

Day One - Monday 7 April**0900 – 0945** **Registration and Networking****0945 – 1015** **Opening Session**

The Egyptian Hall

Addressed by:

- Lord Marland of Odstock, Chairman, CWEIC
- The Rt Hon The Lord Mayor Alderman Alastair King, Lord Mayor of the City of London

1015 – 1100

The Egyptian Hall

Opening Plenary Discussion: A New Commonwealth, Driving Global Trade and Investment**Panellists**

- Hon. Lee Kinyanjui, Cabinet Secretary for Investments, Trade, and Industry, Government of Kenya
- Hon Dr Jumoke Oduwole, Minister of Industry, Trade and Investment, Government of Nigeria
- Sheikha Alanoud bint Hamad Al-Thani, Counselor for Economic Affairs, Embassy of Qatar in the UK
- John Neal, CEO, Lloyd's

Chaired by:

- Lord Marland of Odstock, Chairman, CWEIC

1100 – 1110

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Keynote Address: HE Dr Hussein Ali Mwinyi, President of Zanzibar**1110 – 1120**

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Special Address: Hon Shirley Ayorkor Botchwey, Secretary-General of the Commonwealth**1120 – 1200****Networking Break****1200 – 1300**

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Plenary One: Unlocking Investment in the Commonwealth's Under-recognised Growth Markets**Address:**

- Dame Dr Adaora Umeoji OON, CEO, Zenith Bank

Panellists:

- Damian Nussbaum, Executive Director of Innovation & Growth, City of London Corporation
- Nathalie Gogue Ebo, Partner, Open Capital
- Dr Damie Sinanan, Executive Director, Caribbean Export Development Agency

Chaired by:

- Lanre Akinola, Editor, African Business

1200 – 1300

The Old Ballroom

Roundtable One: Leadership, Entrepreneurship and Innovation**Chaired by:**

- Martin Clapson, Managing Partner, Price Bailey

1300 – 1350**Networking Lunch****1350 – 1400**

The Egyptian Hall

Special Address: The Hon Elizabeth Ofosu-Adjare, Minister for Trade, Agribusiness, and Industry, Republic of Ghana

1400 – 1430

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Fireside Conversation: Advancing Regional Trade Through the Digital Economy

- Hon Dr Jumoke Oduwole, Minister of Industry, Trade and Investment, Government of Nigeria
- Louisa Mojela, Executive Chairman, WIPHOLD

Chaired by:

- Nana Adjoa Hackman, Managing Partner, Africa Legal Associates

1430 – 1530

The Egyptian Hall

Plenary Two: AI in the Commonwealth; Global Opportunities and Innovation**Panellists:**

- The Hon Nigel Feetham KC MP, Minister for Justice, Trade and Industry, Government of Gibraltar
- Fara Ashiru, Founder and CEO, Okra
- Danilo McGarry, Tech Entrepreneur and Investor
- Dr Uzair Javaid, Co-Founder and CEO, Betterdata

Chaired by:

- Dr Chris Bates, Director of Research & Analytics, TPP

1430 – 1530

The Old Ballroom

State Governors Roundtable: Unlocking Opportunities in Lagos and Enugu States**Chaired by:**

- Lord Marland of Odstock, Chairman, CWEIC

Addressed by:

- HE Mr Babajide Sanwo-Olu, Governor of Lagos State
- HE Dr Peter Ndubuisi Mbah, Governor of Enugu State

1530 – 1600**Networking Break****1600 – 1700**

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Plenary Three: The Global Energy Transition; Long Term Upscaling and Adaptability**Panellists:**

- Harold Calla, Executive Chair, First Nations Financial Management Board
- Rick Gambetta, Founder and Partner, Greencrowd Partnership
- Lord Tom Strathclyde, Non-Executive Director, Enpure
- Taiwo Togun, COO, Prime Atlantic Limited

Chaired by:

- Lanre Akinola, Editor, African Business

1600 – 1700

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Roundtable Three: Global Investment Opportunities in Cameroon: Partnerships for Sustainable Growth**Chaired by:**

- Lord Swire, Deputy Chair, CWEIC

Addressed by:

- HE Dr Felix Mbayu, Minister Delegate at the Ministry of External Relations in charge of Relations to the Commonwealth, Government of Cameroon
- HE Paul Tasong, Minister Delegate at the Ministry of Economy, Planning and Regional Development, Government of Cameroon
- Dr Diane Acha-Morfaw, Board Chairperson, Cameroon's Investment Promotion Agency

1700 – 1900

The Salon

Summit Reception

Day Two – Tuesday 8 April**0900 – 1000**

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Registration and Networking**1000 – 1100**

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Plenary Four: Innovative Financing and Accessing Capital**Address:**

- Deputy Ian Gorst, Minister for External Relations, Government of Jersey

Panellists:

- Simon Hopkins, CEO, Milltrust International
- Neeraj Kapur, CEO, Crown Agents Bank
- Carl Williamson, Director, SME & Trade Finance and Co-Head of Business Group, UK Export Finance

Chaired by:

- Tangy Morgan, Independent Non-Executive Director

1000 – 1100

The Old Ballroom

Roundtable Four: Closing the Insurance Gap**Chaired by:**

- Frederick Windsor, Executive Director, JP Morgan

1100 – 1130

The Salon

Networking Break**1130 – 1230**

The Egyptian Hall

Plenary Five: The Africa Opportunity; Regional Collaboration and Trade Facilitation**Address:**

- Dr James Mwangi CBS, Group Managing Director and CEO, Equity Group Holdings

Panellists:

- Dr Heike Harmgart, Managing Director for Sub-Saharan Africa, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development
- Oluwatosin Olaseinde, CEO and Founder, Money Africa

Chaired by:

- Olasupo Shasore SAN, Partner, Africa Law Practice

Closing Address:

- HE Dr Peter Ndubuisi Mbah, Governor of Enugu State

1130 – 1230

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Roundtable Five: Transforming Urban Centres, Industrialisation and Rapid Urbanisation**Chaired by:**

- Matt Lally, Director: Cities, Planning and Design, Arup

1230 – 1400

The Salon

Networking Lunch**1400 – 1500**

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Plenary Six: Mitigation or Adaptation; Commonwealth Solutions**Panellists:**

- Dr Amal-Lee Amin, Managing Director and Head of Climate, Diversity and Advisory, British International Investment
- Hassen Bali, Co-Founder, Ion Ventures

- Daniel Hooft, CEO and Founder, KelpBlue
- Jasandra Nyker, Managing Partner, Saja Climate Partners

Chaired by:

- Paul Begley, Director, Better Sustainability UK

1400 – 1500

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Roundtable Six: Standards and Regulation; Creating Competitive and Dynamic Regulatory Environments to Drive Growth**Chaired by:**

- Lord Lindsay, Chair, UKAS

1500 – 1530

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Closing Session**Addressed by:**

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