

International Colloquium
**African Meeting Process for Debate and
Proposals on Governance in Africa**
Southern African Perspectives

Programme



17 – 19 June 2008 - Polokwane
20 June 2008 – Pretoria

Day 0 | 16 June 2008 | Polokwane

Afternoon - Evening	<i>Arrival</i>
20.00	<i>Dinner (Hotel)</i>

Day 1 | 17 June 2008 | Polokwane

OPENING SESSION

10.00 – 10.40	WELCOME ADDRESS <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pr. N.M. Mokgalong, Vice Chancellor, Faculty of Management and Law, University of Limpopo – South Africa• Pr. Samuel Elmaleh, Counsellor for Science, Culture and Development, Embassy of France in South Africa• Mr. André Mbata Mangu, Professor of Law, Department of Public, Constitutional and International Law, University of South Africa (UNISA)• Ms. Aurelia Wa Kabwe-Segatti, Research Director, French Institute in South Africa (IFAS)• Ms. Claske Dijkema, co-Director, Modus Operandi
	THE AFRICAN GOVERNANCE MEETING PROCESS FOR DEBATE AND PROPOSALS ON GOVERNANCE IN AFRICA <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Michel Sauquet, Director and Ms. Séverine Bellina, Head of External Relations and of Legitimacy Programme, IRG – France

FROM ADDIS ABABA TO POLOKWANE: A LEARNING PROCESS

10.40 – 11.30 <i>Coffee break</i> 20'	AFRICAN GOVERNANCE PERSPECTIVE <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pr Raphael Omotayo Olaniyan, AU Regional Delegate to SADC, African Union, Southern Africa Regional Office - Malawi
	MAIN CONCLUSIONS AND PROPOSALS FROM BAMAKO COLLOQUIUM <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Assane Mbaye, Université Cheik Anta Diop-Dakar, Alliance for the Refoundation of Governance in Africa (ARGA) – Senegal
11.30 – 12.30	<i>Discussion</i>
12.30 – 14.00	<i>Lunch (Hotel)</i>

1ST SESSION:
SOURCES OF POWER LEGITIMACY

LIBERATION MOVEMENTS

14.00 – 15.00	<i>Speakers:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ms. Pauline Dempers, Coordinator of Breaking the Wall of Silence (BWS) - Namibia• Mr. Mundjozi Mutandiri, National Constitutional Assembly (NCA) – Zimbabwe
	<i>Discussants:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Simon Kobedi, Action for Conflict Transformation – South Africa

TRADITIONS AND RELIGIONS

15.00 – 18.30 <i>Coffee break 20"</i>	<i>Speakers:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chief Lerotholi, Local Government – Lesotho• Reverend Nakamhela Ngeno, Spiritual Leader Inner-city Lutheran Congregation, Windhoek, Chair Namibian Men for Change, Chair Forum of the Future – Namibia
	<i>Discussants:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Roger Southall, Professor of Sociology, University of Witwatersrand – South Africa• Mr. Camille Kuyu, Director of the African Academia of Law Theory, Lecturer in Brussels, Saint-Louis, Paris I et Paris XI – France
	<i>Synthesis:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Dominique Darbon, Professor of Political Science and Public Administration, Institute for Political Science, Centre of African Studies (CEAN), Bordeaux – France
	<i>Moderator:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Bongani Ngqulunga, Director, Governance and Administration Unit, Policy Unit, Presidency – South Africa
19.00 – 20.00	<i>Welcome Cocktail</i>	
20.00	<i>Dinner (Hotel)</i>	

2ND SESSION:

CONSTITUTIONAL PROCESSES: COEXISTENCE OR EMBEDDEDNESS OF DIFFERENT LEGITIMACY SOURCES?

9.00 – 13.00 <i>Coffee break</i> 20'	<i>Speakers :</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Paul Hoffman, Director of Center for Human Rights and Constitutional Law, senior advocate, High Court of South Africa – South Africa• Mr. André Mbata Mangu, Professor of Law, Department of Public, Constitutional and International Law, University of South Africa (UNISA) – South Africa
	<i>Discussants:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Assane Mbaye, Université Cheik Anta Diop-Dakar, Alliance for the Refoundation of Governance in Africa (ARGA) – Senegal• Mr. Ross Herbert, Head of Governance & APRM Programme, Southern African Institute of International Affairs (SAIIA) – South Africa
	<i>Synthesis:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Miguel de Brito, Mozambique Country Director, Electoral Institute of Southern Africa (EISA) – Mozambique
	<i>Moderator:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Japhet Moyo, Executive Secretary, Zimbabwe Congress of Trade Unions (ZCTU)
	13.00 – 14.00	<i>Lunch</i>

FIELD TRIP ON LAND ISSUE:

MEETING WITH AUTHORITIES IN CHARGE OF LAND MANAGEMENT

WHICH RULES? WHICH LEGITIMACY? WHICH LAW?

14.00 – 18.00	Introduction:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Thierry Lassalle, Researcher, Centre for Rural Community Empowerment (CRCE), School of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, University of Limpopo• Mr. Ernest Letsoalo, Researcher, Centre for Rural Community Empowerment (CRCE)
	Visit to :	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Polokwane Municipality: Mr. Thabo Makunyane, Executive Mayor of Polokwane• Ga Mothiba Community: Chief Mothiba
	18.00	<i>Dinner (Polokwane)</i>

Day 3 | 19 JUNE 2008 | POLOKWANE

3RD SESSION:

CHALLENGE OF COLLECTIVE LAND MANAGEMENT

9.00 – 13.00
*Coffee break
20'*

- Speakers:*
- Dr. Emmanuel Tshikwatamba, Faculty of Management and Law, University of Limpopo – South Africa
 - Chief Dikgale, Deputy Chair Person, National House of Traditional Leaders – South Africa
 - Mr. Phillan Zamchiya, Programme for Land and Agrarian Studies (PLAAS), University of the Western Cape – Zimbabwe / South Africa
- Discussants:*
- Mr. Hiskia Charles Tjijenda, Director, Finance and Administration, Hardap Regional Council – Namibia
 - Chief Manene Tabane, Provincial Chairperson, Congress of Traditional Leaders in South Africa, (CONTRALESA) – South Africa
- Synthesis:*
- Ministry of Land and Resettlement, (to be confirmed) - Namibia
- Moderator:*
- Dr. Abdul Lamin, Senior Lecturer, Department of International Relations, University of the Witwatersrand – South Africa

13.00 – 14.00

Lunch

GENERAL SYNTHESIS

- Mr. Maurice Engueuele, Lecturer CURAPP – France, Head of Democratic Governance Project – Senegal
- Mr. Martin Vielajus, Deputy Director, IRG

NEXT STEPS AND PROPOSALS

14.00 – 16.00

- Mr. Assane Mbaye, Université Cheik Anta Diop-Dakar, Alliance for the Refoundation of Governance in Africa (ARGA) – Senegal
- Ms. Séverine Bellina, Head of External Relations and of Legitimacy Programme, IRG

LOOKING TO ADDIS ABABA

- Pr Raphael Omotayo Olaniyan, AU Regional Delegate to SADC, African Union, Southern Africa Regional Office - Malawi

17.00

Departure for participants not attending Day 4

18.00

Dinner (Hotel)

DAY 4 | 20 JUNE 2008 | PRETORIA
HOSTED BY UNISA

08.00

Departure to Pretoria

DEBRIEFING ON POLOKWANE, WHICH PUBLIC POLICIES FOR LEGITIMATE GOVERNANCE?
DIALOGUE WITH DONORS AND INSTITUTIONALS

14.30 – 16.30
Coffee break
20'

Presentation of a 3 min video on Polokwane Colloquium

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 - Mr. Dominique Darbon, Professor of Political Science and Public Administration, Institute for Political Science, Centre of African Studies (CEAN), Bordeaux – France
 - Ministry of Land and Resettlement, (to be confirmed) - Namibia
 - Mr. Maurice Engueleguele (General Synthesis), Lecturer CURAPP – France , Head of Democratic Governance Project – Senegal
- Discussants:*
- Mr. Moise Nembot , Coordinator Political Governance, African Peer Review Mechanism Secretariat
 - Mr. Steven Gruzdz, Deputy Head Governance & APRM Programme, SAILA – South Africa
- Moderator*
- Pr Raphael Omotayo Olaniyan, AU Regional Delegate to SADC, African Union, Southern Africa Regional Office - Malawi

16.30 – 18.00

Discussion

18.00

Cocktail - Courtesy of the French Embassy