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# LAUNCH OF THE MOVEAFRICA INITIATIVE

*Moving Goods & Facilitating Trade*

11 May 2016  
Serena Hotel, Kigali, Rwanda

## PROGRAMME

**Moderator: Mr. Hubert Danso, CEO Africa Investor (Ai)**

**7:30 - 8:00: REGISTRATION**

**8:00 - 8:45: WELCOME AND STATEMENTS**

➤ **WELCOMING STATEMENT**

- Dr. Ibrahim Assane Mayaki, *CEO NEPAD Agency (6 min)*
- Logistics Documentary : Enabling the environment for the Movement of Goods and Facilitating Trade on the Continent (5 min)

➤ **OPENING REMARKS**

- H.E Mrs. Fatima Haram Acyl, *AUC Commissioner for Trade and Industry (5 min)*
- Mr. Tony O. Elumelu, *Chairman of Heirs Holdings & founder of The Tony Elumelu Foundation (6 min)*
- Ms. Mizinga Melu, *Chief Executive: Regional Management; Barclays Africa (6 min)*
- Dr. Akinwumi Adesina, *President African Development Bank (6 min) (tbc)*

***Breakfast served***

**9:15 – 10:45: OPEN DISCUSSION**

- Quick wins on unlocking barriers to trade facilitating and easing movement of goods

**Panel-One:**

- Mr. Geoffrey White, *CEO Agility Africa (5 min)*
- Dr. Stefano Arganese, *Chief Executive Officer, DHL Freight Central Eastern Southern (5 min)*
- Ms Arancaha González, *Executive Director, International Trade Centre (5 min)*
- Mr. Hiroshi Kato, *Vice-President, Japan International Cooperation Agency (5 min)*
- Mr. Yonov Fred Agah, *Deputy Director General, World Trade Organisation (5 min)*

**\*\*\*\*Interventions from the floor\*\*\*\*****Panel-Two:**

- H.E President Paul Kagame, *President of Rwanda (tbc)*
- Mr. Jeffrey S. nemeth, *President & CEO Ford Southern Africa (5 min)*
- Mr Sergio Mujica, *Deputy Secretary General, World Customs Organisation (5 min)*
- Ms Gugu Mtetwa, *Board Member, DBSA (5 min)*

**10:45 – 10:55 Next Steps**

- Ms Amanda Basi, *Director, Global African Investment Summit*
- Mr. Symerre Grey-Johnson, *Head, Regional Integration, Infrastructure and Trade, NEPAD Agency*

**10:55 – 11:10 Concluding Remarks and Vote of Thanks**

- Dr. Ibrahim Assane Mayaki, *CEO NEPAD Agency*