KOREA-AFRICA SUMMIT
GGGI SIDE EVENTS
4TH JUNE 2024, 10:00 – 13:30 (KST)
KINTEX, 217-60, KINTEX-RO, ILSANSEO-GU,
GOYANG-SI, GYEONGGI-DO, GRAND BALLROOM

PROGRAMME
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The Korea-Africa Summit 2024 is an inaugural event aimed at fostering mutual, beneficial, and sustainable long-term relations between Korea and Africa. The Global Green Growth Institute (GGGI), in line with its vision to promote green growth, is set to hold two pivotal High-level Forums on the sidelines of the Korea-Africa Summit 2024. The high-level Forums offer a platform for mutual, beneficial, and sustainable long-term cooperative relations between Korea and Africa, facilitating their partnership and new opportunities to pave the way for green growth in Africa. The Forums will discuss access to green, climate finance and plastics sustainability.
SIDE EVENT #1

HIGH-LEVEL FORUM ON ACCELERATING ACCESS TO GREEN AND CLIMATE FINANCE FOR AFRICA: PIONEERING KOREA-AFRICA PARTNERSHIP
June 4, 2024 | 10:00 - 12:00 KST

10:00 - 10:05 OPENING REMARKS
H.E. Ban Ki-Moon, President of the Assembly and Chair of the Council, GGGI

10:05 - 10:10 WELCOMING REMARKS AND SETTING THE SCENE
H.E. Dr. Sang-Hyup Kim, Co-Chairperson, Presidential Commission on Carbon Neutrality and Green Growth, Republic of Korea

10:10 - 10:13 SPECIAL REMARKS
H.E. Josefa Sacko, African Union Commissioner for Agriculture, Rural Development, Blue Economy, and Sustainable Environment (ARBE)

10:13 - 10:18 SPECIAL REMARKS
H.E. Assahore Konan Jacques, Minister of Environment, Sustainable Development And Ecological Transition, Republic of Cote d’Ivoire (Video)
H.E. Matia Kasaija, Minister of Finance, Planning and Economic Development, Republic of Uganda

10:18 - 10:20 GROUP PHOTO

10:20 - 10:50 PRESENTATIONS
1. Case of Africa: Forest Restoration, Agroforestry, and Nature-based Approaches - Experience and Opportunity
   Presented by H.E. Dr. Nemera Gebeyehu, State minister of the Ministry of Planning and Development, Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia

2. Case of Korea: Climate finance, Korea’s Contribution to Sustainable Finance and Cooperation with Africa
   Presented by Mr. Sungsoo Jung, Director General of EDCF Evaluation & Operation Review Department, Korea Eximbank

10:50 - 11:00 PANEL DISCUSSION:
ACCELERATING ACCESS TO GREEN AND CLIMATE FINANCE FOR AFRICA

Panelists
H.E. Ahmed Shide, Minister for the Ministry of Finance, Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia
H.E. Nialé Kaba, Minister of Economy, Planning and Development, Republic of Cote d’Ivoire
Dr. Soo-il Kim, Director General, Future Forest Strategy Department, National Institute of Forest Science, Republic of Korea
Mr. Tae Seon Park, Executive Director of Agricultural Infrastructure Project Division, Korea Rural Community Corporation (KRC)

Moderated by
Mr. Okechukwu Daniel Ogbonnaya, Country Representative, GGGI Ethiopia

11:30 - 11:35 CLOSING REMARKS
H.E. Eng. Collins Nzovu, Minister of Green Economy and Environment, Republic of Zambia (Video)

11:35 - 12:00 Networking Break
HIGH-LEVEL FORUM ON ENHANCING SUSTAINABILITY AND GLOBAL COLLABORATION ON PLASTICS
June 4, 2024 | 12:00 - 13:30 KST

12:00 - 12:05  OPENING REMARKS
Dr. Frank Rijsberman, Director-General, GGGI

12:05 - 12:10  WELCOMING REMARKS
H.E. Dr. Jeanne d’Arc Mujawamariya, Minister of Environment, Republic of Rwanda (Video)
H.E. Roger Baro, Minister of Environment, Water and Sanitation, Burkina Faso (Video)

12:10 - 12:15  KEYNOTE SPEECH
Prof. Seok-Wan Kim, President of the Korea Society of Waste Management

12:15 - 12:35  PRESENTATIONS
1. Plastic Treaty Highlights and Key Sustainable Practices
   Presented by Hyungsup Lee, Deputy Director General of International Cooperation Bureau, Ministry of Environment, Republic of Korea
   Overview of the Plastic Pollution Treaty, its implications, and key sustainable practices highlighted during negotiations.

2. Building Global Partnerships for Phasing Out Plastic Pollution
   Presented by Dr. Dukwoo Jun, Lead, Circular Economy Community of Practice and Trust Fund Coordinator, GGGI
   Presentation of innovative examples of technological and investment collaboration models in plastic sustainability.

12:35 - 13:20  PANEL DISCUSSION
Panelists
Dr. Jimmy Gasore, Minister of Infrastructure, Republic of Rwanda
H.E. Jiwoh Emmanual Abdulai, Minister of Environment and Climate Change, Republic of Sierra Leone
Prof. Seok-Wan Kim, President of the Korea Society of Waste Management
Mr. Harsen Nymbe Nyambe, Director, Sustainable Environment and Blue Economy Directorate, AU Commission
Ms. Olola Vieyra, Country Representative, GGGI Cote d’Ivoire

Moderated by
H.E. Hyoeun Jenny Kim, Ambassador and Deputy Minister for Climate Change, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Republic of Korea

13:20 - 13:25  GENERAL CLOSING REMARKS
Ms. Helena McLeod, Deputy Director-General, GGGI