



**ISTR AFRICA REGIONAL CONFERENCE IN ACCRA
Ghana, June 20 - 23, 2017**

**Venue: University of Ghana Business School, Legon, Accra
Theme: Civil Society and Philanthropy in Africa: Contexts, Contradictions,
Possibilities**

CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Time	Session
Day 1: 20 June 2017	
16:00 – 17:30	Registration of Participants
17:30-17:45	Welcome Remarks and Keynote Introduction by Hosts (WACSI, UGBS, ISTR)
17:45– 18:30	Keynote Address: “Giving in Africa” Professor Adam Habib, Vice Chancellor and Principal, University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa
18:30 – 18:55	Comments, Questions and Answers
18:55 – 19:00	Wrap Up and Appreciation (Steven Rathgeb Smith)
19:00 – 20:00	Cocktail Reception

Day 2: 21 June 2017			
08:30 – 10:00	Community of Practice Session on Philanthropy: Perspectives from the ISTR Global Executive Board Panel Members: Anna Domaradzka (Poland), Oonagh Breen (Ireland), Ruth Phillips (Australia), and Annette Zimmer (Germany) Chair: Bhekinkoso Moyo (South Africa)		
10:00 – 10:30	Tea and Coffee Break		
10:30 – 12:30	African Traditional Giving and Philanthropy	Religious and Non-Profit Giving	African Philanthropy: The Nuts and Bolts
10:30 – 10:35	Chair’s Opening Remarks	Chair’s Opening Remarks	Chair’s Opening Remarks
10:35 – 10:55	The Paradox of Vibrant Giving in Social Relations Alongside	The Contribution of ‘Ecclesial Cooperation’ to Community	Developing Charity in a development setting:

	Apathy and Civic Relations in Local Communities in Ghana (Esi Sey, UGBS, Ghana)	Development in Cameroon (Andrew Tangang, Pan African University, Cameroun)	Ethiopia's Charity legislation 5 years on (Jennifer Beard, University of Melbourne, Australia)
10:55 – 11:15	Investigating the Clash between Primordial African Values and Western Liberalization (Ernest Ortsin, LECIAD, University of Ghana, Ghana)	Religious Philanthropy in Ghana (Titilope Ajayi, TAM Advisories Limited, Ghana)	Rhetorical Analysis of Philanthropic Fundraising Letters in a Ghanaian University (Joseph Afful, University of Cape Coast, Ghana)
11:15 – 11:35	Aftershock: AIDS, Ebola and Civil Society (Michelle Reddy, Stanford University, USA)	Fundraising for Non-Profit Organizations in Ghana (Nana Yaa Adowaa Adu, University of Florida, USA)	Africapitalism, the Rise of the African Corporation and the Changing Face of Philanthropy in Africa (Okey Iheduru, Arizona State University, USA)
11:35 – 12:05	Discussants	Discussants	Discussants
12:05 – 12:30	Plenary Discussion: Questions, Answers & Contributions	Plenary Discussion: Questions, Answers & Contributions	Plenary Discussion: Questions, Answers & Contributions
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch		
13:30 – 15:30	Ethics and Philanthropy	Service Delivery and Philanthropy	African Philanthropy: An Evolving Landscape
13:30- 13:35	Chair's Opening Remarks	Chair's Opening Remarks	Chair's Opening Remarks
13:35 - 13:55	Civil Society Organizations and the Ethics of Development Intervention in Africa (Prof. Jonathan Makuwira, Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University, South Africa)	Enabling access to energy through Innovative Stakeholder Partnerships (Kenneth Fullerton, Sustainable Development Consultant, South Africa)	Charity Organizations in Africa, Vectors of Neo-colonialism and Imperialism: The case of Cameroon (Benard Nsai, Pan African University, Cameroon)
13:55 - 14:15	Ethical Underpinnings of Corporate Social Responsibility Protocol (Prof. Raymond Osei, University of Cape Coast, Ghana)	Assessing Philanthropic Issues in Civil Society Organizations to support Education in Ghana (Kenneth Aikins, University of Cape Coast, Ghana)	Responding to Institutional Pressures of Changing Funding Modalities: Domestic Resource Mobilisation Strategies of Ghanaian NGDOs (Emmanuel Kumi, Centre for Development Studies, University of Bath, UK)
14:15 – 14:35	Boys Scouts: A Case Study on Philanthropy (Dr. Doris Essah, University of Ghana, Ghana)	Job Segregation in Volunteer Labor in Belgium: An Analysis based on the ILO Survey Measurement of Volunteer Work.	A Critical Assessment of the Nexus of NGOs, Development, Aid and Dependency in Post-Cold War Africa: The Case of Ghana

14:35 - 15:05	Discussants	(Lesley Hustinx, ISTR, Belgium)	Kwamina Panford, Northeastern University, USA
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15:30 - 16:30	Plenary Discussion: Questions, Answers & Contributions	Plenary Discussion: Questions, Answers & Contributions	Plenary Discussion: Questions, Answers & Contributions
15:30 - 16:30	Moving Forward		
Day 3: 22 June 2017			
08:30 - 09:20	Lightning Talks: Promoting an African Philanthropic Culture		
08:30 - 08:35	Opening Remarks by Chair		
08:35 - 08:45	1: Foundation Perspective on African Philanthropy		
08:45 - 08:55	2: Technology and African Philanthropy		
08:55 - 09:05	3: High Net-worth Individuals and Philanthropy		
09:05 - 09:35	Group Discussions		
09:35 - 10:05	Group Reports and Discussion		
10:05 - 10:20	Tea and Coffee Break		
10:20 - 12:30	Panel: WACPODIS		
10:20 - 10:30	Chair's Opening Remarks		
10:30 - 11:30	Panel Presentations		
11:30 - 12:20	Discussions and Q&A		
12:20 - 12:30	Concluding Remarks		
12:30 - 13:30	LUNCH		

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13:35 – 13:55	A Household Survey of Philanthropy of Givers in Kenya: A Profile of Kenyan Givers (Maureen Omondi, Aga Khan Foundation East Africa, Kenya)	Beneficiaries' Context of Sustainability of Child Labour Monitoring System Project in Ghana: A Case of Oasis Foundation International (Selorm Akaba, University of Cape Coast, Ghana)	What happens where the cargo berths? Philanthropy and healthcare development in Nigeria (Chukwuma Okoli, University of Nigeria, Nsukka & Godfrey Okoye University, Nigeria)
13:55 – 14:15	Non-Governmental Organisations and Child Care Provision for Orphaned and Vulnerable Children in Ghana (Serwaa Afrifa, University of Ghana, Ghana)	Philanthropy and Impact Measurement: Contradictions and Possibilities (Ruth Simsa, ISTR, Austria)	Changing the Face of Policy Development in a Democratic Developmental State: The Case of Think Tanks in Ghana” (Theresa Darko, University of Ghana Business School, Ghana)
14:15 – 14:35	Resistance or Inclusion: Interrogating the Issues and Problems in State-Civil Society Relations (Arinze Ngwube)	How to learn about how we do Social Accountability in the Context? A Methodological Approach based on Experiences in Latin America and Africa (Yeukai Mukorombindo, Paula Chies Schommer, ISTR, Brazil and Florencia Guerzovich)	Exploring the Entrepreneurship Landscape in Ghana To Support a New Social Enterprise Policy (Gordon Adomdza, Ashesi University, Ghana)
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15:00 – 17:00	FAB-MOVE: Social Enterprises on the Move for a Better Tomorrow		
15:00 – 16:00	Presentations		
	a) Overview and Introduction: Annette Zimmer		
	b) Stocktaking of Knowledge on Social Enterprise: Anna Domaradzka		
	c) Spotlight on Spain and Lessons Learned: Ruth Simsa		
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17:15 – 17:30	Moving Forward and Closing Remarks (Bhekinkosi Moyo)		
18:30 – 20:30	Dinner and Cultural Night		