



ANNUAL PLANNING 2024

RESEARCH

FACT-SHEETS

- Circular Economy in Kenya & Uganda
- Food processing & machinery in Nigeria
- Education in Botswana

RESEARCH INSIGHTS

- Trends to watch: Climate Action & Transformation
- Trends to watch: Skilled labour
- Trends to watch: Circular Economy
- Trends to watch: Healthcare

SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BOARD

- EU-AU-trade
- Diversification of global value chains
- Regional integration
- Investment promotion and financing

**PUBLIC
AFFAIRS**

TOPICS

- Skilled Labour
- Diversification
- Climate & Energy
- Follow-up Compact with Africa
- Global Value Chains
- Geopolitical Change

COMMUNITY

**EXPERT
CIRCLES**

- Automotive
- Circular Economy
- Energy
- Healthcare
- Public Affairs
- South Africa
- Supply Chains / Logistics

**WORKING
GROUPS**

- Education & Qualification
- Financing

**WOMEN
IN POWER**

The AVWIP - International Network of Women in Business is a platform for ambitious and committed women for networking, inspiring and for exchange.

**indeed
Africa!**

The Young Business Network is an initiative which aims to support the next generation of businesses & managers in Germany and in Africa.

EVENTS

January
22nd

10th German-African Agribusiness Forum (GAAF) - Berlin

May
14th

90th Anniversary Afrika-Verein - Hamburg

May
15th - 16th

17th German-African Energy Forum (GAEF) - Hamburg

June
19th

9th German-African Healthcare Forum (GAHF) - Frankfurt

October
7th

11th German-Nigerian Business Forum (GNBF) - Lagos

October
(tbc)

3rd German-African Forum on Vocational Training & Education (TVET) - Berlin

November
6th - 7th

Africa Trade & Invest meets Managing Risk in Africa - Frankfurt

December
2nd - 4th

5th German-African Business Summit (GABS) - Nairobi

DELEGATION TRIPS

February
26th - March 1st

Uganda & Kenya
Circular Economy

March
25th - 29th

Nigeria
Food processing & machinery

June
10th - 14th

Botswana
Education

September 9th
- 12th

Mozambique
Maritime Economy

ANNIVERSARY YEAR - AV TURNS 90!

CAMEROON

9th

AV partners

Roundtable Cameroon

(Berlin & online)

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SCIENCE

9th

AV exclusive

Meeting Scientific Advisory Board

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EDUCATION & QUALIFICATION

17th

AV partners

Parliamentary Breakfast

with Rainer Semet, MP

(German Bundestag)

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AGRI-BUSINESS FORUM

22nd

AV hosts

10th German-African Agribusiness Forum

in cooperation with German Agribusiness Alliance (Berlin)

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TEAM

25th - 26th

AV Team

Off-Site in Potsdam

EXCLUSIVE

31st

AV exclusive

Board meeting

(Berlin)

NORTH AFRICA

31st

AV partners

New Year's Reception

in cooperation with North Africa Middle East Initiative of German Business (Berlin)

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FEBRUARY

EXCLUSIVE 2nd *AV exclusive*
New Year's Briefing with the Group of African Ambassadors
 in cooperation with
 Commerzbank (online)
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KENYA
UGANDA
EXCLUSIVE 5th *AV exclusive*
Webinar for the participants of the business mission to Kenya and Uganda
 (online)
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MOROCCO 12th *AV partners*
Round Table on doing Business in Tanger-Tetouan-Al Hoceima
 in cooperation with the Chamber of CCIS - TTA (Berlin & online)
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eppelsheim@afrikaverein.de

KENYA 13th *AV exclusive*
Roundtable with the Kenyan Minister of Labour and Social Protection, Hon. Ms. Florence Bore,
 (Berlin & online)
 contact: nitardy@afrikaverein.de

FINANCE 15th *AV community*
Webinar on Liquidity Issues in Africa
 in cooperation with ICAP Africa and ETM Analytics (online)
 contact: polomka@afrikaverein.de

TRADE FAIR
CAMEROON 17th - 24th *AV partners*
Promote
 in cooperation with Sipua Consulting (Yaoundé)
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FEBRUARY

TANZANIA	18th	<i>AV exclusive</i> Roundtable with Tanzania 's Minister of Defence and National Service, Hon. Stergomena Tax (Munich) <i>contact: nitardy@afrikaverein.de</i>
EDUCATION	20th	<i>AV input</i> Inspire Project Closing Event - Co-Creation: Forging Success in Skills and Labour Mobility Partnerships (Brussels & online) <i>contact: kunert@afrikaverein.de</i>
UGANDA KENYA CIRCULAR ECONOMY	26th February - 1st March	<i>AV mission</i> Uganda & Kenya - Circular Economy (BMWK-Geschäfts- anbahnungsreise Uganda & Kenia Kreislaufwirtschaft) <i>contact: nitardy@afrikaverein.de</i>
STARTUP	27th	<i>AV network "indeed Africa!"</i> Digital get-together of "indeed Africa! The Young Business Network" (online) <i>contact: annan@afrikaverein.de</i>
AFRICA	28th	<i>AV partners</i> Africa in a small circle in cooperation with wvib Schwarzwald AG (Switzerland) <i>contact: kunert@afrikaverein.de</i>
BOTSWANA BUSINESS	29th	<i>AV partners</i> Exploring SADC - Botswana in cooperation with AHK South Africa, Advance Austria, Swiss Hub & BITC (online) <i>contact: polomka@afrikaverein.de</i>

FEBRUARY

EAST AFRICA

tbc

AV partners

Business Outlook 2024

in cooperation with Eastern Africa Association (online)

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MARCH

**AV-WOMEN
IN POWER**

1st

AV network "Women in Power"
**Gender diversity & inclusion
management as a successful
business strategy**
(online)
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ENERGY

4th

AV partners
Exchange on Energy
in cooperation with Federal
Foreign Office
(Berlin)
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**EXCLUSIVE
LOGISTIC /
SUPPLY
CHAINS**

5th

AV exclusive
**Expert Circle Supply Chains /
Logistics**
(Hamburg & online)
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eppelsheim@afrikaverein.de

FORUM

6th

AV partners
**8th German-African Business
Forum North Rhine-Westphalia**
(Dortmund)
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**NIGERIA
EXCLUSIVE**

7th

AV exclusive
**Webinar for the participants of
the market exploration trip to
Nigeria**
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MARCH

EXCLUSIVE
CIRCULAR
ECONOMY

12th

AV exclusive
Expert Circle Circular Economy
 in cooperation with ReTech (online)
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ZIMBABWE

14th

AV exclusive
Post-election special Zimbabwe
 with H.E. Udo Volz - German Ambassador to Zimbabwe (online)
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CONFERENCE &
TRADE FAIR
ETHIOPIA

14th - 16th

AV partners
Made in Germany (MiGA)
 (Addis Ababa)
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BUSINESS

18th

AV partners
Africa Now - Expert Talk on German-African Economic Relations
 in collaboration with SAFRI & UNIDO (Berlin)
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HEALTH

19th

AV exclusive
Expert Circle: Healthcare and Pharma
 (online)
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MARCH

LIBYA

19th

AV meets

Round Table with German Ambassador to Libya -

Political trends & business outlook in Libya (Online)

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NIGERIA
FOOD
PROCESSING &
MACHINERY

25th - 29th

AV mission

Nigeria

(BMWK Markterkundungsreise Nigeria - Maschinen- & Anlagenbau / Lebensmittelverarbeitungs- & Verpackungsmaschinen)

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APRIL

RESEARCH INSIGHTS 11th *AV partners*
Survey results & analyses on Africa as a diversification location
 in cooperation with KPMG (Munich)
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POLITICS 11th *AV "Africa Insight"*
Political Breakfast Spotlight West Africa
 (Berlin)
contact: voss@afrikaverein.de

EXCLUSIVE EDUCATION 15th *AV exclusive*
Working Group: Education & Qualification
 (Berlin & online)
contact:
kunert@afrikaverein.de

SME 17th *AV (SME) Seminar*
Foreign assignment of employees - Basics of tax and social security law
 in collaboration with WTS Legal (online)
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GHANA 17th *AV input*
Ghanaian-German Economic Association (GGEA)
 in collaboration with the International Trade Centre (online)
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**CONFERENCE &
TRADE FAIR
MOZAMBIQUE**

17th - 18th

AV partners

**9th Mozambique Mining &
Energy Conference &
Exhibition (MMEC)**

(Maputo)

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EXCLUSIVE

23rd

AV partners

Ambassador's Reception

in cooperation with

Subsaharan Africa Initiative of
German Business (Berlin)

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BUSINESS

23rd

AV partners

**Africa consulting vouchers of
the Business Network Africa
(WNA)**

in cooperation with GreenTec
Capital (online)

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**EXCLUSIVE
FINANCE**

24th

AV exclusive

**Working Group: Finance in
Africa**

(online)

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MAY

EXCLUSIVE	14th	<i>AV exclusive</i> Board meeting (Hamburg) <i>contact:</i> oldenburger@afrikaverein.de
EXCLUSIVE	14th	<i>AV exclusive</i> General Assembly (Hamburg) <i>contact:</i> oldenburger@afrikaverein.de
CELEBRATION!	14th	<i>AV celebrates</i> 90th Anniversary Afrika-Verein (Hamburg) <i>contact:</i> nitardy@afrikaverein.de
ENERGY FORUM	15th - 16th	<i>AV hosts</i> 17th German-African Energy Forum (Hamburg) <i>contact:</i> kunert@afrikaverein.de
EXCLUSIVE CIRCULAR ECONOMY	28th	<i>AV exclusive</i> Expert Circle Circular Economy and TVET in cooperation with ReTech (online) <i>contact:</i> abalo@afrikaverein.de
BOTSWANA	tbc	<i>AV exclusive</i> Webinar for participants of mission to Botswana (online) <i>contact:</i> polomka@afrikaverein.de

BOTSWANA
EDUCATION

10th - 14th

AV mission

Botswana - TVET

(BMWK Geschäftsanbahnungsreise
Botswana - TVET)

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EXCLUSIVE
DIGITAL TRANS-
FORMATION
CYBERSECURITY
KENYA

4th

AV exclusive

**Expert Circle: Digital
Transformation & Cybersecurity
meets Kenya**

(Berlin & online)

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HEALTH
FORUM

19th

AV hosts

**9th German-African Healthcare
Forum (GAHF)**

(Frankfurt)

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EXCLUSIVE
SOUTH AFRICA

tbc

AV exclusive

Expert Circle South Africa

(Johannesburg)

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POLITICS

tbc

AV "Africa Insight"

Political Breakfast

(tbc)

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JULY

AUGUST

SEPTEMBER

MOZAMBIQUE
MARITIME
ECONOMY

9th - 12th

AV mission

Mozambique - Maritime Economy

(BMWK Markterkundungsreise Mosambik - Hafenwirtschaft)

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FINANCE

23rd - 24th

AV partners

Investment Management Exhibition (IME)

(Frankfurt)

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SEVERAL
AFRICAN
COUNTRIES

tbc

AV meets

x Roundtable with German Ambassadors

in the framework of Federal Foreign Office's BokoWita (AV Office Berlin & online)

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AUTOMOTIVE

tbc

AV meets

Side Event

"IAA Transportation"

(tbc)

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EXCLUSIVE

tbc

AV exclusive

Board Meeting

(tbc)

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OCTOBER

SUMMIT	2nd	<i>AV partners</i> 4th Economic Summit Africa in cooperation with IHK Stuttgart and Ministry of Labor and Tourism of Baden-Wuerttemberg (Stuttgart) <i>contacts: abalo@afrikaverein.de apfelbacher@afrikaverein.de</i>
NIGERIA FORUM	7th	<i>AV partners</i> 11th German-Nigerian Business Forum (GNBF) (Lagos) <i>contact: apfelbacher@afrikaverein.de</i>
ANGOLA MINING & RAW MATERIALS	11th	<i>AV hosts</i> Information event Angola Mining & Raw Materials (BMWK Informationsveranstaltung, Frankfurt) <i>contact: polomka@afrikaverein.de</i>
SME	tbc	<i>AV (SME)</i> Seminar (online) <i>contact: kunert@afrikaverein.de</i>
AFRICA	tbc	<i>AV partners</i> 7th Global Partnership for African Development Forum in cooperation with LEAD Africa International e.V. <i>contact: annan@afrikaverein.de</i>
POLITICS	tbc	<i>AV "Africa Insight"</i> Political Breakfast (tbc) <i>contact: rambach@afrikaverein.de</i>

OCTOBER

EDUCATION

tbc

AV hosts

**3rd German-African Forum on
Vocational Training & Education
(TVET)**

(Berlin)

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NOVEMBER

**TRADE
INVEST
SECURITY
FORUM**

6th - 7th

AV hosts

**Africa Trade & Invest meets
Managing Risk in Africa**
(Frankfurt)

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DECEMBER

FORUM

2nd - 4th

AV partners

**5th German-African Business
Summit (GABS)**

(Nairobi, Kenya)

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OUTLOOK

**AGRI-BUSINESS
FORUM**

January
tbc

AV hosts

**11th German-African
Agribusiness Forum**

in cooperation with German
Agribusiness Alliance (Berlin)

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