



Programme

Regional Integration, Artificial Intelligence and Pan-African Architecture

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08 July – 09 July 2026

University of Dar es Salaam, Mwalimu Nyerere Mlimani Campus
Dar es Salaam, Tanzania

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Wednesday, 08. July 2026

- 08:30 am **Arrival and Registration**
All participants
- 09:00 am **Welcome Address**
Prof. Dr. Thoko Kaime
TGCL Project Leader, University of Bayreuth
- Peter Koch**
Resident Representative, KAS Tanzania
- Dr. Laurean L. Mussa**
Dean, School of Law, University of Dar es Salaam
- Prof. Rose A. Upor**
Deputy Vice Chancellor Academic, University of Dar es Salaam
- 10:00 am **Tea Break and Group Photo**
All Participants
- 11:00 am **Setting the Stage: Round of Introduction and a Word**
Dr. Francis Sabby
Head, Department of Private Law, University of Dar es Salaam



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- 11:20 am **Handing Over the Regional Integration Catalyst Award**
Prof. Dr. Thoko Kaime
TGCL Project Leader, University of Bayreuth
- 11:30 am **Keynote Address (Guest of Honor)**
Dr. Joseph Nyansiro
Manager for Information System Quality Assurance, Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA)
Traversing the Major Milestones in AI-Governance in Tanzania: Do Startups Have a Place in this Evolution?
- 12:30 pm **Provocateur**
Dr. Leonard Peter Binamungu
Senior Lecturer, CoICT and Principal Investigator, RG-LST
AI and Data Governance in Pan-African Perspective: Is Africa a Participant or Spectator?
- 01:30 pm **General Discussion**
All Participants
- 02:00 pm **Lunch**
All Participants
- 03:00 pm **Panel 1 – Lived Realities: Opportunities and Challenges for Startups in the Digital Era**
Dr. Cecilia Edward Ngaiza
Dada Wakili Model
- Adv. Neema Magimba**
Sheria Kiganjani
- Mr. Shadrack Wattai**
Amatics Technology Ltd.
- Mrs. Doreen Kaijage**
The Launchpad Tanzania
- Chair:**
Dr. Isabelle Zundel
University of Antwerp
- 04:00 pm **General Discussion**
All Participants



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04:30 pm

Panel 2 – Addressing the Elephant in the Room: Labor Mobility and Skill Recognition in the EAC

Prof. Khoti C. Kamanga

School of Law, University of Dar es Salaam

Dr. Petro Protas

TGCL, University of Dar es Salaam

Dr. Belinda Chepchumba Rop

School of Law, University of Dar es Salaam

Dr. Nelson Otieno

Munyao, Muthama & Kashini Advocates

Chair:

Mr. Phillipp Bogensperger

TGCL Manager and PhD Researcher, University of Bayreuth

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05:30 pm

General Discussion for Day One Panels and Announcements

All Participants

Thursday, 09. July 2026

08:30 am

Arrival and Registration

All Participants

09:00 am

Panel: 3 – The Legal Framework for AI Governance in Tanzania and East Africa: Is it Responding to East African Existing Challenges?

Adv. Pascal Mshanga

Secure Tech Attorney

Adv. Fatma Songoro

Victory Attorneys

Dr. Nickson Filbert Kahimba

Research Group on Law Society and Technology (UDSM)

Chair:

Hon. Judge Dr. Lillian Mongella

High Court of Tanzania, Moshi Registry

09:45 am

General Discussion

All Participants



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10:15 am

Panel 4: The Pan-African Architecture on Regional Integration and the Adoption of AI Technology

Dr. Leonard Peter Binamungu

CoIST and RG-LST

Dr. Antidius Kaitu

School of Law, University of Dar es Salaam

Ms. Velena Clemence

RG-LST

Chair:

Dr. Veronica Gabriel Buchumi

University of Dar es Salaam

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11:15 am

General Discussion

All Participants

11:30 am

Panel 5: Constitutionalism and Political Federation in the East African Community

Prof. Alexander Makulilo

University of Dar es Salaam

Prof. Thoko Kaime

TGCL Project Leader, University of Bayreuth

Dr. Idd Ramadhani Mandi

School of Law, University of Dar es Salaam

Adv. Grace Nafula Sitati (virtual)

University of Bayreuth

Chair:

Dr. Victoria Melkisedeck Lihiru

Open University of Tanzania

12:30 pm

General Discussion

All Participants

01:00 pm

Lunch

All Participants



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02:00 pm

Two Way Opportunities: What is in Place for East Africa and Europe?

Ms. Pendo Ringo

Delegation of German Industry and Commerce for East Africa (AHK)

Rene Brosius (virtual)

University of Bayreuth

Chair:

Ms. Lilian Masalu

TGCL

03:00 pm

General Discussion

All Participants

03:30

Closing the Workshop

All Participants

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