



Program

Day 1: 28 September 2022

Professional workshop for Young and Emerging Evaluators – A “toolkit” session

Time	Presentation / speech / contribution	Role	Person
09:00	Presentation of the session and a brief introduction each of the presenters	Moderator	Latefa Camara, Evaluation Officer, IDEV, AfDB
09:10	The steps required for a rigorous evaluation	Presenter	Andrew Anguko, Chief Quality and Methods Advisor, IDEV, AfDB
09:30	Practical examples of how to use a mixed method approach in the evaluation	Presenter	Debazou Yantio, Principal Evaluation Officer, IDEV, AfDB
09:50	The fit for purpose online resources in development evaluation	Presenter	Racky Balde, Evaluation Officer, IDEV, AfDB
10:10	Panel discussion between the previous panelists on what experienced evaluators look for in CVs when recruiting young evaluators	All 3 presenters	
10:30	Q&A		All
10:45	Wrap-up and close	Moderator	Latefa Camara

Opening Session: Key challenges facing African people and the continent and the role of evaluation in tackling them.

Time	Intervention	Role	Person
14:00	Welcome remarks	Speaker	Karen Rot-Münstermann, Evaluator General, AfDB
14:10	Opening remarks (on behalf of Akinwumi Adesina, President, AfDB)	Speaker	Simon Mizrahi, Vice President (Acting), Technology and Corporate Services, AfDB
14:25	Keynote presentation: The challenges facing Africa and its people	Presenter	Walter Odhiambo, Lead Strategy Advisor, Corporate Strategy and Policy, AfDB
14:35	Introduction to the panel session	Moderator	Niels Breyer, Executive Director & Chair of the Committee for Operations and Development Effectiveness, AfDB
14:40	Panel discussion on the role of evaluation in tackling Africa's challenges.	Panelist	Walter Odhiambo

		Panelist	Hon. Jérémie Adomahou, Member of Parliament of Benin and APNODE Chairman
		Panelist	Fatema Sumar, Executive Director of the Center for International Development, Harvard Kennedy School.
		Panelist	Yéo Nahoua, Chief of Staff, Ministry of Planning and Development, Côte d'Ivoire
15:20	Q&A		All
15:55	Wrap-up and close	Moderator	Niels Breyer

Day 2: 29 September 2022

Light up and Power Africa: Fast-changing paradigms

Time	Intervention	Role	Person
09:30	Welcome and introduction to the presenter	Moderator	Joseph Mouanda, Chief Evaluation Officer, AfDB
09:35	Presentation: Use of evaluation by Power Africa	Presenter	Yugi Nair, Senior MEL Advisor, Team Lead, Power Africa, USAID
09:50	Introduction to the roundtable discussion	Moderator	Joseph Mouanda
09:55	Roundtable discussion	Moderator & Discussant	Joseph Mouanda
		Discussant	Yugi Nair
		Discussant	Batchi Baldeh, Director, Power Systems Development, AfDB
		Discussant	Monojeet Pal, Division manager, Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Department, AfDB
10:35	Q&A		All
11:30	Conclusion	Moderator	Joseph Mouanda

Maximizing Agricultural Productivity to Feed Africa in and beyond the Imminent Food Crisis: Lessons on Hand

Time	Intervention	Role	Person
14:00	Welcome and introduction to the speaker	Moderator	Atsuko Toda, Director, Agricultural Finance & Rural Development, AfDB
14:05	Keynote address: Boosting smallholder farmers' productivity to feed Africa against the looming food crisis	Speaker	Babafemi Oyewole, CEO, Pan African Farmers' Organization (PAFO)
14:30	Introduction to the panel session, setting the Scene	Moderator	Atsuko Toda
14:35	Panel discussion on incentives for increasing food production in Africa	Panelist	Babafemi Oyewole
		Panelist	Andrea Cook, Director of Evaluation, World Food Program
		Panelist	Martin Fregene, Director, Agriculture & Agro-Industry, AfDB
15:20	Q&A		All
16:00	Wrap-up and close	Moderator	Atsuko Toda

Day 3: 30 September 2022

Debt burdens and building economic resilience of African countries: Effective approaches for International Financial Institutions

Time	Intervention	Role	Person
09:30	Welcome and introduction to the presenter	Moderator	Eric Ogunleye, Division Manager (Acting), Policy Management, AfDB.
09:40	Keynote presentation: "Overview of the debt burden and African countries' resilience in the current crisis context."	Presenter	Abdoulaye Coulibaly, Director (Acting), Macro-Economics Policy, Forecasting and Research.
09:50	Introduction to panel session	Moderator	Eric Ogunleye
09:55	Panel discussion: Innovative approaches and current initiatives aimed at debt management in Africa and lessons from evaluations	Panelist	Rt. Hon. Mary Ayen Majok Deng, First Deputy Speaker, The Council of States, Transitional National Legislative Assembly, South Sudan
		Panelist	Jason Rosario Braganza, Executive Director, African Forum and Network on Debt and Development
		Panelist	Jeff Chelsky, Manager, Country Programs and Economic Management Unit (IEG, World Bank)
		Panelist	Victoria Chisala, Acting Director, Corporate Strategy and Policy
10:45	Q&A	All	
11:25	Wrap-up and close	Moderator	Eric Ogunleye

Banking on the people of Africa: Improving human and social development.

Time	Intervention	Role	Person
14:00	Welcome and introduction to the speaker	Moderator	Mouhamed Gueye, Division Manager, Human Development, AfDB
14:05	Keynote address: The impact of the recession and the inequality gap on jobs, youth, and Africa's demographic dividend	Speaker	David Huysman, Technical specialist, International Labour Organization
14:15	Introduction to the panel session	Moderator	Mouhamed Gueye
14:20	Panel discussion	Panelist	David Huysman
		Panelist	Sajilu Kamwendo, Head of Outcome & Impact Evaluation, MasterCard Foundation
		Panelist	Chido Cleopatra Mpemba, African Union Special Envoy on Youth
		Panelist	Tapera Muzira, Coordinator of the Jobs for Youth in Africa Strategy, AfDB
15:00	Q&A		
15:30	Session wrap-up and handover to the closing remarks	Moderator	Mouhamed Gueye
15:35	Closing remarks + introducing the closing presentation	Speaker	Karen Rot-Münstermann, Evaluator General, IDEV, AfDB
15:40	Presentation of the illustrations from each Evaluation Week 2022 session.	Artist, presenter	Virginie Menot, Graphic Illustrator
15:50	Close of Evaluation Week	Speaker	Karen Rot-Münstermann