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AGENDA 2026



8:00 AM ONWARDS	Delegate Arrival & Registration					
9:00 - 10:30 AM	<div>Opening Plenary</div> <div>South South Rising: The Future of Global South Collaboration</div> <div>This plenary highlights how countries across the Global South are increasingly shaping climate solutions through shared innovation, capital and policy learning.</div>				MAIN HALL	
10:30 - 11:00 AM - NETWORKING BREAK						
11:00 - 12:30 PM	<div>Collaborative Dialogue</div> <div>How can we achieve Climate Resilient Agriculture in Africa?</div> <div>By IDH</div>	ROOM 1	<div>Healthcare Track</div> <div>North-South-North Collaboration</div> <div>By Villgro</div>	ROOM 2	<div>Workshop</div> <div>Circularity & The New Economy</div> <div>By CAIF</div>	ROOM 3
	TBD			<div>Entrepreneur Showcase</div> <div>Off Grid. All In: Powering Progress for Climate-Resilient Livelihoods</div> <div>By Ashden</div>		ROOM 5
12:30 - 1:30 PM - LUNCH BREAK						
1:30 - 3:00 PM	<div>Collaborative Dialogue</div> <div>More Capital Is Not Enough: Designing Better Finance for Agri SMEs</div> <div>By The Good Food Innovation Fund</div>	ROOM 1	<div>Healthcare Track</div> <div>Blended & Catalytic Finance: What financing vehicles are effective?</div> <div>By Villgro</div>	ROOM 2	<div>Energy Transition</div> <div>Powering the Food System: Energy as Infrastructure for Agriculture</div> <div>By Carbon Trust</div>	ROOM 3
	<div>ROUNDTABLE</div> <div>What will it take to make Climate Adaptation bankable?</div> <div>By Intelicap</div>	ROOM 4	<div>Startup Ecosystem</div> <div>Decoding the investment & exits landscape</div> <div>By FSD Uganda</div>		ROOM 5	
03:00 - 03:30 PM - NETWORKING BREAK						
3:30 - 5:30 PM	<div>Closing Plenary</div> <div>From Aid to Investable Africa: Who Funds the Next Decade of Growth?</div> <div>Will impact investing replace aid? What role do global philanthropies & sovereign funds seeing themselves play? What's the reality check for domestic capital pools and PE/VC evolution</div>				MAIN HALL	
5:30 - 6:00 PM	<div> 13TH SANKALP AFRICA AWARDS</div>					
6:00 PM ONWARDS: NETWORKING & HAPPY HOURS						

9:00 - 10:30 AM	<div>Opening Plenary</div> <div>Unicorn versus Camels: Rethinking the African Growth Playbook</div> <div>Are growth models built around rapid scale translating effectively to African market realities. What are alternative paths centred on capital efficiency, durable profitability? How are investor expectations and financing structures shape enterprise outcomes.</div>			MAIN HALL
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11:00 - 12:30 PM	<div>Live Pitching</div> <div>Sankalp's Flagship ASCEND program</div> <div>ROOM 1</div>	<div>Healthcare Track</div> <div>AI & The Future of Healthcare</div> <div>By Villgro</div> <div>ROOM 2</div>	<div>Energy Transition</div> <div>Unlocking Capital for Clean Cooking in Africa: From Investor skepticism to deal flow</div> <div>By IDRC</div> <div>ROOM 3</div>	
	<div>Entrepreneur Showcase</div> <div>Discover high potential, sustainable manufacturing ventures from across Africa</div> <div>By Manufacturing Africa</div> <div>ROOM 4</div>	TBD		ROOM 5
12:30 - 1:30 PM - LUNCH BREAK				
1:30 - 3:00 PM	<div>Energy Transition</div> <div>Who is driving the capital for e-mobility?</div> <div>By Intellecap</div> <div>ROOM 1</div>	<div>Healthcare Track</div> <div>Bridging the Mental Health Gap</div> <div>By Villgro</div> <div>ROOM 2</div>	TBD	ROOM 3
	<div>ROUNDTABLE</div> <div>ESG & Impact Measurement</div> <div>By Aavishkaar Group</div> <div>ROOM 4</div>	<div>Climate Deal Room</div> <div>Speed Dating with curated climate tech enterprises</div> <div>By Intellecap</div> <div>ROOM 5</div>		
03:00 - 03:30 PM - NETWORKING BREAK				
3:30 - 5:30 PM	<div>Closing Plenary</div> <div>Culture as Capital: The African Creative Economy at Scale</div> <div>This plenary examines the creative and cultural economy as an investable growth sector, focusing on how business models, capital structures & market access determine the global scalability of African creative enterprises.</div>			MAIN HALL
5:30 PM ONWARDS: NETWORKING				