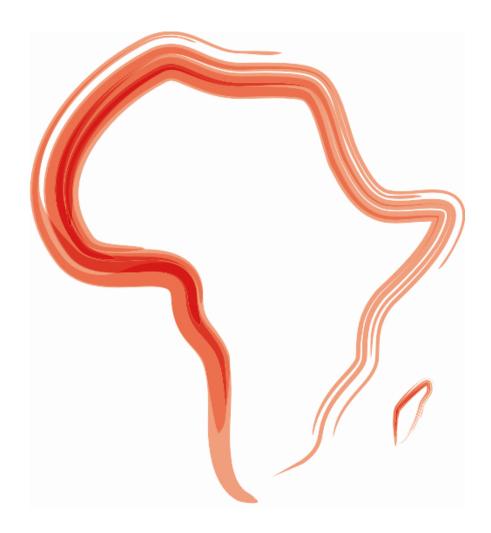


International Colloquium

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

Arrival

20.00

Dinner (Hotel)

Day 1 | 17 June 2008 | Polokwane

OPENING SESSION

WELCOME ADDRESS

- 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

 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

AFRICAN GOVERNANCE PERSPECTIVE

10.40 – 11.30Coffee break

10.00 - 10.40

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

MAIN CONCLUSIONS AND PROPOSALS FROM BAMAKO COLLOQUIUM

 Mr. Assane Mbaye, Université Cheik Anta Diop-Dakar, Alliance for the Refoundation of Governance in Africa (ARGA) – Senegal

11.30 – 12.30

Discussion

12.30 - 14.00

Lunch (Hotel)

1ST Session: SOURCES OF POWER LEGITIMACY

LIBERATION MOVEMENTS

Speakers: • Ms. Pauline Dempers, Coordinator of Breaking the Wall of Silence (BWS)

- Namibia

• Mr. Mundjozi Mutandiri, National Constitutional Assembly (NCA) − Zimbabwe

Discussants: • Mr. Simon Kobedi, Action for Conflict Transformation – South Africa

TRADITIONS AND RELIGIONS

15.00 – 18.30 *Coffee break*

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Speakers: • 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

Discussants: • 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

Synthesis: • Mr. Dominique Darbon, Professor of Political Science and Public Administration, Institute for Political Science, Centre of African Studies (CEAN), Bordeaux – France

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Moderator: • Mr. Bongani Ngqulunga, Director, Governance and Administration Unit,

Policy Unit, Presidency - South Africa

19.00 – 20.00 *Welcome Cocktail*

20.00 Dinner (Hotel)

DAY 2 | 18 JUNE 2008 | POLOKWANE

2ND SESSION:

CONSTITUTIONAL PROCESSES: COEXISTENCE OR EMBEDDEDNESS OF DIFFERENT LEGITIMACY SOURCES?

- Speakers: 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

9.00 – 13.00Coffee break 20'

Discussants:

- 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

Synthesis:

Mr. Miguel de Brito, Mozambique Country Director, Electoral Institute of Southern Africa (EISA) – Mozambique

Moderator: •

 Mr. Japhet Moyo, Executive Secretary, Zimbabwe Congress of Trade Unions (ZCTU)

13.00 - 14.00

Lunch

FIELD TRIP ON LAND ISSUE:

MEETING WITH AUTHORITIES IN CHARGE OF LAND MANAGEMENT WHICH RULES? WHICH LEGITIMACY? WHICH LAW?

Introduction:

- 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)

14.00 - 18.00

Visit to:

- Polokwane Municipality: Mr. Thabo Makunyane, Executive Mayor of Polokwane
- Ga Mothiba Community: Chief Mothiba

18.00

Dinner (Polokwane)

DAY 3 | 19 JUNE 2008 | POLOKWANE

3RD SESSION:

9.00 – 13.00 Coffee break

20'

CHALLENGE OF COLLECTIVE LAND MANAGEMENT

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

 Dr. Abdul Lamin, Senior Lecturer, Department of International Relations, University of the Witwatersrand – South Africa

13.00 – 14.00 Lunch

GENERAL SYNTHESIS

Moderator:

- Mr. Maurice Engueguele, 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

Presentation of a 3 min video on Polokwane Colloquium

Speakers: •

- Mr. Miguel de Brito, Mozambique Country Director, Electoral Institute of Southern Africa (EISA) – Mozambique
- 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 Gruzd, Deputy Head Governance & APRM Programme, SAIIA – South Africa

Moderator

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

16.30 – 18.00

14.30 - 16.30

Coffee break

20'

Discussion

18.00

Cocktail - Courtesy of the French Embassy