WEST AND CENTRAL AFRICA EMPLOYERS’ ORGANISATIONS CONFERENCE
CONAKRY, GUINEA
12 – 13 DECEMBER 2018

AGENDA

12 December

08:30 – 09:00
Registration

09:00 – 10:30
Opening of the Conference
- Mr Tchangi, Vice-President, National Employers’ Council of Guinea
- Mr Ousseine Diallo, Secretary-General, Federation of Employers’ Organisations of West Africa
- Mr Matthias Thorns, Director of Stakeholder Engagement, International Organisation of Employers (IOE)
- Mr Alpha Ibrahima Keira, Minister of Security and Civil Protection of the Republic of Guinea

10:30 - 11:15
Keynote speech: The Green Economy – opportunities and challenges for growth and job creation
- Mr Moustapha Kamal, Green Jobs Programme, Enterprises Department, International Labour Office (ILO)

11:15 - 11:45
Refreshment break

11:45 - 12:45
Integrating existing frameworks into national policies in West and Central Africa
Moderator: Ms Genevieve Daka, Zambia Federation of Employers (ZEF)
- Mr Carpophage Ntagungira, African Development Bank
Mr Yaya Sow, Former permanent representative of ECOWAS to the European Union

Ms Edith Iriruaga, Sustainable Development Policy Committee, Nigerian Economic Summit Group (NESG)

Mr Jean-Jacques Samba, Employers’ Interprofessional Union of the Congo (UNICONGO)

12:45 - 14:00

Lunch

14:00 - 15:30

National and business experiences in promoting a Green Economy

Moderator: Ms Domani Dore, Former minister and CEO

- Mr Oyerinde Adewale, Nigeria Employers’ Consultative Association (NECA)
- Mr Amath Ba, National Employers’ Council of Senegal
- Mr Eugene Abraham, Ghana Employers’ Association (GEA)
- Mr Edouard Ladouyou, General Confederation of Enterprises of Côte d’Ivoire
- Mr Tony Nyagah, Strauss Energy

15:30 - 16:15

Economic diversification and sustainability – which economic sectors have the highest potential for job creation?

- Mr Samuel Asfaha, Africa Specialist, ILO ACT/EMP

16:15 - 16:45

Updates related to the Sustainable Development Goals and the Green Transition

- Mr Pierre Vincensini, Senior Adviser, IOE

18:30

Official dinner organised by the National Council of Employers of Guinea (CNP-Guinée)
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