

G20 Investment Summit - German Business and the CwA Countries



Under the Patronage of Dr Angela Merkel,
Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany

October 30th, 2018

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Pariser Platz 3 · 10117 Berlin

Conference Program

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10.00 – 11.30 a.m.

Registration and Welcome Coffee

11.30 a.m.

Welcome

Prof Dr Heinz-Walter Große
Chairman
Subsahara-Afrika Initiative / Sub-Saharan Africa
Initiative of German Business (SAFRI)

Opening Keynote

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H.E. Dr Angela Merkel
Federal Chancellor
Federal Republic of Germany

Interventions of CwA-Heads of State

12.15 a.m.

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**German Direct Investment in Africa –
A new Era of German-African Business Relations**

Introduction

Dr Stefan Liebing
Chairman
Afrika-Verein der deutschen Wirtschaft /
German-African Business Association

- **Interventions of CwA-Heads of State**
- **Presentation of German Lighthouse Projects**
- **Interventions of German companies with investment projects in CwA-Countries**

Signing Ceremony

1.15 p.m.

Memoranda of Understanding
Power Purchasing Agreements

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1.15 – 2.15 p.m.	Networking Lunch Break
2.15 – 2.30 p.m.	<u>Keynote Speech</u> Hon. Dr Gerd Müller Federal Minister Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development
2.30 p.m.	Panel Discussion The Compact with Africa and Private Sector Engagement in Africa <u>Setting the Scene</u> African Minister from CwA Country - How to foster Private Sector Engagement within the Framework of the Compact with Africa? This question will be discussed with Private Sector Representatives, G20 Policy Makers and Financial Institutions. <u>Moderation</u> N.N.
3.30 p.m.	Deutscher Industrie- und Handelskammertag (DIHK)
3.30 p.m.	Panel Discussion Business Frameworks in Africa and Regional Integration <u>Setting the Scene</u> African Minister from CwA Country - What do Businesses really need from the African Partners in order to invest on the Continent? This question will be discussed with representatives of the African partner countries' relevant Ministries (e.g. Finance, Industry, Infrastructure) and potential German Investors. <u>Moderation</u> N.N.
4.30 p.m.	Bundesverband der Deutschen Industrie e.V. (BDI)

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4.30 – 5.15 p.m.

Coffee Break

5.15 p.m.

Panel Discussion

Africa's Role in Global Trade

Setting the Scene

African Minister from CwA Country /
German Federal Minister

**How can trade with Africa help to create employment
and growth on the continent?**

**What has to be done to improve the conditions
for more African global exports?**

**How can inner-African trade be fostered with the
support of the G20?**

Moderation

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6.15 p.m.

Bundesverband für Groß- und Außenhandel

6.15 p.m.

Closing

Dr Akinwumi Adesina
President
African Development Bank
