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SIXTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PUBLIC MANAGEMENT, POLICY AND DEVELOPMENT

Achieving Sustained Development in Africa's Sub-Regions
through Excellence in Public Policy and Management,
Civic Participation, and Economic Empowerment

June 15-22, 2007

Kampala, Uganda, East Africa

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CONFERENCE MISSION

The Mission of this conference is to strengthen and promote public sector leadership in sustainable development of communities. This mission will be achieved via the exchange of research and knowledge, ideas and proposals, experiences, and best practices among public/private professionals, NGOs, and academicians.

CONFERENCE FOCUS

The conference focus will be to emulate the interconnection philosophy elaborated on in Thomas Friedman's book, *The World is Flat*. Workshop and panel presentations should show that government policy and administration do impact innovation, globalization, and sustained development. The discussions should show how civil society and business entrepreneurs can be beneficiaries with government in development.

PLENARY SESSIONS

- A. Regional Governance and Economic Compacts with Kenya and Tanzania
- B. Successful Policies and Techniques for Dealing with HIV/AIDS Disease
- C. Impact on Continental and Country Sovereignty by NEPAD, AU, USA, EU, and others



Modern downtown government and commercial buildings in Kampala

TRACT I

Business Development and International Trade

Defining the relationship between global trade and finance, venture capital, entrepreneurship, regional and international trade, government economic and tax programs and their impacts on development at all levels of public and private entities

TRACT II

Citizenship Democracy, Peace, and Human Rights

Emphasizing the role played by civil society and non-governmental organizations with impact on policies dealing with human rights issues, conflict resolutions, peace building, and the rule of law

TRACT III

Decentralization, Governance, and Civil Service Reform

Devolving political and administrative processes, transparency and accountability, governance reform, and financial management reform

TRACT IV

Education, Culture, Youth, Gender, and Development

Wholly developing human capital, appreciating art and music, developing linkages between traits, knowledge, beliefs, values, and gender

TRACT V

Health, Poverty, and Public Policy

Discussing health care policy and resource allocation, health technology, preventable diseases, including HIV/AIDS, that impact development

TRACT VI

Infrastructure and Transportation

Integrating physical and social infrastructure needs and priorities, leveraging resources, investing, privatization, multi modal transportation, and joint ventures

TRACT VII

Natural Resources, Food Security, Self Sufficiency

Reviewing policy innovations in forests and water management, policy and effect of international trade in achieving food security, and other factors of environmental and natural resources management

TRACT VIII

Public Safety, Terrorism, and Disaster Management

Reducing the vulnerability of individuals and communities to loss of life and property from natural or man made hazards and disasters.

TRACT IX

Technology, E-Governance, and Sustainable Development

Utilizing science, computers, and other technology infrastructure for sustainable development

Africa's Sub-Regions through Excellence in Participation, and Economic Empowerment

CALL FOR PAPERS AND PANELS

The Program Committee invites you to submit an abstract proposal that addresses issues listed in one of the nine tracks. The abstract should be one page, double spaced and include your name, title, telephone, and e-mail address. If the abstract proposal envisions a panel discussion, submit contact information of all proposed presenters.

Submit your abstract via-email to each of the Peer Review Panelists below. You will be informed by Professor Valentine if it is accepted for participation. Fully developed accepted abstracts may be published in the Proceedings Booklet. We highly encourage you to submit an abstract before January 20, 2007.

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	Inclusive*	Single Hotel Room**
Group A	\$3,600	\$600
Group B	\$4,200	N/A
Group C	\$4,450	\$400
Group D	\$4,350	\$400

*Inclusive costs include tourist airfare, airport transfers, associated ground transportation, double hotel occupancy with breakfast, basic travel insurance, and registration fees. Costs will change if fares/rates/fees change. Airline upgrades are available.

PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

June 15

Depart New York JFK Airport

June 16

Tour of Kampala City and Village of Tombs
Evening reception and music concert

June 17

Uganda Management Institute Forum
City tour, evening reception, and music

June 18

Educational tour of Jinja City, Lake Victoria, and Nile River

June 19-21

Conference Plenary and Workshop Sessions each day from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Conference ends June 21 with Working Group Sessions. Evening receptions daily.

June 21

*Group A...*Departs for USA in late evening

*Group B...*Departs late afternoon for Rwanda Tour then to USA on June 22 in the evening

June 22

*Group C...*Departs in afternoon for Tanzania then to USA on June 24 in the evening

*Group D...*Departs in afternoon for Kenya then to USA on June 24 in evening

Tanzania-Kenya tours can be arranged successively at cost



Conference planners meet with Ugandan Prime Minister

CONFERENCE LEADERSHIP AND PLANNING COMMITTEES

Organizing Partners: *Makerere University Business School and Consortium for International Management, Policy and Development*
Conference Advisor: *Professor Apollo Nsibambi, Prime Minister of The Republic of Uganda*

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