# **MAIN CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES:**

* PANELS AND PLENARIES
* PAPER PRESENTATIONS
* POWER TALKS
* FIRESIDE CHATS
* ABSTRACTS GALLERY WALK
* KEY INFORMANT INTERVIEWS - ‘PODCAST’ CORNER (In partnership with K Media)
* NETWORKING LOUNGE
* EXHIBITION BOOTHS

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# **Tentative Program**

**Day One, Tuesday 12th November 2024**

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| **TIME** | **ACTIVITY** | **RESPONSIBLE** | | |
| **7:00am- 8:30am** | **Check in and registration**   * **Networking and exhibition** * **Tea break** * **Wellness activities** | **All invited guests** | | |
| **8:30am- 9:00am** | **Guest of honor arrival**   * **Visit exhibitors** | **Ms. Martha Makala- TEN/MET Coordinator** | | |
|  | **SESSION 1: OPENING SESSION** | **SPEAKERS/PANELISTS** | **VENUE** | **CHAIR OF THE SESSION** |
| **09:00am – 09:10am** | Tanzania National Anthem  East Africa National Anthem | School Brass Band | Main Venue | **Moderator** |
| **09:10am - 09:20am** | Welcome/introductory/Opening  Remarks | Ms. Martha Makala  National Coordinator  TEN/MET – welcome funders, sponsors, partners | Main venue | **Moderator** |
| **09:20am - 09:30am** | Remarks from TEN/MET Board Chair | Ms. Faraja Nyalandu  TEN/MET Board Chair | Main venue | **Moderator** |
| **09:30am - 09:40am** | Remarks from Students Representatives from Chemba District, Dodoma | Students Representatives | Main venue | **Moderator** |
| **09:40am – 09:50am** | Remarks from Partners | Partner | Main venue | **Moderator** |
| **09:50am – 10:00am** | Remarks from MoEST welcoming the Chief Guest to speak | Hon. Prof. Adolf Mkenda  Minister for Education Science and Technology | Main venue | **Moderator** |
| **10:00am- 10:20am** | Opening remarks from Guest of Honor  “Fostering Resilient Education Systems for Sustainable Development in Africa” | Hon. Dr. Dotto Biteko,  Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Energy | Main venue | **Moderator** |
| **10:20am – 10:30am** | **Group Photo** | | | |
| **10:30am – 11;30am** | Keynote Address Investing in Human Capital: Education as the Foundation for National Development | Hon. Prof. Adolf Mkenda  Minister for Education Science and Technology  **Discussants**  1. Richard Olong  Program Manager EOL Eastern and Horn of Africa  2. Dr. Ador Riak  National Coordinator  Education Coalition  South Sudan.  3. World Bank Tanzania | Main venue | **Dr. Wilberforce Meena - HakiElimu** |
| **11;30am – 11:50am** | Official Launching of National Re-entry Implementation Plan | Hon. Prof. Adolf Mkenda  Minister for Education Science and Technology | Main venue | **Ms. Martha Makala**  **National Coordinator**  **TEN/MET** |
| **11:50am – 12:00noon** | **Power Talk:** Education and Leadership | Aidan Eyakuze  Executive Director  TWAWEZA East Africa | Main Venue | **Moderator** |
| **12:00pm – 13:00pm** | Special Panel discussion on their reflection on main conference theme  “Fostering Resilient Education Systems for Sustainable Development in Africa**”** | 1. Dr. Sara Ruto  Program Lead  Echidna Giving  2. Aaron Chansa  Executive Director  National Action for Quality Education, Zambia.  3. Dr. Maryam Ismail  Former Dean, Senior Lecturer, School of Education, State University of Zanzibar  4. Justice Rutenge, Executive Director, Foundation for Civil Society, Tanzania | Main venue | **Cikay Richards**  **Chief Executive Officer African College of Insurance and Social Protection** |
| **13:00pm-14:00pm** | **Lunch Break** | | | |
| **14:00pm – 15:15pm** | **Paper Presentation:** Assessing the Implementation of Curriculum Reforms in Tanzania: Progress, Challenges, and Future Directions | Ministry of Education Science and Technology (MoEST) | Main venue | **Dr. John Lusingu**  **FCDO** |
| **15:15 – 15:45 pm** | **Fireside Chat:**  **A voice from the teachers (Teachers’ perspectives)** |  | Main venue | **Moderator** |
| **15:45pm- 16:00pm** | Wrap up of Day 1 | Rapporteurs | Main venue | **Moderator** |

**Day Two, Wednesday 13th November 2024**

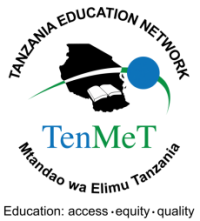
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| **7:00- 8:30am** | **Check in & Registration,**   * **Networking and exhibition** * **Tea** * **Wellness activities** | | | |
|  | **TOPICS** | **SPEAKERS** | **VENUE** | **MODERATOR** |
| **8:30 am – 8:45 am** | **Power Talk:** Bridging Policy and Action | Carolyn Kandusi  Senior Program Officer,  Segal Family Foundation | Main venue | **Moderator** |
| **8:45am-10:00am** | ***Paper Presentation:*** *The Role of Legal Reforms in Shaping Resilient Education System. A case study of Tanzania* | Adv. Innocent Mgeta  Director Legal Reforms, Ministry of Education, Science and Technology  **Discussants**  1. Adv. Anna Henga  Executive Director  Legal and Human Right Center.  2. Joseph Wasikhongo  National Coordinator  Elimu Yetu Coalition, Kenya  3. Onesmo Olengurumo  Executive Director  THDRC  4. Tike Mwambipile  Executive Director  TAWLA | Main venue | **Adv. Anna Kulaya**  **National Coordinator**  **WILDAF** |
| **10:00am – 10:15 am** | **Award Winning Documentary: Barriers to Inclusion** | Hosted by TAI Tanzania | Main Venue | **Moderator** |
| **10:15am –11:30am** | ***Paper Presentation****:* Innovative Approaches to Climate Change Education: Lessons from Tanzania and Beyond | **Presenter:** Piero Meda  Executive Director  We World  **Discussants**  1.Aga Khan Foundation  2. Pastoral Women’s Council  3. Teacher from FAWE  4. SAWA Tanzania | Main Venue | **Dr. Miriam Siwela**  **Executive Director**  **Teach for Zimbabwe** |
| **11:30am-11:40am** | **Health Break** | | | |
| **11:40am-12:40pm** | **Panel Discussion**: Harnessing AI to Overcome Barriers to Digital Education: Solutions for Urban and Rural Disparities. | 1. Mwasi Wilmore  Chief Executive Officer  Ubongo Kids  2. Jumanne Mtambalike  Chief Executive Director  Sahara Ventures  3. Dr. Ayoub Kafyulilo  Education Specialist UNICEF  4. Nancy Sumari, Executive Director, Jenga Hub | Breakout room | **Dignitas Project, Kenya** |
| **11:40pm-12:40pm** | ***Panel Discussion****: Reimagining Technical and Vocational Education: Aligning TVET and Skills Programs with Industry Needs.* | 1. Dr. Adolf B. Rutayuga Executive Secretary  NACTIVET  2. Sebabatso Ntalamele  Project Coordinator  Lesotho Council of NGOs  3. Frauke Heinze  Regional Director East/Horn of Africa  DVV  4.VSO International | Breakout room | **Dr. Sempeho Siafu**  **Director of Academics**  **The Institute of Adult Education** |
| **12:40pm-13:40pm** | **Lunch Break** | | | |
| **13:40pm-14:55pm** | **Paper Presentation:** Ensuring Equitable Access to Quality Pre-Primary Education: Overcoming Systemic Challenges and Sharing Best Practices in Early Childhood Education Across Africa. | BRAC Maendeleo | Main Venue | **TECDEN** |
| **15:00pm-16:00pm** | **Panel Discussion:** Assessing the Role of International Aid and Exploring Domestic Resource Mobilization for Sustainable Education Financing | 1. Semkae Kilonzo  Executive Director  Policy Forum  2. Director of Policy Planning, MoEST.  3. Bavon Christopher  Country Director  ActionAid Tanzania  4. Elvis Chitsungo  Executive Director  Education Coalition in Zimbabwe | Breakout room | **Mwemezi Makumba**  **Research, Innovation and Policy Analysis Manager - HakiElimu** |
| **15:00pm-16:00pm** | **Panel Discussion:** Innovative Approaches to Teachers Motivation and Continuous Professional Development: Empowering Teachers for the 21st Century | 1. Costa Paula TTU 2. Simon Mutabazi  EDUCATE  3. Christian Social Service Commission  4. Tanzania Institute of Education | Breakout room | **Nicodemus Shauri**  **Executive Director**  **Maarifa ni Ufunguo** |
| **16:00pm – 16:30pm** | **Fireside Chat on Girls Leadership** | Lydia Charles  Executive Director  Her Initiative | Main venue | **Moderator** |
| **16:30pm-16:45pm** | Wrap up of Day 2 | Rapporteur | Main venue | **Moderator** |

**Day Three, Thursday 14th November 2024**

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| **7:00- 8:30 am** | **Check in & Registration**   * **Networking and exhibition** * **Relevant videos on display** * **Breakfast** * **Wellness activities** | | | |
|  | **Topic/PAPER PRESENTATION** | **SPEAKERS** | **VENUE** | **MODERATOR** |
| **8:30 am – 8:45am** | Power Talk: Evidence Based Decision Making | Patrick Okwen, Founding Member Evidence for Education Network and Executive Director, eBASE Africa | Main Venue | **Moderator** |
| **8:30am-10:00am** | ***Panel Discussion:*** *Empowering Africa’s Youth: Integrating Young Voices in Decision-Making and Societal Development* | 1. Samuel Nsulwa Givabu Ihungo High School - Geita  2.UNFPA 3.Arafat Lesheve Founder of Tanzania Youth Awards  4. CAMFED Youth | Breakout room | **Digital Opportunity Trust** |
| **8:30am- 10:30am** | **Panel Discussion:** Sharing Best Practices on the Effectiveness of Early Warning Systems in Promoting Student Retention and Addressing Dropout Rates | 1. Clement Nhilizyo  CAMFED Zimbabwe 2. Mr. Moses Mhike Permanent Secretary Ministry of Primary and Secondary Education Zimbabwe  3. Dr. Johanes Balige  PO-RALG  4.Rebecca Gyumi  Executive Director Msichana Initiative | Breakout room | **Judith Kiwale Education Associate UNHCR** |
| **10:30 – 11:30pm** | Education and Society Play | Nafasi Art Space | Main venue | **Moderator** |
| **11:30am – 11:45pm** | Presentation of an outcome statement | Martha Makala  National Coordinator  TEN/MET | Main venue | **Moderator** |
| **11:45pm – 12:00pm** | Closing protocols | Hon. Mohammed Mchengerwa  Minister, PO LARG | Main venue | **Moderator** |
| **12:00pm- 1:00pm** | **Lunch Break** | | | |

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**Fostering Resilient Education Systems for Sustainable Development in Africa**

**PROGRAM TIMETABLE:**

**4th International Quality Education Conference**

**Dar es Salaam, Tanzania November 12th – 14th 2024**

**Venue: Julius Nyerere International Convention Centre – Dar es Salaam**