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MORE IMAGINATION MORE IMPACT



09:30 - 10:00

REGISTRATION / BREAKFAST / NETWORKING

10:00 - 10:10

WELCOME ADDRESS

JAMIU IJAODOLA

Founder / CEO, Eventhive.ng

10:10 - 10:20

HOST PARTNER'S ADDRESS

Connor Rory

Partner, Addleshaw Goddard

10:20 - 10:45

OPENING KEYNOTE ADDRESS

UK-Nigeria Trade Partnership; How are Players Responding to Reforms in Nigeria

Steven Grey OBE (TBC)

Regional Representative, West Africa, UK Export Finance



10:45 - 11:20

INVESTING IN AFRICA'S INFRASTRUCTURE; THE FUTURE TODAY

Africa's population is projected to rise by 43% by 2040. Hence, there is a pressing need to accelerate investment in Africa's infrastructure.

This session will explore key discussions across available financing options for investment in Africa's infrastructure. With keen interest in what International are on the look out for in local equity and financing partners.

Speakers

1. Fola Fagbule (TBC)

Deputy Director & Head of Financial Advisory,
Africa Finance Corporation

2. Vivek Mittal

CEO, AfIDA

3. Dr Gabriel Onagoruwa

Chair, Finance and Project Development
Olaniwun Ajayi (UK) LLP

11:20 - 11:40

IN-CONVERSATION WITH

HEAR FROM NIGERIAN GOVERNMENT;

Exclusive presentations and one-on-one engagements with Nigerian governments representatives, on the country's policies and investment opportunities.

Aisha Rimi (TBC)

CEO, Nigeria Investment Promotion Commission



11:40 - 12:25

ENERGY TRANSITION AND NIGERIAN GAS

Debates have continued to rage around gas, this has spurred the need for reassessments of the role of natural gas in both energy transition and energy security, this session will draw investors and energy leaders across the UK and Nigeria who will shape conversations across accelerating investments into Nigeria's natural gas and capital intensive infrastructure projects.

Speakers

1. Ola Williams (TBC)

Director For Energy, UKDBT

2. Habeeb Alebiosu

CEO, Viathan Group

3. Rory Connor

Partner, Addleshaw Goddard

12:25 - 12:40

KEYNOTE ADDRESS II

Mobilizing Financial Capital- What Investment Model will attract Global Capital to Africa

Bolaji Sofoluwe

Managing Director, ETK Group

12:40 - 13:15

FINTECH WITHOUT BORDERS

This session will explore strategies for the inclusive and sustainable development of Fintech in Africa, with keen interest in cross-border payments and the role the industry will play in AFCTA. This panel will bring together leaders across various elements of Africa's fintech.

Speakers**1. Becky George-David**

Executive Director, Product
JP Morgan

2. Stone Atwine

CEO, Eversend

3. Gbenga Adigun

CEO, Scrella

4. Olalere Ridwan

CEO, Lemfi

13:15 - 13:40

CREATIVE ECONOMY

With over 200 Million people, Nigeria has the potential to further harness and maximize its creative industries. This session will bring together multiple creative leaders across media, entertainment, lifestyle, fashion, tourism and hospitality to explore strategies for developments of Nigeria's creativity ecosystem.

OLUWATOSIN AJIBADE (TBC)

(Mr Eazi)

13:40 - 14:00

CLOSING ADDRESS/NETWORKING