



HACSA SANKOFA SUMMIT & HERITAGE EXPERIENCE 2023
KEMPINSKI HOTEL GOLD COAST CITY, ACCRA
MONDAY, 24th July 2023

PART ONE: OPENING CEREMONY
8:30am to 11:00am

Morning Coffee: Networking, Launch of Exhibition and Visiting of Vendor Booths

Musical interlude by Winneba Youth Choir

Welcome Adowa dance by Atitirew Cultural Troupe

Opening Prayer by Reverend John Oquaye

Welcome Address: by Ambassador Johanna Svanikier, Founder & President, HACSA Foundation

Musical Interlude by Winneba Youth Choir

Official signing of MOU between HACSA Foundation and TAF College

Sankofa Young Leaders Fellowship induction ceremony

Keynote Address: Honourable Samia Nkrumah

Presentation of HACSA Lifetime Achievement Awards and Group Portraits Photo Session

Farewell Adowa Dance by Atitirew Cultural Troupe

Musical Interlude and Recession by Winneba Youth Choir and Special Invited Guests

Coffee Break: Networking, Visiting of Exhibitions and Vendor Booths



PART TWO: PLENARY SESSION

11:00am - 12.30pm

Panel Discussion 1: 'How to Source Finance & Investment for Innovation in Africa'

Keynote Speaker: Thomas Svanikier, Advisory Board Chair, Fidelity Bank Ghana

Panelists:

1. Dr. Peter Akwaboah, MD & COO, Operations, Technology and Firm Resilience, Morgan Stanley
2. Donna Gambrell, Chairperson, Opportunity Finance Network
2. Yaw Asamoah, Former Managing Director of J.P.Morgan and Chase & Board Member, CBG
3. Inez Long, Founder & CEO, Black Business Investment Fund
4. Danielle Ayet Ehouo, Executive Board Member, FIN'Elle

Moderator: Atta Gyan, Deputy Managing Director, Fidelity Bank Ghana

Q&A Session

Keynote: Heritage and Identity H.E. Daniel Graces Carabali, Ambassador of Colombia to Ghana

Lunch Break: Visiting of Vendor Booths and Dining in Papillon Restaurant, Kempinski Hotel

PART THREE PLENARY SESSION

1:30pm - 4:00pm

Panel Discussion 2: How to Navigate a Successful Career in the Creative Arts

Keynote Speaker: Adjetey Anang, Award Winning Actor

Speakers:

1. Edward Asafu-Adjaye, Co-Founder, Afro Future (previously Afrochella)
2. Rita Benissan, Royal Umbrella Archivist & Founder, Si Hene
3. Paul Ninson Founder & CEO, Dikan Center

Moderator: Henrika Amofo, Gallery Executive, ADA Gallery

Q&A Session

Panel Discussion 3: How to use Artificial intelligence as a Game Changer in Africa

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Angel Acosta, Founder and Chair, Acosta Institute

Speakers:

1. Eugene Tawiah, Founder & CEO, SecondSTAX
2. Rev. Johnnie Oquaye, Founder, TAF College
3. Felix Seyfarth, Founder, Seyfarth Consulting
4. Sabrina Martinelli, CEO, Covington & Associates CPAs Inc.

Moderator:

Patrick Quantson

Q&A Session



Closing Ceremony: Recap and Vote of thanks by MC and Closing Prayer by Dr. Lillian Boyce