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PROGRAMME

CONFERENCE 2019



**“AFRICAN DIPLOMACY IN A STATE OF COMPLEX GLOBAL UNCERTAINTY:
CRITICAL THREATS, LEVERAGING OPPORTUNITIES AND MEETING
CHALLENGES THROUGH AFRICAN SOLUTIONS”**



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DAY TWO

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08:00
Arrival of Guests

08:30 – 09:00
Registration

09:00 – 09:15
Opening Remarks

09:15 – 10:30
Key Note Address
Maximizing African Diplomacy for African Solutions
in an Uncertain and Volatile Global Order

10:45
Group Photograph

10:45 – 11:15
Signing Ceremony: Memorandum of Agreement – Formalization
of the Forum for African Diplomacy

11:45 – 13:00
Plenary 1:
Report-back and Outcomes presentations from the 2018 Meeting

Overview of report back

13:00 – 14:00
Lunch

14:00 – 15:30
Plenary 2: Unilateralism, Rising Nationalism and Militarization of
Foreign Policy in the Global Order: A Pan African Response

15:30 – 16:00
Summary of Plenaries

16:00 – 16:30
Tea (Networking)

17:30 – 20:30
Gala Dinner

09:00 – 10:30
Plenary 3:
The Global Economy and its Disruptors:
African Responses for Growth and Development

10:30 – 11:00
Tea

11:00 – 12:00
Plenary 4:
Science, Technology and Innovation (STI) Diplomacy
in the Age of the 4th Industrial Revolution:
Africa's Readiness

12:00 – 13:00
Lunch

13:00 – 15:00
Plenary 5:
Current Trends in Teaching Diplomacy:
Critical Competencies for a VUCA World

15:00 – 15:30
Summary of Plenaries

16:00 – 16:15
Conference Resolutions

16:15 – 16:30
Closing Remarks and Way Forward
(Forum for African Diplomacy)

