#IPA2017 Agenda: 17 & 18 JULY 2017

**DAY 1**
MONDAY 17 JULY

9.30am – 11.00am
Official Opening Event

11.00am – 11.30am
Innovation Market Place Unveiling

11.30am – 5.00pm
Innovation Market Place

11.45am – 1.00pm
High Level Roundtable

2.00pm – 4.00pm
Women Innovator & Entrepreneurs Workshop

4.00pm – 6.00pm
Zua Hub Official Launch
Inspiring Innovation Talks
Speed Networking

7.00pm – 10.00pm (by invitation only)
Brand Ghana / Cultural Evening
Venue: Ghana National Theatre

**DAY 2**
TUESDAY 18 JULY

9.00am – 3.00pm
Innovation Market Place

9.00am – 4.00pm
Women Innovator & Entrepreneurs Workshop

9.00am – 4.00pm
Agriculture Workshop

1.00pm – 3.00pm (by invitation only)
Zua Hub Enablers Nominees Meet-Up

7.00pm – 10.30pm (by invitation only)
Awards Ceremony Cocktail Reception

Workshop timings are highlighted in green. To attend these workshops, please register on www.innovationprizeforafrica.org

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INNOVATION PRIZE FOR AFRICA 2017

Official Opening Ceremony
& Meet-the-Nominees Session
17 July 2017 | Mövenpick, Accra (Ballroom)

Programme

09:30 Arrivals, Registration & Refreshments

10:00 Welcome & Introduction
    Host: Bernard Avle, Citi FM

10:05 Opening Prayer

10:10 Opening Address
    Hon. Professor Kwabena Frimpong Boateng,
    Minister of Environment, Science, Technology & Innovation

10:20 African Innovation Foundation Remarks:
    Jean-Claude Bastos de Morais
    Founder, African Innovation Foundation (AIF)

10:30 IPA 2017 Meet-the-Nominees Session

10:50 Host Partner Remarks:
    Yofi Grant, Chief Executive Officer,
    Ghana Investment Promotion Centre (GIPC)

11:00 Opening of the Innovation Marketplace

11:30 End

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Investing in Home-grown Innovation: Opportunities for Africa
High Level Roundtable
17 July 2017 | Mövenpick, Accra (Ballroom)

Programme

11:45 Welcome & Introduction by Moderator Nozipho Mbanjwa, CNBC Anchor

11:50 Introduction of Key Speakers

11:55 Roundtable Session - Investing in Home-Grown Innovation: Opportunities for Africa

- Hon. Professor Kwabena Frimpong Boateng
  Minister of Environment, Science, Technology & Innovation

- Jean-Claude Bastos de Morais
  Founder, African Innovation Foundation (AIF)

- Rowena Bethel
  AIF Board Member and Member of the UN Committee of Experts in Public Administration (CEPA)

- Yofi Grant
  CEO, Ghana Investment Promotion Centre (GIPC)

- Herman Kojo Chinery-Hesse
  Found SOFTtribe

12:45 Q&A Session

13:00 End

Moderator

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True Women - Awakening the Innovator Within
Women Innovator & Entrepreneur Workshop
Championed by H.E Mrs. Rebecca Akufu-Addo First Lady, Republic of Ghana
17 & 18 July 2017 | Mövenpick, Accra (Meeting Room 4)

Programme

Day 1

14:00 Arrivals, registration & refreshments

14:10 Welcome & Introduction - MC
Nazipho Mbanjwa, CNBC Anchor

14:15 Hon. Patricia Appiagyei
Deputy Minister, Ministry of Environment, Science, Technology, and Innovation (MESTI)

14:20 Opening Address
H.E Mrs Rebecca Akufu-Addo
First Lady, Republic of Ghana

14:30 True Women – Awakening the Innovator Within Workshop Introduction
Edith Uyovbukereh – CEO, GN Foods Limited

14:35 Workshop Activity
Facilitated by Strands of Pearls International

16:00 End

10:10 Speaker Session
1. Peris Bosire, Co-Founder Farm Drive (IPA2017 nominee)
2. Nkwekuho Khojane, CEO & Co-Founder, Lakeni (IPA2017 nominee)
3. Omolaboke Adenle, Founder, AJLA Studios (IPA2017 nominee)
4. Philippa Ngaju Makobore, Department Head, Instrumentation Division at the Uganda Industrial Research Institute (IPA2017 nominee)
5. Regina Honu – Soronko Solutions

Audience Q&A session

12:00 LUNCH

14:00 Panel Discussion Introduction
Moderator: Nazipho Mbanjwa

Topic: African Women and the Global Rise Of Female Entrepreneurs

Speakers:
1. Edith Uyovbukereh, CEO, GN Foods Limited
2. Hon. Patricia Appiagyei, Deputy Minister, MESTI
3. Karim Sy, Founder, Jokkolabs
4. Sophie Bussmann Kemdjo, ALL Director, African Innovation Foundation (AIF)
5. Regina Honu – Soronko Solutions

15:45 Closing Address
Hon. Patricia Appiagyei (MP), Deputy Minister MESTI

16:00 End & Announcements - MC

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Zua Hub: Transforming networks into resources in a well-connected African innovation ecosystem
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16:00  MC Welcome & Introduction
       Gomoemo Lolo Madikgetla, TEDx Botswana Curator

16:02  Opening Remarks
       Walter Fust, Chairman African Innovation Foundation (AIF)

16:05  Speaker one:
       Leveraging the power of networks to validate products,
       David Osei, CEO/Cofounder of Silicon Accra

16:20  Speaker two:
       Leveraging the power of networks to build the right team,
       Badr Idrissi, CEO and Co-Founder of ATLAN Space®

19:55  Presentation of Zua Hub
       Robinson Esialimba, Process Manager, AIF

16:35  Zua Hub introduction and demo with participants

16:50  Speed Networking Session

17:10  Opening of the Innovation Marketplace

17.50  Closing remarks by MC

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Zua Hub Enablers/Nominees Meet-Up: Developing a framework for post IPA acceleration program
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13:30  Opening Remarks
       Robinson Esialimba, Process Manager, African Innovation Foundation (AIF)

13:35  Presentation of Virtual Acceleration Program

       Speaker
       - Ali Kheloui, Senior Advisor at Turtle Management AG

13.45  Group discussions on feedback on the proposed model

       Facilitators:
       - Ali Kheloui, Senior Advisor at Turtle Management AG
       - Robinson Esialimba, Process Manager, AIF
       - Pauline Mujawamariya Koebl, Director, IPA
       - Oliveira Paulo, Interim Director Angola, AIF
       - Walid Alaoui, Country Manager, Djembe Communications Morocco

14:30  Presentation by the groups in plenary

14.50  Closing Remarks
       - Ali Kheloui, Senior Advisor at Turtle Management AG
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Agriculture & Innovation workshop:
Disrupting Africa’s Agriculture Value Chain
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09:00 Opening Remarks by Walter Fust, Chairman, African Innovation Foundation (AIF)

09:10 Kick-off Meeting For Working Groups by MC - Papa Arkhurst - Chief Information Officer, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Coordinator: Arun Sharma, Founder, 10 Academy

Industry Experts:
- Gideon Padi Knontey, CEO Goat Masters
- Nana Adwoa Sefa, Guzakuza, Cofounder, Yo!Gate Foods
- Emmanuel Ansaah-Amprofi, CEO, Trotro Tractor
- Amma Gyampo, CEO, AmDeCo

Facilitators:
- Papa Arkhurst, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- David Asiamah, CEO, Agromindset

10:00 Agritalks: Novelty Showcase Audience Discussion

Presenters:
- Olufemi Odeleye, The Tryctor, Nigeria
- Zeinou Abdelyamine, BiT Bait, Algeria
- David Asiamah, Agromindset, Ghana

11:10 Agrifunding Models for Africa

Moderator: Prof Nyasse Barthelemy, IPA 2017 Chairman of the Jury

Speakers:
- Amma Gyampo, CEO, AmDeCo
- Mr Kojo Ohene Kyei, CEO, IFS
- Michael Kpormegbe, Senior Agri Economist, Ministry of Food And Agriculture (MoFA)

12:00 Lunch

13:00 Working Group 1st milestone Session (closed group)

13:50 Agri Trends: New trends in Agriculture

Moderator: Claude Grunitzky, IPA2017 Judge

Speakers:
- Joseph Opoku Gakpo, Award winning Journalist
- Freda Obeng-Ampofo, CEO Kaeme
- David A. S. Modzakah, Deputy Director, Monitoring & Evaluation, MoFA, Ministry of Food and Agriculture (MoFA)

14:40 Coffee Break

15:00 - Presentation of outcomes from Working Groups
- Wrap up session and concluding remarks by Prof Nyasse Barthelemy

16:00 Ends

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Award Ceremony & Cocktail
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19:00 Arrivals & Welcome Drinks

19:30 Guest Seating & Entertainment by Ghana National Symphony Orchestra

19:45 MCs Welcome & Introduction of Nominees
   Nozifho Mbanjwa, CNBC Africa Anchor & Jerry Adjortolo

19:50 Arrival of His Excellency, Nana Addo Dankwa Akufo-Addo, President, Republic of Ghana
   National Anthem

19:55 Welcome Speech - Walter Fust, Chairman, African Innovation Foundation (AIF)

20:02 Introduction by Hon. Professor Kwabena Frimpong Boateng, Minister of
   Environment, Science, Technology & Innovation (MESTI)

20:05 Keynote Speech by His Excellency, Nana Addo Dankwa Akufo-Addo, President, Republic of Ghana

20:15 Entertainment: Evolution of Innovation in Africa by Noyam African Dance Institute

20:22 Investing in Home-Grown Innovation: ‘Beyond Boundaries’ with AIF Founder,
   Jean-Claude Bastos de Morais

20:49 Entertainment: Okyeame Kwame

20:49 IPA 2017 Nominee Video and Certificate Presentation

21:09 IPA 2017 Awards Presentation

21:29 Closing Remarks by MCs

21:32 Entertainment: Okyeame Kwame

21:39 Cocktail reception

22:39 End

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