### COVID-19

# 2 Day Pan African Virtual Conference Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April and Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2020

Theme: African Response

**Program** 

## Sessions for Day 1 Friday 3rd April 16:00pm -18:00pm

16:00 - Moderator: Alimatu Dimonekene - Women and Girls Advocate and Campaigner

16:05 - Session 1

Presentation by Dr Sylvie Briand –Director Epidemic and Pandemic Diseases (WHO) will present to us on the latest COVID19 best practice case studies. (10 minutes)

16:20 - Session 2 (30 mins)

### Discussions on COVID and its Impact on the continent. How can policies help?

- Janet Mbugua Author, Media Personality and Gender Rights Advocate
- Kim Schofield Member of the Georgia House of Representatives
- OB Sisay OBE Country Head at Tony Blair Institute for Global Change
- Senator HE Douye Diri Executive Governor Bayelsa State, Nigeria
- Paul Alaje Senior Economist, SPM Professionals
- Myriam Sidibe (Dr PH) Senior Fellow, MRCBG –Harvard Kennedy School

#### 16:50 - Session 3:

Dr Nestor of Infodermics - Presentation and some in-depth analysis on the Data and current trends of the virus and what can be done. (10 mins)

17:00 Session 4: (30 mins)

#### Discussions on - How does Africa recover from a pandemic?

- Hassan Arouni Award Winning Senior Broadcast Journalist BBC
- Maryam Abdullah CEO at Situation Hub Ltd
- Jake Epelle Convener Disability Inclusion Nigeria Founder/CEO The Albino Foundation
- Dr Tunji John Asaolu Nigerian Representative at the 3<sup>rd</sup> Permanent General Assembly of The African Union Economic and Social Cultural Council (ECOSOCC)
- Joseph Orike LLB Founder of Africans Preventing Poverty

Closing remarks by Rex T Idaminabo - Founder African Achievers Award

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