

THE AUTOMOTIVE FORUM AT IATF2023



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12 November 2023

Day 1

- 09h50- 10h00 **Welcome to the Auto Forum at IATF2023**
- 10h00- 11h00 **Session 1 – Sustainability and the Power Train Evolution in Africa**
In Parallel
- 09h00 – 11h00** **CLOSED BREAKFAST SESSION.**
INVITED HEADS OF STATE AND GOVERNMENT, AUTOMOTIVE
SECTOR CEO's AND KEY STAKEHOLDERS ONLY
- 11h15 – 11h25** **Opening Remarks**
- 11h25 – 12h30** **Session 2 - Round Table.**
High level Round Table on the automotive sector with invited heads of
state and captains of industry
- 12h30 – 13h30** **Session 3 – Africa's Emerging Automotive Industry and Value Chain
Development.**
Part 1 - Presentation on value chain research findings that underpin
Africa's auto opportunities & panel discussion on developing and linking
sustainable automotive value chains in Africa
- 13h30 – 14h15** **Finger lunch in the exhibition area**
- 14h15 – 15h30** **Part 2 - Hub Countries Implementing auto policies - status and learnings**

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- 15h30 – 16h30 **Session 4 – The AfCFTA.**
Part 1 - The status of continental implementation of the AfCFTA
Part 2 - Implementation of the Continental Automotive Strategy
- 16h30 – 16h35 **Wrap up of Day 1**
- 16h45 - **Networking event** *sponsored by the VDA.* Exhibition walk through and B2B/ B2G meetings

End of Day One

13 November

Day 2

- 08h55 **Welcome to the Auto Forum at IATF2023 - Day Two**
- 09h00 – 10h00 **Session 5 - Driving Demand.**
Part 1 - Affordable Mobility Solutions
- 10h00 – 11h00 **Part 2** - Access to affordable Vehicle Asset Finance (VAF)
- 11h00 – 11h30 **Tea/Coffee in exhibition area**

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- 11h30 – 12h30 **Part 3** - Used and grey vehicle imports – the reality, the journey and the opportunity in a just transition
- 12h30 – 13h30 **Session 6 - Automotive Supply Chains.**
Part 1 – Industrialising the African spare parts industry and optimising the auto supply chain corridors
- 13h30 – 14h15 **Finger lunch *in exhibition area***
- 14h15 - 15h15 **Part 2 - Africa's Game Changer** - Mineral transformation and the development of the mineral value chain
- 15h15 – 15h30 **Wrap up and close the Auto Forum.**
- 15h30 - Exhibition visit and B2B/B2G meetings

End of Day Two