break /Networking</b></p>		

**Parallel Sessions on Cross-Cutting Themes**

11.30-13.00	<p><b><u>Standards and quality management</u></b></p> <p>Chair: TBD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ms. Stella Apolot.,</b> Standards officer, EAC Customs &amp; Trade dept</li> <li>• <b>N. N. RBS</b></li> <li>• <b>Mr. Albert Stockell,</b> MD, SGS</li> <li>• <b>Eng. Dr. Ben Manyindo,</b> ED, Uganda National Bureau of Standards (UNSB)</li> <li>• <b>Dr. George Muthuri,</b> Kenya Pharmacy and Poisons Board</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Thomas Diergardt,</b> Physikaisch Bundesanstalt (PTB)</li> </ul> <p>Plenary Discussions</p>	<p><b><u>Industrial skills for Manufacturing</u></b></p> <p>Chair: TBD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Prof. Alexandre Lyambabaje,</b> ES, Inter-University Council</li> <li>• <b>Prof Magoha,</b> Former VC, UON</li> <li>• <b>Prof. Suki Mwenda,</b> DVC, Samsung Electronics / Technical University of Kenya</li> <li>• <b>Prof. Keto Mshigeni,</b> VC Hubert Kairuki Memorial University</li> <li>• <b>Dr. Kevit Desai,</b> MD Centurion Systems</li> </ul> <p>Plenary Discussions</p>	<p><b><u>Technology and innovation for Manufacturing</u></b></p> <p>Chair: TBD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Prof. Charles Kwesiga,</b> ED, Uganda Industrial Research Institute (UIRI)</li> <li>• <b>Dr. George Kosimbei,</b> Director, Chandaria Business Innovation &amp; Incubation Centre / KU</li> <li>• <b>Ms. Getrude Ngabirano,</b> ES, East African Science &amp; Technology Commission</li> <li>• <b>Prof. Joseph Mungarulire,</b> DG NIRDA</li> <li>• <b>Joseph K. Kamau,</b> Ag. Director and CEO, Kenya Industrial Research and Development Institute (KIRDI)</li> <li>• <b>Prof. William Kyamuhangire,</b> Makerere University/Incubation Centre</li> <li>• <b>N.N.,</b> Philips / Research &amp; Innovation Hub</li> </ul> <p>Plenary Discussions</p>	<p><b><u>Combatting Illicit Trade, Product Piracy and IP violations</u></b></p> <p>Chair: TBD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>N.N.</b> EAC Customs &amp; Trade Dept</li> <li>• <b>Dr. John Akoten,</b> ED, Kenya Anti-Counterfeit Agency</li> <li>• <b>C. Burrell ,</b> BAT</li> <li>• <b>Mr. David S. Mgwassa,</b> MD, Tanzania Distilleries</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Patrick Obath,</b> Associate Director, Adam Smith International</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Richard Rajwayi,</b> Manager Sproxil</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Ermias Biadgleng,</b> Legal Expert at the Intellectual Property Unit, UNCTAD</li> </ul> <p>Plenary Discussions</p>
13.00-14.00	Lunch Break			
Parallel Sessions: Industry Roundtables				

<p>14.00-15.30</p>	<p><b><u>Chemicals, plastics &amp; paints value chains</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Chair: AIB</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Samson Birungi</b>, MD, Movit Products Ltd</li> <li>• <b>Mr. K. Khakhar</b>, Cello Industries</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Marc Engel</b>, Chief Supply Chain Officer, Unilever</li> <li>• <b>Mr. John Musunga</b>, CEO, GlaxoSmithKline</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Rakesh Rao</b>, CEO, Crown Berger</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Elphas Simiyu</b>: Leather Chemicals BASF</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Dave Govender</b>, MD, DOW Chemical</li> </ul> <p><b>Plenary Discussions</b></p>	<p><b><u>Leather and Footwear Industry</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Chair: KAM</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>B Bedeste</b>, Afritan</li> <li>• <b>Semakula R;</b> Bobbie Leather LTD</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Joram Wakari</b>, Executive Secretary, Leather Association of Tanzania</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Yassin Awale</b>, Leather Adviser to CS, MITC</li> <li>• <b>Ms. Germaine Mukashyaka</b>, Leather Value Chain Platform, Kigali</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Charles Ndungu</b>, Head of Research, Policy and Standards, Kenya Leather Development Council(KLDC)</li> </ul> <p><b>Plenary Discussions</b></p>	<p><b><u>Agro Food value chain</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Chair: CTI</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Uwimana Innocent</b>, MD, Rwanda Farmers Coffee Company</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Christian Hermans</b>, MD, Farm Fresh Food Company</li> <li>• <b>Mr. John Kabare</b>, GM, Sameer Africa Ltd</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Said Muhammad Said Abeid</b>, General Manager, Bakhresa</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Kenneth Barungi</b>, Director, Kakira Sugar</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Robert Runazi</b>, General Manager of Kinazi Cassava Plant</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Senganda Sudadi Kayitana</b>, MD, Inyange Industries Ltd.</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Jonathan Hall</b>, CEO, Bralirwa</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Pascal Ngendakuriyo</b>, President, SOSUMO</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Toni Gadhoke</b>, CEO, Mukwano Group of Companies</li> </ul> <p><b>Plenary Discussions</b></p>	<p><b><u>Cotton, Textiles and Apparels</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Chair: RAM</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Jas Bedi</b>, Chairman, African Cotton &amp; Textile Industries Federation</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Jean Hakizamana</b>, Technical Director, Afritextile</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Adam Zuku</b>, Executive Secretary, TEGAMET</li> <li>• <b>Ms. Jolly Sabune</b>, ED, Cotton Development Organization (CDO)</li> <li>• <b>R. Arora</b>, MITC</li> <li>• <b>N.N</b>, Kisumu Cotton Mills (KiCOMI)</li> </ul> <p><b>Plenary Discussions</b></p>
<p>15.30–16.00</p>	<p><b>Tea break</b></p>			

16.00-17.30	<p><b>Specific challenges for Small Scale Manufacturers and Women</b></p> <p><b>Cross-Border Trade and Regional Value Chains</b></p>
18.30-21.00	<p><b>Ladies Dinner</b></p> <p><b>Celebrating Successful Women in the Manufacturing Sector</b></p> <p><b>Ms. Tabitha Karanja</b>, founder and CEO, Keroche Breweries  <b>Ms. Rita Kaveshe</b>, MD, GM  <b>Prof. Dr. Maggie Kigozi</b>,  <b>Ms. Agatha Nderitu</b>, Managing Consultant at AfriTrade &amp; Enterprise Advisory Services (ATEAS)  <b>Lisa Karanja</b>, Senior Director, TMEA</p> <p><b>Hosted by: Hon Kandie</b>, CS, MEAC; <b>Hon Jesca Eriyo</b>, Deputy Secretary General, Finance and Administration, EAC; <b>Hon Betty Maina</b>, PS, MEAC; <b>Ms. Lilian Awinja</b>, ED, EABC</p>

<p><b>Thursday</b> <b>25<sup>th</sup> May</b></p>	<p><b>DAY THREE</b></p>
<p><b>Session: The special role of the African Diaspora in the Industrialization of EAC</b></p>	

09.00-10.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Hon Christophe Bazivamo</b>, Deputy Secretary General Productive and Social Sectors EAC missions</li> <li>• <b>Chairmen</b>, Diaspora Global Network (Burundi, Rwanda, Kenya, Uganda and Tanzania)</li> <li>• <b>Dr. Donald Kabureka</b>, African Union Commission</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Onyekachi</b>, Director of Engagement and Policy in African Foundation for Development(AFFORD)</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Sindiso Ngwenya</b>, SG COMESA</li> <li>• <b>Dr. Stergomena Tax</b>, ES, SADC</li> <li>• <b>Amb. Dr. Richard Sezibera</b> Former Secretary General East African Community</li> <li>• <b>Amb Juma Mwapachu</b>, Former Secretary General East African Community</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Strive Masiyiwa</b>, Chairman, Econet</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Manu Chandaria</b>, Chairman Comcraft Group</li> </ul> <p><b>Plenary Discussions</b></p>
10.30-11.00	Tea Break
<b>Parallel Sessions</b>	



<p>11.30-13.00</p>	<p><b><u>Donor Roundtable support to industrialization</u></b></p> <p>Chair: TBD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Bernd Multhaup</b>, Head of EAC Integration Programme, GIZ</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Thomas Diergardt</b>, Physikalisch Technische Bundesanstalt (PTB)</li> <li>• <b>Diaspora Banking MOF, Kenya</b></li> <li>• <b>Mr. Jason Kapkirowk</b>, Country Director, Kenya, TMEA</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Rashid Kaukab</b>, ED, CUTS</li> <li>• <b>Dr. Tilahun Temesgen</b>, Chief Regional Economist, EARC, AFDB</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Toshio Nagase</b>, Chief Representative, JICA</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Andre Habimana</b>, Country Representative Rwanda, UNIDO</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Ermias Biadgleng</b>, Legal Affairs Officer, IP Unit UNCTAD</li> </ul> <p><b>Plenary Discussions</b></p>	<p><b><u>Specific financing offers for Diaspora Investors</u></b></p> <p>Chair: TBD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Diaspora Banking, KCB Bank</b></li> <li>• <b>Mr. Edward G. Gitau</b>, Financial analyst, Development Finance Institution, ICDC</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Wilfred Musau</b>, CEO, NBC</li> <li>• <b>Dr. James Mwangi</b>, CBS, CEO &amp; Managing Director, Equity Bank</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Faustin Byishimo</b>, ED, I&amp;M Bank, Rwanda</li> <li>• <b>Dr. Dianne G Karusisi</b>, CEO, Bank of Kigali</li> </ul> <p><b>Plenary Discussions</b></p>	<p><b><u>Financing for SMEs</u></b></p> <p>Chair: TBD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>N.N, CRANE BANK</b></li> <li>• <b>N. N, KCB</b></li> <li>• <b>Mr. Rohit Kumar Singh</b> Chief Officer - Corporate and SME Banking, EQUITY Bank</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Innocent Bulindi</b>, CEO, Business Development Fund (BDF)</li> <li>• <b>Ms. Patricia Ojangole</b>, CEO, Uganda Development Board (UDB)</li> <li>• <b>STANBIC</b></li> </ul> <p><b>Plenary Discussions</b></p>
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<p>13.00-14.00</p>	<p><b>Lunch Break</b></p>
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**Session: Opportunities Available for Diaspora**

<p><b>14.00-15.30</b></p>	<p><b><u>Long-term and Innovative financing for the Manufacturing Sector</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mr. Alex Kanyankole</b>, CEO Rwanda Development Bank</li> <li>• <b>Ms. Vivienne Yeda</b>, DG, EADB</li> <li>• <b>Dr. James Gatera</b>, MD &amp; CEO Bank of Kigali</li> <li>• <b>Dr. James Mwangi</b>, CEO, Equity Bank</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Joshua Oigara</b>, CEO, KCB Bank</li> <li>• <b>Mr. Admassu Tadesse</b>, CEO, PTA Bank</li> <li>• <b>N. N.</b>,NSE</li> <li>• <b>NN</b>, CMA</li> </ul> <p>Plenary Discussions</p>
<p><b>CLOSING CEREMONY</b></p>	
<p><b>15.30-17.00</b></p>	<p><b>Main Plenary</b>  <b>Session Chairs to report back to the main plenary drawing conference conclusions and recommendations</b></p> <p><b>Concluding Remarks: Mr. Innocent Safari, PS MEAC</b></p> <p><b>Closing Remarks , Minister for EAC Affairs, Rwanda</b></p>

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