



THE CORPORATE COUNCIL ON AFRICA
U.S.-AFRICA AGRIBUSINESS FORUM
JUNE 25-27, 2008 • CHICAGO, IL

INVESTING IN AGRICULTURE LINKS IN AFRICA

PROGRAM

Register today! www.africacncl.org/Events/US_Africa_Agribusiness_Forum_2008.asp

Wednesday, 25 June 2008

8:00am - 4:00pm Registration
6:00pm - 8:00pm Welcome Cocktail

Thursday, 26 June 2008

8:00am - 4:00pm Registration
8:30am - 9:45am P1. PLENARY: Agribusiness - Anchoring African Markets
9:45am - 10:30am BREAK - Networking
10:30am 12:00pm WORKSHOPS [Concurrent]
W1. African Scientists - Seeds of Growth
W2. Tree Crops - Industries Improving Supply-chains
W3. Project Finance Support from U.S. Agencies
W4. Certification to Strengthen Value-chains
W5. U.S. Agribusiness Operations in Africa - Improving Supply Risk Management
12:00pm - 2:00pm LUNCH BUFFET - Networking
2:30pm - 4:00pm WORKSHOPS [Concurrent]
W6. Expanding Dairy Markets in Africa
W7. Africa's Regional Economic Communities - Larger Markets for Investment
W8. Africa's Forestry, Carbon Trading and Climate Change
W9. Growing the Grain Industry in Africa
W10. Biofuels - Expanding Agribusiness in Africa
4:30pm - 6:00pm P2. PLENARY: Infrastructure Networks - New Investments to Build markets

Friday, 27 June 2008

8:30am - 9:45am P3. PLENARY: Commodity Markets - Shaping the Future of African Agribusiness
9:45am - 10:30am BREAK - Networking
10:30am 12:00pm WORKSHOPS [Concurrent]
W11. Business Alliances - Improving Investment Opportunities
W12. Trade Logistics - Air Cargo, Sea, Trucking
W13. Cell Phones - Improving Farmer to Market Connection
W14. Expanding Rice Production in Africa
W15. Food Security Driven by Agricultural Inputs and Farming Technology
12:00pm - 2:00pm P4. PLENARY [Closing Lunch]: Financing - Development & Challenges

Additional Workshops: Water Management • Horticulture/Floriculture • Organic Agriculture • Specialty Coffee & Foods
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