



Cotonou
2026

African Actuarial Congress



AGENDA





KEY THEMES AND SESSIONS

23 March 2026

Building stronger insurance systems in Africa

SESSION	TIME SLOT	SUBJECT	WHO
	07:30 - 09:00	Welcome desk	
1	09:00 - 10:00	Opening ceremony	
2	10:00 - 10:30	Coffee break	
3	10:30 - 11:00	Introduction to the IAA, Membership Assistance Committee and the Africa Subcommittee.	Mike Lombardi, Neil Tagoe
4	11:00 - 11:45	Presentation on actuarial landscape in Africa.	Moderator Neil Tagoe Chairs of African Actuarial Associations
5	11:45 - 12:30	AADA: Building Africa's next generation of actuaries.	Moderator Samuel Cywie. Panelists: Yeside Kazeem, Yvonne Palm.
6	12:30 - 14:00	Lunch	
7	14:00 - 15:00	Transition to Risk-Based Solvency (RBS) regime	Erwann Borgat
8	15:00 - 16:00	Transition to Risk Based Solvency (RBS) regime <i>Panel discussion</i>	Moderator Mohamed Afifi. Panelists from CIMA, Ghana, Kenya, Morocco and South Africa.
9	16:00 - 17:00	Challenges of implementing IFRS 17 in various African insurance markets <i>Panel discussion</i>	Moderator Guillaume Moussa. Panelists from CIMA, Ghana, Kenya and South Africa.
10	19:00 - 21:30	Gala Dinner & Award best papers Fr & Eng	

Master of Ceremony : Rokhaya Kandji

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Driving innovation and inclusion in African insurance

SESSION	TIME SLOT	SUBJECT	WHO
1	8:30- 8:45	Wake up welcome by the Chair of APSA	Landry Degla
2	8:45 - 10:00	Understanding inclusive insurance: Distribution channels, Pricing challenges, and Actuarial Trade offs	Asier Achutegui Lisa Morgan
3	10:00 - 10:30	Coffee break	
4	10:30 - 11:00	The eco-system of inclusive insurance in Morocco	Leila Ahnach
5	11:00 - 12:30	Roundtable with some InsurTechs: Challenges & opportunities for Africa	Moderator Michael Kofi Andoh. InsurTechs: Agrikalpay, Assuraf, Grupi, Maisha Poa, Pula, Yelen Fintech
6	12:30 - 14:00	Lunch	
7	14:00 - 14:45	Can actuaries lead the way for a sustainable insurance development in Africa ?	Arpita Das
8	14:45 - 15:30	Building Africa's climate resilience: Challenges, opportunities and innovation	Asmaa Jabri
9	15:30- 16:30	Index-Based Insurance for risk management in agriculture	Elias Omondi
10	16:30 - 16:45	Presentation of the International Congress of Actuaries 2029 in Nairobi	Jay Kosgei
11	16:45 - 17:00	Closure	Landry Degla

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