

**THE
STANBIC
EAST AFRICA
BUSINESS
SUMMIT**



**CONNECTED & RESILIENT:
SCALING EAST AFRICA'S
REGIONAL ADVANTAGE**



**8th-9th OCT
2025**



**KAMPALA
SERENA HOTEL,
KATONGA BALLROOM**

AGENDA



Wednesday 8TH

TIME	SESSION
08h00 (60 min)	Registration: Tea, Coffee & Refreshments
09h00 (40 min)	Opening Ceremony Welcome Remarks from the “Integration as Strategy, Not Sentiment”: Stanbic Uganda CE: Mumba Kalifungwa , Stanbic outgoing Regional CE, East Africa: Patrick Mweheire , Managing Director, National Social Security Fund, Uganda, Patrick Ayota Guest of Honour Remarks: Hon Oryem Okello , Minister of Foreign Affairs- International Affairs.
09h40 (60 min)	Panel 1: Inside the Advantage: How East Africa’s Businesses Leveraged Connectivity Moderator: Cathy Adengo – Head Sustainability , Stanbic Uganda Panelists: , Senator Tabitha Karanja , CEO Keroche Breweries, Gilead Teri , Director General of the Tanzania Investment and Special Economic Zones Authority (TISEZA) Paul Muganwa , Head CIB Stanbic Uganda
10h40 (30 min)	Keynote Address: "Outside in – investing East of the Rift" Dr. Layi Fatona , Co-Founder and former CEO, Aradel Holdings
11h10 (20min)	Beverage refill
11h30 (15 min)	Regional economic Outlook: <i>A forward-looking presentation :</i> Goolam Ballim <i>Navigating Opportunity and Risk:</i> Dr Fred Muhumuza
11h45 (60 min)	Panel 2: The Infrastructure of Integration: What Will It Take to Scale Connected Resilience? Moderator: Brian Tahinduka- Executive Head Power, Africa Regions- Standard Bank Panellists: Olivia Birungi Lumonya , CCA Dep Director, Juliana Kaggwa CEO , Uganda Tourism Board, Kenneth Mutaonga- Asilia energy, Lynette B. Bagonza , Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Trade, Industry and Cooperatives



Wednesday

8TH

TIME	SESSION
12h45 (75 min)	Lunch & Bilateral Convenings
14h00 (10 min)	Short Film: "Trading Lives" - A documentary-style piece that follows 2–3 real entrepreneurs / employees in significant regional trade industries navigating East Africa's trade corridors. (10 min)
14h10 (60 min)	Fireside Chat: “Scaling Intra-Regional Trade: East Africa’s Path to 60%” Hosts: : Candy Wekesa Okoboi , Head of the Legal Department at Stanbic Bank Uganda Panelists: Ambassador John Ulanga , Ambassador and Director of International Trade and Economic Diplomacy at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs Tanzania and Dr Patricia Nzolantima - Bizzoly Holdings, Amos Nzei - Chairman Crown Beverages (pepsico)
15h10 (40 min)	Reflection Circle: “Where Are We Headed?” Dr. Joshua Oigara , Stanbic Regional CE, East Africa Ceremonial Handover : Patrick Mweheire
15h50 (30 min)	Wrap-up: CEOs submissions and commitment Damoni Kitabire – Board Chair, Stanbic Bank Uganda
17h00 (3 hr)	Cocktail & Cultural Showcase

Thursday

9TH

Stanbic Entebbe Open Golf Tournament & Awards Dinner

Venue: Entebbe Golf Club



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