



African Development Bank Group

Africa's Transformation and Strategy for Growth Speaker: African Development Bank's President

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Since 21st century, the Africa's transformation has been growing. The major theme of the Tokyo International Conference on Africa's Development (TICAD) V to be held in June, 2013, is to strengthen the partnership between Africa and Japan to achieve the sustainable economic growth, inclusive and sustainable social development and peace and security. All of these are for the Bank's vision for ten years which is thus Africa's vision.

In order to strengthen the Africa's economic development through the inclusive growth and the transition to green growth, it is crucial to focus on private sector development, infrastructure, agriculture, energy and food security, human development, good governance and regional integration. Currently, there is also an urgent need to strengthen the human capital development to contribute to the Africa's future. Hence, United Nations University, African Development Bank and University of Tokyo are working on creating a new project called "Education for Sustainable Development in Africa (ESDA)" to support youth and employment and diminish the skills gap between the education sector and labor market needs.

This conference is organized by United Nations University, African Development Bank and University of Tokyo.



President Kaberuka

There is a session from the President Kaberuka to speak about the Africa's vision in terms of business needs, and expectation from Africa towards Japan how to strengthen the cooperation and partnership. We therefore welcome participants who are interested in Africa's future and its sustainable development.

If you wish to attend the seminar, please send your application (your name, affiliation, title, and contact details including telephone/mobile number and email address) to to tokyo.pr@afdb.org, by Jun 2^{nd} , 2013. We will send you a booking confirmation after your application is received.

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