

Made in AFRICA II

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The second edition of this Africa e-Conference aims to bring to this virtual platform opportunities to use Africa as a sourcing and manufacturing base and brings with it updates on reforms and new markets to tap under the African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA). Learn from those who successfully have done business with Africa.



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Made in AFRICA II

Made in AFRICA II brings you the second edition of Investment Opportunities in the African continent which possesses a large population estimated to reach the 1.7 billion mark by 2030. It is the fastest—urbanizing region in the world with the highest number of youths brimming with ideas, creativity and skills, which will make the continent the workshop of choice in the world.

Singapore and Made in AFRICA II

The ties between Singapore and Africa have seen an upward swing, especially in the last decade. The Made in AFRICA II Conference aims to continue the dialog to bring more opportunities. During his first ever official visit to Africa for CHOGM (Commonwealth Heads of Governments Meeting) this year, Prime Minister Lee Hsien Loong said: "Singapore may be geographically far away, but we have many friends in Africa. Singapore's founding father Prime Minister, the late Mr Lee Kuan Yew, first visited Africa more than 50 years ago."

Business Made in AFRICA II

With 54 countries and the African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA) in place, it brings a collective market of 1.3 billion people with a combined GDP estimated at US\$3.4 trillion. Singapore trade experts share about the potential impact of AfCFTA, including how it will boost Intra–African trade, manufacturing exports, job creation for the youth, and poverty alleviation.

African Missions and EnterpriseSG Made in AFRICA II

The Made in AFRICA II is supported by five African missions resident in Singapore – Angola, Egypt, Nigeria, Rwanda and South Africa – and is also supported by EnterpriseSG which has overseas offices in Ghana, Kenya and South Africa. Both the missions and EnterpriseSG have been acting as a gateway for businesses to the Continent.

Who and What to Expect

To be held on 31st August 2022, the government agencies and businesses share updates and experiences about how new entrants can produce in Africa for the ready—made market integrated to a greater extent by the AfCFTA. Singapore—Africa has witnessed many success stories. The Conference aims to address the concerns of SMEs interested in the market.

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Dear Distinguished Members of the Singapore Business Community,

As the Dean of the African Group of Ambassadors in Singapore, I am writing to share with you that Sun Media Pte Ltd, with our support is organizing a conference "Made in Africa 2" to be held in (July/ August 2022).

As you may know, Africa is rich in resources and offers competitive advantages for manufacturing and sourcing, in addition we have the African Continental Free Trade Area agreement signed recently to create single market covering trade in goods and Services within the continent.

The conference aims to share with both local and foreign business based in Singapore on the post-pandemic opportunities that can be tapped in Africa and to help interested parties known more about Africa's potential in different fields of the economy.

Officials from Angola, Egypt, Nigeria, Rwanda and South Africa will participate in the conference to present investment opportunities and comparative advantages in the different fields.

Your valuable support and cooperation towards the success of this event will be highly appreciated.

Yours sincerely

Jean de Dieu Uwihanganye

High Commissioner of the Republic of Rwanda to Singapore Dean of the African Group in Singapore



PROGRAMME

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3.20pm Waiting Room Opens

Welcome Session

- 3.30pm Ms Nomita Dhar, Founder and Managing Editor, Sun Media Pte Ltd
- 3.33pm H.E. Jean de Dieu Uwihanganye, High Commissioner of the Republic of Rwanda in Singapore
- 3.38pm **Key Note Address:** Mr Antonio H Da Silva, Chairman of AIPEX (Private Investment & Export Promotion Agency) and SDZEE EP (Development Society of the Special Economic Zone of Luanda–Bengo, Angola)

3.50pm <u>SESSION 1</u>

AfCFTA Opportunities

- Africa as a Future Supply Chain and Sourcing Frontier
- Accelerating Growth through Technology and Innovation

Moderator: Mr Ranveer Chauhan, Chairman of the Africa Group, SBF Speakers: ● H.E. Madiepetsane Charlotte Lobe, High Commissioner of the Republic of South Africa in Singapore ● Mr G Jayakrishnan, Executive Director Enterprise Singapore

Mr V Srivathsan, Managing Director Olam Group

Q&A Session

4.50pm **SESSION 2**

Invitation to Build Businesses

Make Africa Your Manufacturing Hub

New Sectors: Pharmaceuticals, Digitalisation and Manufacturing Tech

Moderator: Mr Johan Burger, Business Development Manager, College of Business & Economics at the UAE University

Speakers: • H.E. Mahmoud Assem Mahmoud ElMaghraby, Ambassador of the Arab Republic of Egypt in Singapore • Ms Elaina Olivia Chong, Group CEO Real Kaiten Group and MD of SK Global Capital Fund VCC • Mr Sabbir Hassanbhai, former High Commissioner of the Republic of Singpore to the Republic of Nigeria • Mr Saikat Chowdhury, Founder and MD of NiveSal **Q&A Session**

5.50pm **<u>SESSION 3</u>**

Sustainability: Working on a Green Future Together

■ BioFuels – Resource Rich & Waste Supply for Energy Generation

Bright Future for Manufacturing & Sustainable Tech Transfers

Carbon Risk and Green Finance

Moderator: Ms Joanne Flinn, Strategic Sustainability Specialist

Speakers: ● Mr Johan Burger, Business Development Manager, College of Business & Economics at the UAE University ● Dr Dalal AlGhawas PhD, Program Director Big Idea Ventures, Singapore ● Ms Farizan d'Avezac de Moran, Senior Partner GreenA Consultants
Q&A Session

6.30pm End of Conference