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Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany

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# Conference Program

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09.30 – 11.00 a.m.

## Registration and Welcome Coffee

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11.00 a.m.

### Welcome

Prof Dr Heinz-Walter Große  
Chairman  
Subsahara-Afrika Initiative der Deutschen Wirtschaft  
/ Sub-Saharan Africa Initiative of German Business (SAFRI)  
Chairman of the Management Board  
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### Opening Keynote

H.E. Dr Angela Merkel  
Federal Chancellor  
Federal Republic of Germany

### Keynote

H.E. Paul Kagame\*  
Chairperson of the African Union  
President of the Republic of Rwanda

### Keynote

H.E. Matamela Cyril Ramaphosa\*  
Co-Chair of the G20-Africa Advisory Group  
President of the Republic of South Africa

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11.40 a.m.

## German Direct Investment in Africa – A new Era of German-African Business Relations

### Introduction

Dr Stefan Liebing  
Chairman  
Afrika-Verein der deutschen Wirtschaft/  
German-African Business Association

### Presentations of German Lighthouse Projects and Signing Ceremonies

In the presence of all Heads of State of the CwA Partner Countries and  
CEOs of Companies with Lighthouse Projects.

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## Togo

H.E. Faure Gnassingbé\*, President of the Republic of Togo  
& Siemens AG

## Côte d'Ivoire

H.E. Alassane Ouattara\*, President of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire  
& Allianz SE

## Guinea

H.E. Alpha Condé\*, President of the Republic of Guinea  
& Health Focus GmbH

## Senegal

H.E. Macky Sall\*, President of the Republic of Senegal  
& GAUFF GmbH & Co. Engineering KG

## Egypt

H.E. Abdel Fattah el-Sisi\*, President of the Arab Republic of Egypt  
& Siemens AG

## Tunisia

H.E. Beji Caid Essebsi\*, President of the Republic of Tunisia  
& LEONI AG

## Benin

H.E. Patrice Talon\*, President of the Republic of Benin  
& MAN Energy Solutions SE

## Ghana

H.E. Nana Akufo-Addo\*, President of the Republic of Ghana  
& HL Hamburger Leistungsfutter GmbH

## Ethiopia

H.E. Abiy Ahmed Ali\*, Prime Minister of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia & Giesecke + Devrient Group

## Rwanda

H.E. Paul Kagame\*, President of the Republic of Rwanda & Volkswagen AG

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1.00 – 2.30 p.m.

**Networking Lunch Break**

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2.30 – 2.45 p.m.

**Keynote Speech**

Hon. Dr Gerd Müller  
Federal Minister  
Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development

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2.45 p.m.

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## Panel Discussion

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### **The Compact with Africa and Private Sector Engagement in Africa**

Representatives of CwA Countries  
Guinea, Morocco, Senegal

**Wolfgang Schmidt**  
State Secretary  
Federal Ministry of Finance  
Federal Republic of Germany

**Christiane Laibach**  
Chairwoman of the Management Board  
Deutsche Investitions- und Entwicklungsgesellschaft (DEG)

**Tanja Gönner**  
Chair of the Management Board  
Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit GmbH (GIZ)

**Representative**  
African Development Bank (AfDB)

### **Moderation**

**Dr Volker Treier**  
Deputy Chief Executive Officer  
Deutscher Industrie- und Handelskammertag (DIHK)

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3.45 p.m.

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## Panel Discussion

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### **Business Frameworks in Africa and Regional Integration**

Representatives of CwA Countries  
Ghana, Ethiopia, Rwanda, Tunisia

**Representative**  
Federal Foreign Office  
Federal Republic of Germany

**Paal Kirkeby Ødegaard**  
Chief HR Officer  
Aker Energy AS, Norway

**Werner Hoyer**  
President  
European Investment Bank (EIB)

**Representative**  
Robert Bosch GmbH, Germany

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Dr Stefan Mair

Member of the Executive Board

Bundesverband der Deutschen Industrie e.V. (BDI)

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4.45 – 5.30 p.m.

Coffee Break **PFISTERER**  
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5.30 p.m.

Panel Discussion

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**Africa's Role in Global Trade and Investment in Local Production**

Representatives of CwA Countries

Benin, Côte d'Ivoire, Egypt, Togo

Representative

Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy

Federal Republic of Germany

Representative

Worldbank

Werner Schmidt

Managing Director

Head of Structured Trade & Export Finance Germany

Deutsche Bank AG

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Representative

Bundesverband für Groß- und Außenhandel (BGA)

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6.30 p.m.

Closing

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Dr Ludger Schuknecht

Deputy Secretary General

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)

Representative

International Monetary Fund (IMF)

Christoph Kannengießer

Chief Executive Officer

Afrika-Verein der deutschen Wirtschaft /

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