

Information, Innovation, Revolution – Africa and Germany as reflected in the Media

This event forms part of the Africa Initiative that is being implemented by the Partnership with Africa Foundation e.V. in conjunction with the Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) over a period of several years. Participants will include key players in the journalistic and media world as well as representatives of civil society organisations.

The organisers of this event are offering participants a platform to develop innovative new approaches that will lead to more civic engagement in the context of German-African partnerships while fostering balanced, well-informed and differentiated media reporting in both Germany and the African countries concerned. We are especially keen to engage with you in critical analysis of this issue from a scientific, political, economic and civil society perspective.

Programme

(as on 1 August 2013)

Tuesday, 10 September 2013

Venue: Curio-Haus, Rothenbaumchaussee 11, 20148 Hamburg

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| From 4:30 p.m. | Registration and meet & greet over coffee |
| 5:00 p.m. | Introduction to the programme Dr. Katja Böhler , Partnership with Africa Foundation e.V., Potsdam Richard Nawezi , Partnership with Africa Foundation e.V., Potsdam |
| 5:15 p.m. | Discussion We media: permanent – competent – engaged Featuring: Mac-Jordan Degadjor , blogger and social media entrepreneur, Ghana Holger Hank , DW Academy, Bonn* Rosebell Kagumire , journalist and blogger, Uganda |
| 6:15 p.m. | Presentation by German and African bloggers |
| 6:30 p.m. | Dinner |
| 7:45 p.m. | German-African story challenges |
| 9:00 p.m. | Submission of stories |
| 10:30 p.m. | Awards presented for the best stories |
| 11:30 p.m. | Event closes |

The working languages of this conference will be German and English. Translation will be provided both in the plenary and the individual working groups.