



TENTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PUBLIC MANAGEMENT, POLICY AND DEVELOPMENT



1997 – South Africa, 1999 – Ghana, 2001 – Ethiopia, 2003 – Mozambique, 2005 – Senegal,
2007 – Uganda, 2009 – Ghana, 2011 – Liberia. 2013 - Namibia

“Ideals and Practice of Governance in Sub-Saharan Africa”
June 23 – 26, 2015
Livingstone, Zambia, Southern Africa



CIMPAD

IDEALS AND PRACTICE OF GOVERNANCE IN SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA

CONFERENCE MISSION

The mission of this CIMPAD 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, NGO's and academicians.

CONFERENCE FOCUS

The Conference focus is effective governance in Sub-Saharan Africa. At the theoretical level, we will explore the challenges and issues related to building effective and efficient governmental and nongovernmental institutions. At the practical level, the conference seeks to provide information about the application of best practices in pursuit of effective governance in an African context.

PLENARY SESSIONS

- A. Measuring and monitoring governance
- B. Strengthening governance through collaborative partnerships to address national and global problems
- C. Discussion of the government's efforts to improve public health in Namibia

PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

JUNE 19

(Pre-conference in Lusaka)
Development of Successful Customer Service Culture

JUNE 21

City Tour and Victoria Falls
Livingstone , Welcome Reception

JUNE 22-24

Plenary, panel and workshop sessions each day from 8:00 am to 4 pm.

JUNE 25

Community Service Day

JUNE 26

Youth Conference

JUNE 27

Groups 1 and 2 - Depart for USA in afternoon





Planning meeting in Lusaka with Dr. Msiska (seated, second from right), Secretary of the Cabinet and Honorary Conference Chair and his staff with CIMPAD and ZSPA board members

PAPER PRESENTATIONS AND MASTER CLASSES

MASTER CLASS TOPICS	PRELIMINARY TRACTS FOR PAPERS AND POSTERS
Leadership	Decentralization, civil service reform and the challenges for local governance
Performance Management	Gender and youth development and empowerment, social inclusivity and effective governance
Information Management	Responsive governance through technology, e-governance, improved infrastructure and transportation
Financial Management	Natural resources, mining, food security, self-sufficiency and disaster preparedness and management
Strategic Planning for Organizations	Governance, non-governmental organizations, community organizing and local government and planning
Human Resource/Talent Management	Health, poverty, education and public policy, business, entrepreneurship and trade, human resource/talent management
	Citizen involvement, democracy, peace and human rights as components of effective governance
	Cultural Exchange (expression of working together through the arts)

CALL FOR PAPERS AND PANELS

The Program Committee invites you to submit an abstract that addresses issues listed in one of the eight tracts. 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 other proposed Presenters.

SUBMIT YOUR ABSTRACT VIA E-MAIL TO:

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