Smart Africa Meetings at the sidelines of ICANN83
9 – 13 June 2025 | Prague.

Full Provisional Agenda

09 June 2025 (15:30 to 16:45) | Room South Hall. 1 GAC Africa Meeting For online Participation	
Time	**Activity**
15:30 – 15:35	Introduction, **by ICANN** Opening Remarks, **By Lacina KONE, Smart Africa** Director General CEO
15:35 – 15:50	Blueprint Implementation Progress: A clearer understanding of the development of the Blueprint, including timelines and deliverables Erik **Almqvist** , **SenseStrategy**
15:50 – 16:00	Coordination Platform for GAC Members: Agreement on the creation of CAIGA and Progress., **By Thelma Quaye, DISE Smart Africa**
16:00 – 16:15	Ad-Hoc Committee Work Restitution: A comprehensive update on the Ad-Hoc Committee's efforts, **Molehe Wesi SAA Adhoc Committee Chair**
16:15 – 16:40	Q/A
16:40 – 16:45	Closing Remarks, **By Smart Africa**

11 June 2025 (10:00 – 13:30) | at Small Theatre detail-premises | Prague Congress Centre [praguecc.cz] (Groundfloor) *Smart Africa Internet Governance Working Group Meeting, Moderate by Smart Africa*	
Time	**Activity (Moderation : Smart Africa)**
	Arrival and Registrations
10:00 – 10:10	Opening Remarks • Kurtis Lindqvist, ICANN CEO • M. Lacina KONE, SMART AFRICA **CEO**
10:10 – 10:15	Family photo
	Blue Print Report Review and Stakeholder Mapping
10:15 – 10:45	**Erik Almqvist , SenseStrategy :** Presentation: Update on the current status of the Blueprint report, including key insights, progress made, and areas requiring attention. ▪ Discussion: Review of the stakeholder mapping and identification of any missing key players or updated roles. ▪ Next Steps: Presentation of the roadmap for upcoming deliverables and timeline adjustments based on feedback.
10:45- 11;15	**Q&A and Feedback:** Open floor for questions and suggestions to finalize the Blueprint approach. (Part 1)
11:15- 11:30	Break, All participants (15mns)
11:30- 11:45	**Erik Almqvist , SenseStrategy:** Experts' Recommendations on the Blueprint Deliverables and Content ▪ Q&A and Feedback: Open floor for questions and suggestions to finalize the Blueprint approach. (Part 2) ▪ Action Points: Prioritize recommendations to be integrated into the final Blueprint deliverables and Seek guidance from ICANN for the public comments process ▪ Expected Outcome: Clear understanding of expert recommendations, with agreed actions for incorporating them into the final Blueprint deliverables.
	Finalization of CAIGA Documents for Official Launch at TAS2025

11:45-12:15	▪ Smart Africa Expert: Presentation (**By Thelma Quaye, DISE SMART AFRICA**): Review of the current draft CAIGA (Council of African Internet Governance) documents, highlighting sections requiring refinement. ▪ Discussion: Final edits and alignment with African internet governance objectives. ▪ Finalization: Group consensus on any necessary amendments and approval of the documents for the official TAS2025 launch. ▪ Action Points: Establish responsibilities for any outstanding tasks related to the finalization of the documents. ▪ Expected Outcome: Fully finalized and polished CAIGA documents, ready for presentation and launch at TAS2025.
12:15-12:30	Participants: Q&A
Working Group Members Updates and perspectives regarding the Blue Print and CAIGA	
12:30-13:00	**Panel Discussion:** <u>Moderator</u> : Burkina Faso or Benin (Country) <u>Panelistes</u> : ICANN CDA (Laurent Ferrali), AUC, UNECA, REC (EAC))
Summarize and Closing remarks	
13:00-13:20	**Smart Africa:** ▪ Summarize key decisions and outcomes from the session ▪ Review immediate next steps, roles, and responsibilities ▪ Confirm timeline and responsibilities for delivering the finalized documents and reports before TAS2025
13:20-13:30	**Smart Africa,** Closing remarks,

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