

Africa Science Buskers Festival 2022

EVENT SCHEDULE

Wednesday, 27 July 2022 – Opening Ceremony & Panel Sessions

08:00am – 9:45am **Registration & Project Set-Up**

10:00am - 10:10am **Entertainment**

10:00am - 10:20am **Welcome Remarks**

- **Mrs A. Duve**, *Principal*, Forward In Faith Christian College
- **Knowledge Chikundi**, *Founder*, Africa Science Buskers Festival
- **Paula Golden**, *President*, Broadcom Foundation

10:20am - 10:30am **Congratulatory Remarks for Finalists**

- **Professor Sir Peter Ratcliffe**, *2019 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine Recipient*
- **Professor Stanley Whittingham**, *2019 Nobel Prize in Chemistry Recipient*
- **Susan Cash**, *Charge d’Affaires*, Australian Embassy Harare
- **Professor Saurabh Sinha**, *Deputy Vice-Chancellor*, University of Johannesburg
- **Meredith Morris**, *Partnerships Lead*, Rise
- **Professor E.O. Ekwueme**, *Pro Vice-Chancellor*, Arrupe Jesuit University
- **Luo Hui**, *Director General of Department of International Relations*, China Association for Science & Technology (CAST)

10:30am - 10:40am **Shout-Outs**

10:40am - 11:10am **“It Can Be Done” – Featuring Zimbabwean ISEF 2022 Finalists**
Tanaka Chirara, Ruvarashe Moyo, Memory Bvungo and Nyaradzo Mutiti

11:10am – 11:40am **Keynote Address**

- **Dr. Henry Samueli**, *Chairman*, Broadcom Inc

11:40am - 12:00pm **VIP Project Tour**

12:00pm - 1:00pm **Lunch break**

1:00pm - 2:00pm **Polygence Mentorship – Panel Session**

- **Dr. Lulie El-Ashry**, *Head of Mentoring*, Polygence
- **Queen Elizabeth High School Students: Samantha Kaseke, Shammah Tayengwa & Ruvarashe Mutama**

2:00pm - 2:30pm **Creating Opportunities – Lecture**

- **Nikki Blythe-Wood**, *Founder*, Mukana

2:30pm - 3:00pm **Day One Closing Remarks**

Thursday, 28 July 2022 – Project Interviews, Workshops and College and Career Fair

9:00am - 11:00am **Interviews for Finalists**

11:00am - 3:00pm **College and Career Fair – Presentations and Interaction**

- University of British Columbia
- Bindura University of Science Education
- York University
- Calvin University
- The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
- University of Windsor
- King's University College

12:00pm - 12:30pm **Lunch**

12:00pm - 2:00pm **Talks and Workshops**

12:45pm – 1:05pm **Sicelo Dube**, *Founder*, Elevate Trust, LEC Biotec

1:10pm – 3:00pm **Aluwaine Manyonga**, *Developer*, Chigubhu Lantern

Virtual Lecture Series

6:00pm – 6:30pm **Dr. George Philip LeBourdais**, *Head of Partnerships*, Polygence

6:30pm – 7:00pm **Prof. Raja GuhaThakurta**, *Chair of Astronomy & Astrophysics*, UCSC

7:00pm – 7:30pm **Mary Eileen Wood**, *Founder*, TISSEF

7:30pm – 8:00pm **Sudharsan Varatharajan**, *CEO*, Bversity

Friday, 29 July 2022 – Closing and Awards Ceremony

10:00am - 10:10am **Closing Remarks, Knowledge Chikundi**

10:10am - 12:00pm **Special and Grand Awards Presentation**

12:00pm **Departure**

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