



CONCEPT NOTE

Book Launch: “*The Republic: A Professional Journey, Ghana’s Cybersecurity and The Making of a Role Model Country*”

1. Event Type

The event is an official launch of a book titled, “*The Republic: A Professional Journey, Ghana’s Cybersecurity and The Making of a Role Model Country*”, authored by Dr. Albert Antwi-Boasiako, known widely as the Founder of e-Crime Bureau and the Former Director-General of the Cyber Security Authority (CSA).

2. Brief/Synopsis of Book

The Republic is an attempt by the Author to chronicle a profoundly personal and professional journey, covering close to 15 years of his work in cybersecurity in both the private and public sectors of Ghana. It is a five-part story woven from the threads of personal conviction, professional engagements and sacrifice, and the steadfast will to translate a vision into measurable results. In each part of the book, the author presents a roadmap for the reader to explore several critical topics, and subthemes relating to different stages of his professional journey—from the private sector to public service—with the hope that readers will experience not only his aspirations and the motivations but also the challenges that marked this journey.

The book is also seen as a historical narrative chronicling Ghana’s remarkable cybersecurity journey over the past decade, progressing from its formative stage to a tier-1, role model country. Blending history, facts, insights, the innerworkings and behind-the-scenes actions and developments, the book details the contributions of various personalities and actors—both in the public and in the private sectors—which led to Ghana’s emergence on the global stage as a role model country for cybersecurity. The book is a tribute to the collective will of many people who contributed to the establishment of the country’s cybersecurity foundations.

3. Expected Participants

The event will convene participants from industry, academia, public service, international organisations/development partners, and the diplomatic community.

4. Expected Speakers

Expected speakers at the event include:

- **Author** - Dr. Albert Antwi-Boasiako



- **Government** – Mr. Divine Selase Agbeti, Director-General, Cyber Security Authority
 - **Academia** – Mr. Patrick Awuah, President, Ashesi University
 - **International Partner Representative** - H.E. Laura Ranalli, Italian Ambassador to Ghana
 - **Industry Representative** – Mr. C.K. Bruce, Chief Executive Officer, Innovare
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5. Special Guest

H.E. Nana Addo Dankwa Akufo-Addo, 5th President of the 4th Republic

6. Date/Venue/Time

The event is scheduled for Tuesday, November 25, 2025, at the British Council, Accra, at 6:00 p.m.

7. Conclusion

This event is not merely a book launch; it is also a celebration of collective effort—past and the present—offering insights into public sector dynamics and their impacts on attainment of results. *The Republic* is expected to inspire and guide current and future public sector leaders and cultivate a positive dialogue as the nation makes strides in its cybersecurity journey.