



PROGRAM

Director of Program & Event Host; **Edgar Mwine**, YELP Fellow & Program Officer, KAS For Security Africa & Female co-host **Lisa Kanyomozi Rabwoni**, Huduma fellow, Class of 2024.

10:20 AM - Welcome Remarks **Awel Uwhanganye**, Co-founder & Team Lead Léo Africa Institute

10:25 AM – Keynote Address: Speaker: Charles Mudiwa, Managing Director DfCU Bank Topic:
"Excellence as a Standard: Sustaining High-Performance Leadership in Challenging Contexts"-
Followed by a Fireside Conversation with Keynote Speaker

10:40 AM Moderated Conversation with Keynote Speaker, Joined by **Anna Reismann**, Country Representative, Konrad Adenauer Stiftung Uganda & South Sudan. Moderated by **Awel Uwhanganye**

11:30 AM -We are All Africa! – A Cultural presentation by Joseph Irankunda, & Co

11:50 PM - 1:10 PM - Panel Discussion - Theme: "From Individual Excellence to Collective Impact: Building Strategic Partnerships Across Sectors"

Moderator: Raymond Mujuni; Deputy Director · African Institute for Investigative Journalism/YELP Fellow Class of 2017 Léo Africa Institute

Panelists:

- **Michael Kayemba**, Associate Partner AXUM
- **Emmanuel Awori, Partnership Lead**, Léo Africa Institute
- **Okash Mohammed** – Director, ICE Institute, Research, Strategy, Foresight & Policy, YELP Fellow Class of 2018
- **Lucy Mbabazi**, Managing Director, Better than Cash Alliance, Emeritus Board Chair Léo Africa Institute
- **Linda Mutesi**, Co-founder Future Generations Foundation

Q&A and Audience Engagement



1:30 PM - 2:30 PM | LUNCH BREAK - *Networking Opportunity*

2:30 PM - 2:50 PM - *The Psalm of Life!* – Musical Poetry Presentation by Matovu Matia (Poet) and Frank Baguma (Violinist)

2:45 PM - 3:30 PM - *Afternoon Keynote Address* Ms. Susan Nsibirwa- MD, Nation Media Group

Topic: "Leading with Purpose: *The Imperative of Collaborative Leadership in Africa's Next Decade*" – Followed by a Fireside Conversation with Keynote Speaker

- **Conversation Moderated by Angelo Izama**, Team Lead, Verification Registration Services, Faculty Head Emeritus, LEO Africa Institute

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM - *Panel Discussion II* - Theme: "Frontiers of Opportunity: *Innovation and Enterprise Growth Where Excellence is the Standard for Success*"

Moderator: Diana Ondoga - Manager Corporate Social Investment · Stanbic Bank Uganda

Panelists:

- **Silajji Kanyesigye**, Managing Partner, **RKA & Co**, Tax advisor & a Certified and chartered Public Accountant
- **Lydia Paula Nakiggude**, ESG/Sustainability Manager, MTN Uganda
- **Reginald Tumusime** – Chief Executive Officer, Capital Savvy
- **Catherineroose Barreto**; Co-founder Binary (Labs)
- **Conrad Mugisha** – Businessman, YELP Fellow Class of 2017

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4:30 PM - 4:45 PM | Entertainment

4:45 PM - 5:00 PM | Closing Session with Dr. Abraham Korir Sing'Oei, Principal Secretary · Ministry of Foreign and Diaspora Affairs, State Department for Foreign Affairs

5:30 PM - 7:00 PM | After Gathering Reception Over Teas/Coffee & Bites

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