

AUSSEN WIRTSCHAFT CONFERENCE **AFRICA DAY 2020**

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PROGRAM

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MODERATOR: Gundula GEIGINGER

09.00 – 09.05 WARM UP (German)

Mariana KÜHNEL, Deputy Secretary General Austrian Federal Economic Chamber
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09.05 – 09.30 WINDOWS TO AFRICA (German)

- Martin WOLLER, Austrian Commercial Counsellor in Egypt
- Guido STOCK, Austrian Commercial Counsellor in Nigeria
- Edith PREDORF, Austrian Commercial Counsellor in Kenya
- Martin MEISCHL, Austrian Commercial Counsellor in South Africa

Host: Harald MAHRER, President Austrian Federal Economic Chamber
Moderator: Gundula GEIGINGER

09.30 – 09.40 KEYNOTE 1 (English)

Mo ABUDU, CEO, EbonyLive TV

09.40 – 09.50 KEYNOTE 2 (English)

Soraya HAKUZIYAREMYE, Minister of Trade and Industry Rwanda

09.50 – 10.40 FOCUS AFRICA – TRENDS AND OPPORTUNITIES (English)

- Betty C. MAINA, Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Industrialization, Trade and Enterprise Development, Kenya
- Margarete SCHRAMBÖCK, Federal Minister for Digital and Economic Affairs
- Amelie GROSS, Vice President Austrian Federal Economic Chamber
- Angelika HUEMER, CEO | Starlinger & Co GmbH
- Hakeem BELO-OSAGIE, Chairman | Metis Capital

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10.40 – 11.30 THIRD PARTY COOPERATION (English)

- Tiago COUTO, CEO | Construções Gabriel Couto, SA. | Portugal
- Turkish General Contractor (tbc) | Turkey
- Rui ZHA, Vice President East & Southern Africa | Powerchina International Group Limited | China
- Erwin MARCHHART, Senior Director | Oesterreichische Kontrollbank (OeKB)

HOST: Esther MACA, Austrian Commercial Counsellor for Portugal

INTERCULTURAL INSIGHTS (German)

- Gudrun SAGEDER, österr. Verein für interkulturelle Kompetenz
- Alpla GmbH (tbc)
- Ferdinand KOVACIC, Kovacic Consulting
- Christoph GRETZMACHER, Worktank Afrika
- Franz Chiba, ehemaliger Honorarkonsul in Abidjan

HOST: Eva FREI, Austrian Commercial Counsellor in Morocco

11.30 – 12.20 FINANCING AND RISK MANAGEMENT (German)

- Ferdinand SCHIPFER, Oesterreichische Kontrollbank (OeKB)
- Gunter SCHALL, Austrian Development Agency (ADA)
- Michael WANCATA, Oesterreichische Entwicklungsbank (OeEB)
- Sonja SAGMEISTER-BRANDNER, AMABO GmbH
- Andreas KUNTER, Komptech GmbH

HOST: Franz BACHLEITNER, Austrian Commercial Counsellor in Algeria

FRUGAL INNOVATION (English)

- Sören LEX, doing circular GmbH
- Matthias WEICHHART, FFG Österreichische Forschungsförderungs GmbH
- Patrick Singa, Babyl Rwanda
- Eric WAINAINA KARIUKI, Senior Startup & Innovation Manager, ADVANTAGE AUSTRIA Kenya

HOST: Georg WEINGARTNER, Innovation Department, ADVANTAGE AUSTRIA, Vienna

12.20 – 12.25 WRAP UP (German)

Michael OTTER, Director General, Advantage Austria, Austrian Federal Economic Chamber
Moderator: Gundula GEIGINGER

12.25 – 18.00 B2B Meetings (virtual via B2Match Platform)

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