



# Programme

## Provisional Programme

May 27 - 28, 2010

### Saturday, 22 May

- **08:00** Registration of Participants

### Sunday, 23 May

- **08:00** Registration

### Monday, 24 May

- **07:30 – 09:30** Breakfast : Launch of the "Making Finance Work for Africa" website
- **08:00** Registration
- **08:00 – 18:00** Exhibition – Congo Basin Forest Fund
- **08:30 – 18:00** Coalition for Dialogue on Africa (CoDA) Meeting
- **10:00 – 12:00** Launch of the Africa Economic Outlook and Press Briefing and Dissemination of the “Economic Perspectives in Africa”
- **14:00 – 16:00** African Financial Markets Initiative Workshop
- **14:30 – 16:00** The Role of independent oversight in promoting the development effectiveness of the Bank Group
- **15:00 – 16:00** AfDB Results Framework
- **15:00 – 17:00** Presentation of findings and policy implications of the research of the African Economic Research Consortium (AERC) on the relationship between reproductive health and economic growth/poverty reduction in Africa
- **16:00 – 17:30** CITI – African Economic Research Consortium (AERC)
- **16:00 – 18:00** The Role of Women in Fragile States
- **18:00 – 19:30** Africa Progress Panel (APP) 2010 Annual Report
- **20:00 – 22:00** Dinner : Coalition for Dialogue on Africa (CoDA)

### Tuesday, 25 May

- **07:30 – 09:30** Meeting of the Standing Committee of the Board of Governors (Closed Session)
- **08:00** Registration
- **08:00 – 09:00** Launch of the 4th Volume of the ECI-ADB-AUC Joint Publication (Assessing Regional Integration – AIRA-IV)
- **08:00 – 09:30** African Fertilizer Financing Mechanism

- **08:00 – 18:00** Exhibition – African Legal Support Facility
- **09:00 – 10:30** AfDB/World Bank Seminar: Migration and Remittances in Africa
- **09:00 – 18:00** CoDA Meeting followed by Press Conference
- **09:30 – 10:15** Meeting of the Bureau of the Boards of Governors (Closed Session)
- **10:00 – 12:00** JICA – Microfinance & SME Development
- **10:00 – 12:00** Mobilizing the African Diaspora for Development in Fragile and Conflict-Affected Countries
- **10:30 – 12:00** Meeting of the Joint Steering Committee (Closed Session)
- **12:00 – 12:45** Financial Presentation
- **12:45 – 14:00** Financial Presentation Luncheon
- **14:30 – 16:30** African Capital Markets Seminar
- **14:30 – 18:00** Governors Consultative Committee (GCC) (Restricted Session)
- **18:00 – 21:00** African Business Award (Cocktail By invitation)
- **19:30 – 21:30** Dinner : ADF Heads of Delegation (By invitation)
- **19:30 – 21:30** Pre-Seminar Dinner for the Panelists of the Ministerial Roundtable
- **20:00 – 22:00** Dinner: Gender Equality and Financial Inclusion
- **20:00 – 22:30** Dinner: African Sub-Regional Development Finance Institution (DFIs)

### Wednesday, 26 May

- **07:00 – 09:00** Press Breakfast
- **08:00** Registration
- **08:00 - 19:30** ADF-12 Consultation (Restricted Session)
- **08:30- 09:00** Opening Ceremony of the High Level Seminars
- **09:00 - 11:00** African Legal Support Facility (ALSF) Management Board Meeting
- **09:00 – 11:00** High Level Seminars
  - [Climate Change and Development Financing](#)
  - [Measuring Development in resource-based and rural/informal economies](#)
- **11:00 - 13:00** High Level Seminars
  - [Rebalancing the Role of the State and Market](#)
  - [Climate Change – Implications for Agriculture and Food Security in Africa](#)
- **14:30 – 16:30** Governors’ Dialogue (Governor + 1)
- **17:00 – 18:30** Capacity-Led Growth: Evidence from Emerging Countries
- **17:00 - 19:00** African Legal Support Facility (ALSF) Governing Board Meeting

### Thursday, 27 May

- **08:00** Registration
- **08:30 – 18:00** Standard & Poor’s Meeting: Discussions on Strategic and Operational Rating Issues
- **09:30** Formal Opening Ceremony of the 2010 Annual Meetings
- **10:30** Adjournment
- **11:00 – 13:00** First Sitting of the Boards of Governors: Consideration and Approval of the:
  - Report of the Joint Steering Committee
  - Provisional Draft Agenda
  - Report of the Governors’ Consultative Committee
  - Report of the Standing Committee of the Boards of Governors on the Terms and Conditions of Service of Elected Officers
- **13:00 - 14:30** Adaptation Finance Meeting

- **13:00 - 17:00** ADF-12 Meetings (restricted Session)
- **14:00 – 16:00** Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Initiative Steering Committee Meeting
- **14:30 – 16:00** Second Sitting of the Boards of Governors: Statements by Governors
- **16:00 – 17:00** Third Sitting of the Boards of Governors: Consideration of the Report of the Steering Committee on the Election of the President; and Election of the President
- **16:15 – 18:15** Water Partnership Program Steering Committee Meeting
- **17:00 – 18:30** CEO’s Dialogue: Taking Africa to the next level through business
- **19:00** Reception given jointly by the Chairman of the Boards of Governors and the President of the Bank Group (By Invitation)

### **Friday, 28 May**

- **08:00** Registration
- **08:30 – 18:00** Standard & Poor’s Meeting: Discussions on Strategic and Operational Rating Issues
- **10:00 – 12:00** Fourth Sitting of the Boards of Governors: Statements by Governors
- **10:00 - 12:00** African Legal Support Facility (ALSF) Management Board Meeting
- **15:00 – 17:00** Fifth Sitting of the Boards of Governors: Election and Selection of Executive Directors
- **18:00** Closing Session of the 2010 Annual Meetings, followed by a press conference
- **20:00** Cocktail and Cultural Evening for all Participants

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