



7th Edition
**DIASPORA AFRICA
CONFERENCE**

“
Homecoming:
Bridging the Divide
from **Diaspora** to
Africa's Future”



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**11TH - 18TH
OCTOBER, 2026**

WHERE GLOBAL CAPITAL MEETS THE HEARTLAND OF AFRICAN INDUSTRIALIZATION.

Join us for the **7th Edition** of the **Diaspora Africa Conference**, where visionary leaders, entrepreneurs, policymakers, and investors unite to shape Africa's economic future.

This conference is a bridge connecting the diaspora to unparalleled opportunities in Africa's key sectors.

"A transformative experience where ideas turn into investments and partnerships thrive."

📍 **Location:** Lagos, Abuja & Accra

📅 **Lagos, Nigeria: 11th - 13th October 2026**

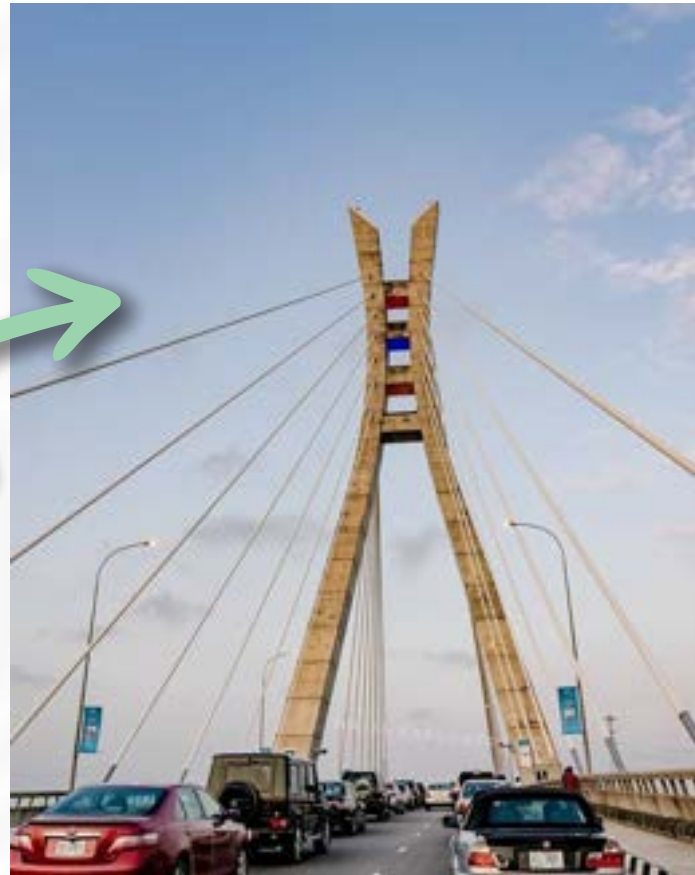
Abuja, Nigeria: 14th - 16th October 2026

Accra, Ghana: 17th - 18th October 2026

📄 **Register now at:**

www.diasporafricaconference.com





THE EVOLUTION

The Journey: Following the milestone **6th Edition** in **Houston, Texas**, DACON returns to the continent.

The Narrative: For years, we built the bridge in the West. Now, we cross it. Lagos 2026 is the moment where "**Remittances for Consumption**" officially transition into "**Capital for Production**."

The History: Nigeria, the continent's largest economy, has emerged from a period of deep structural reform. 2026 is the year of Consolidation, where the first waves of sustainable growth are becoming bankable.



THE CAPITAL MARKET BIG BANG:

The Largest listing in
African History

THE CAPITAL MARKET

"BIG BANG" (NGX & IPOs)

THE ASSET

1

The Dangote Factor: 2026 marks the historic Initial Public Offering (IPO) of the Dangote Petroleum Refinery, valued at **\$20B-\$25B**. This is the largest listing in African history.

THE HEDGE

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Investment Hook: Dividends will be payable in Naira or US Dollars, backed by the refinery's projected \$6.4B annual export revenue a perfect hedge against currency volatility.

THE ALIGNMENT

3

NNPC Partnership: State oil firm NNPC holds a 7.25% stake, ensuring high-level government alignment and security.





THE DIGITAL RENAISSANCE (IDICE & AI)

1

The iDICE Program:

Direct participation in the **\$617 Million** "Investment in Digital and Creative Enterprises" program

2026 Fund Launch:

The Federal Government is launching two new vehicles: a **Creative Sector Fund** and a "**Fund of Funds**" designed to de-risk smaller diaspora-led venture funds.

2

3

Tech Hub Dominance:

Lagos remains Africa's tech capital, hosting over **1,600 startups**. 2026 focuses on "Embedded Credit" and "AI-driven AgTech."



PRIORITIZING VALUE ADDITION OVER RAW EXPORT



AGRO-INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION (SAPZ)

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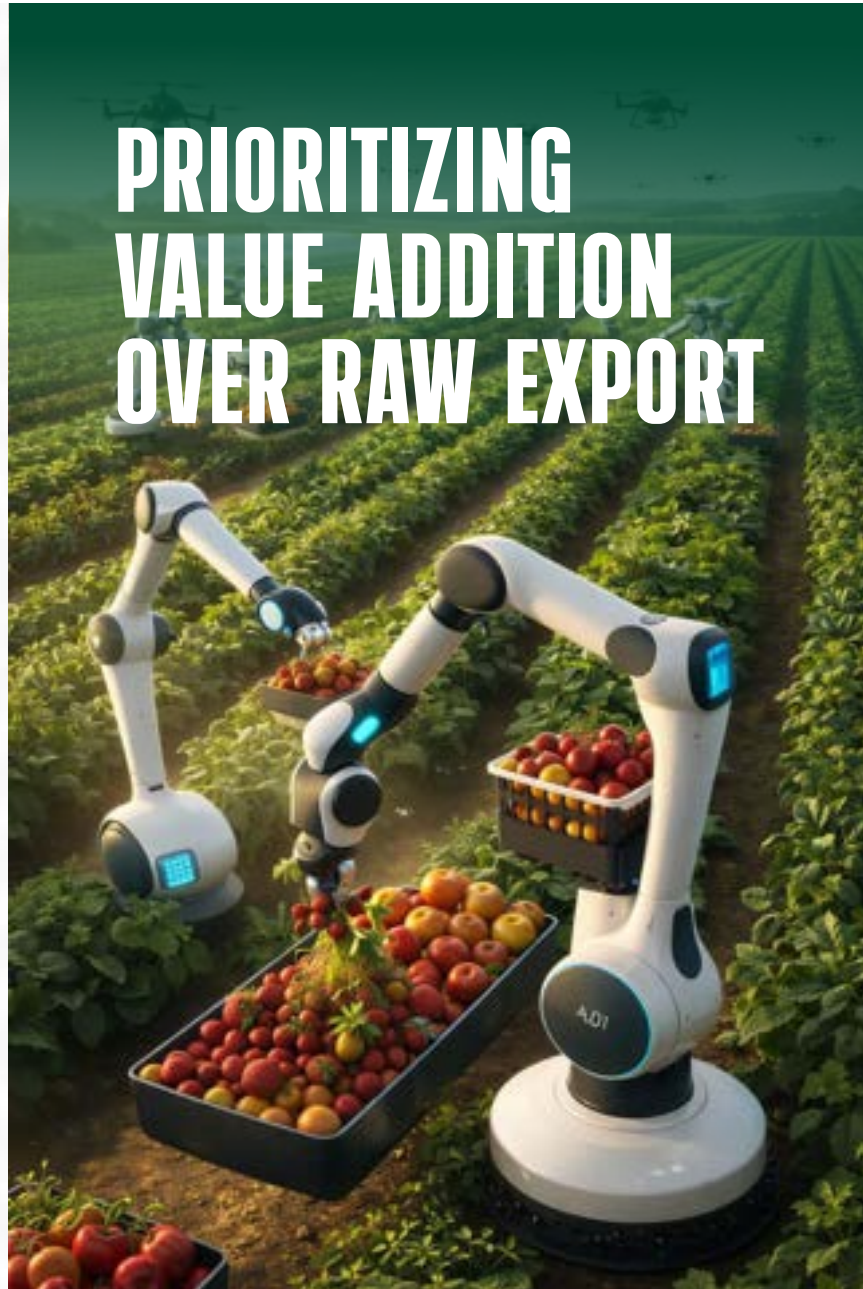
Detailed alignment with the **\$1.107 Billion SAPZ Phase II** program targeting ten states, including Anambra, Delta, and Ekiti

The Impact:

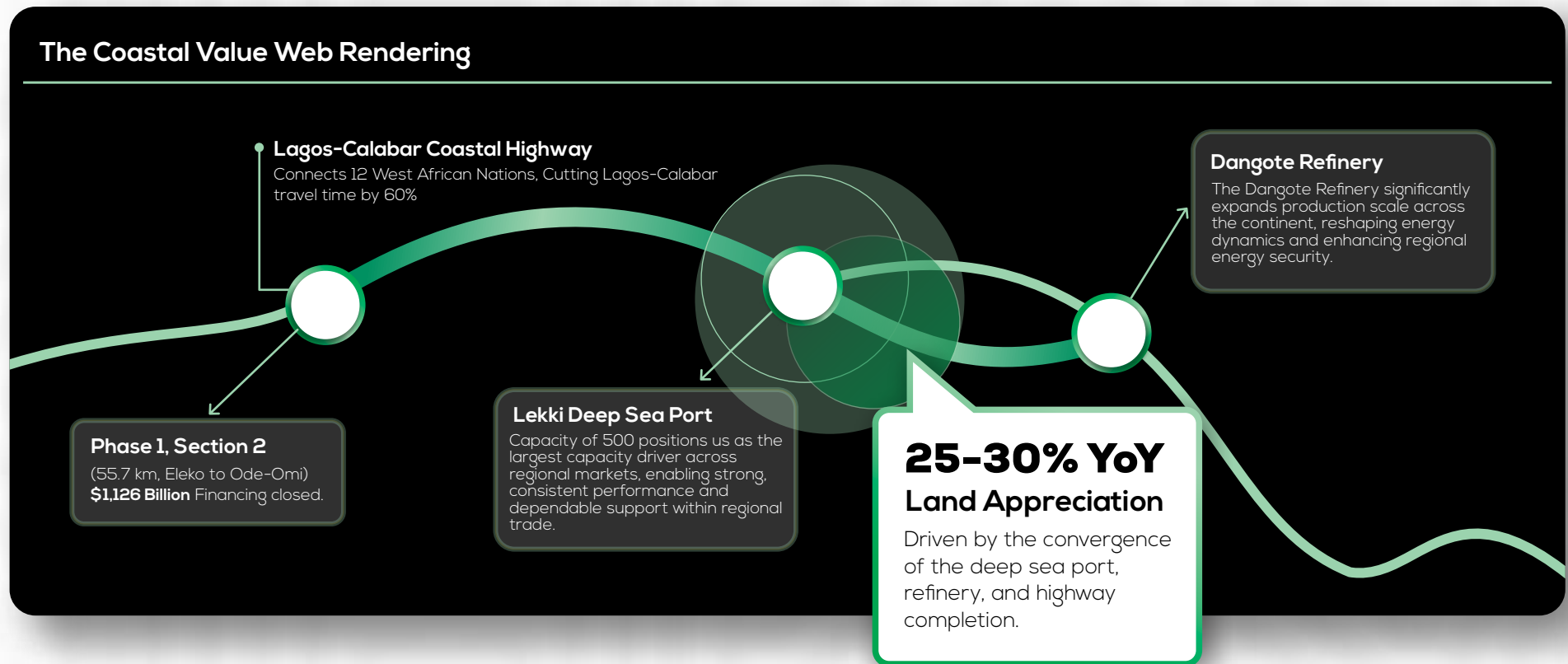
Projected creation of **2 Million Jobs** and the irrigation of **2,300 Hectares** for high-value crop processing.

Incentives:

5-year pioneer tax holidays and 0% duties on processing machinery for companies operating within the Special Agro-Industrial Processing Zones.



THE COASTAL VALUE WEB: UNLOCKING WEST AFRICA'S PRIMARY LOGISTICS ARTERY





THE "DEAL ROOM"

(The Technical Advantage)

1

THE INNOVATION

A dedicated on-site hub for **Non-Resident Biometric Verification Number (NRBVN)** registration.



THE SOLUTION

This solves the #1 barrier for diaspora investment. Within **72 hours**, delegates can obtain a Financial identity, open bank accounts, and trade on the NGX.



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3

DIRECT ACCESS

Every delegate leaves the conference with a bankable Nigerian identity and an active investment portfolio.



POLICY & GOVERNMENT LIAISON



Dedicated legal clinics designed exclusive to ensure seamless fund repatriation and absolute asset safety diaspora capital.

The Story:

"Investment with Protection."

Partners:

On-site "Policy Clinics" featuring **NIDCOM** (Nigerians in Diaspora Commission) and the **AICL**.

The Legal Framework:

African Descendants Citizenship Bill by AFRIDU regulatory framework to ensure fund repatriation and asset safety.





DIASPORA AFRICA CONFERENCE: NIGERIA OVERVIEW

Theme: "Homecoming: Bridging the Divide from Diaspora to Africa's Future"

Location: Lagos, Abuja and Accra

Dates: 11th – 18th October, 2026

THE PLATFORM

The Diaspora Africa Conference in Nigeria is a powerful platform designed to showcase innovation across sectors essential to Africa's progress. By focusing on high-impact areas, the conference aims to unlock opportunities and drive Africa-led development.

INNOVATIVE SECTORS SHAPING THE DIASPORA

Real Estate and Agriculture:

The city's expertise in these sectors can be leveraged to address food security and urban development challenges in Africa. Panels and discussions can explore best practices and investment opportunities.

Renewable Energy: Africa's expanding solar, wind, and hydro-power projects are transforming energy access. Investment opportunities are growing, supporting sustainable development and economic growth across the continent.

Agriculture: The agricultural sector is ripe for innovation, from organic farming to Agritech solutions, with opportunities to improve productivity, training, and market access.

Education: Transforming education to address poverty through practical, skills-based learning, quality education in rural areas, and innovative programs that equip youth for the future of work.

Oil & Gas: Unlocking local energy production, refining, and bolstering cross-border trade for economic growth.

Healthcare and Wellness: Opportunities in Africa's growing health-tech sector, driven by innovation in telemedicine, AI, and mobile health.

Creative Economy: Unlocking Africa's creative potential through investments in fashion and digital arts for global reach and cultural impact.

TARGET AUDIENCE

Executive Leaders: CEOs, CFOs, and top-level decision-makers across sectors.

Entrepreneurs & Innovators: Business founders and startup leaders exploring new frontiers.

Investors & Venture Capitalists: Those interested in Africa's high-growth markets and ROI.

Government & Policy Makers: Officials shaping economic strategies and international partnerships.

Diaspora Changemakers: African leaders in the diaspora driving development and innovation.





EXPECTED OUTCOMES

- **Strategic Networking:**
Build powerful connections that foster business growth.
- **Logistical Gateway:**
Leveraging Nigeria's position as a major trade and travel hub to facilitate business deals, trade agreements, and cultural exchange.
- **Investment Opportunities:**
Directly connecting African entrepreneurs with deep pools of capital from private and institutional investors.

WHY YOU SHOULD ATTEND

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- Gain insight into untapped markets and high-growth sectors critical to Africa's future.
 - Engage in discussions and collaborations that will shape the future of development.
 - Connect with influential investors, policymakers, and industry leaders.
 - Play a role in driving sustainable growth and creating jobs in emerging markets.
 - Discover groundbreaking solutions driving transformation in key sectors.



DIASPORA AFRICA CONFERENCE: EXPECTED OUTCOMES:

The Diaspora Africa Conference is designed to deliver tangible outcomes:

01



STRATEGIC NETWORKING:

Build powerful connections that foster business growth.

02



KNOWLEDGE SHARING:

Gain valuable insights from industry leaders and policymakers.

03



INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS:

Unlock potential investment deals and collaborations.

04



POLICY ADOCACY:

Influence policies that support Africa's economic expansion.

Join us in **LAGOS, ABUJA & ACCRA** for a transformative conference that will inspire, connect, and empower the **African Diaspora** to drive positive change across the continent.



OUR TARGET AUDIENCE

This conference attracts a high-impact audience, including:

- **C-Suite Executives:**
CEOs, CFOs, and decision-makers
- **Entrepreneurs & Startups:**
Business leaders and founders seeking opportunities
- **Investors & Venture Capitalists:**
Those interested in Africa's high-growth sectors
- **Government Officials & Policymakers:**
Influencing the future of Africa's economy
- **Diaspora Leaders & Innovators:**
Driving development from abroad





OUR JOURNEY SO FAR

The Diaspora Africa Conference (DACON) has evolved into a traveling premier summit, specifically designed to bridge the gap between the global African diaspora and the continent's growing economic sectors.

Here is a summary of the most recent and upcoming editions:

1. Houston, USA (February 2026) The most recent **6th Edition** was held at The Ion, Houston's innovation hub. *

Theme: "Innovation, Industry Leadership, and Strategic Investment."

Focus: It emphasized the **"Diaspora Pledge,"** moving beyond simple remittances toward structured impact investing in fintech, healthcare, and the energy transition.

Outcome: Forged high-level partnerships between U.S.-based CEOs and Pan-African stakeholders from Ghana, Kenya, and Uganda.

2. Nairobi, Kenya (August 2025) The **5th Edition** served as a strategic "gateway" for investors looking at East Africa's "Silicon Savannah."

Focus: Digital labor mobility and the "Talent Export" model. Discussions centered on how the diaspora can invest in platforms that upskill African youth for global AI and tech roles.

Highlights: Included a "Deal-Making in Action" pitch session for vetted startups and a Gala Night at the Pan Pacific.

3. Accra, Ghana (December 2025) While part of the broader DACON circuit, this event aligned with the Government of Ghana's Diaspora Summit 2025.

Theme: "Resetting Ghana: The Diaspora as the 17th Region." *

Focus: A major push for reparative justice and the formal institutionalization of the diaspora into Ghana's national development architecture.

Key Pillar: Moving from "Return" (Year of Return) to "Partnership," recognizing the diaspora as a permanent economic and political constituency.

4. Zanzibar, Tanzania (February 2024) This edition was a 4-day immersive experience at the Golden Tulip Zanzibar Resort.

Focus: "African Renaissance through the African Diaspora."

Style: It blended high-level networking with cultural immersion. Sessions focused on real estate investment and the "Blue Economy," utilizing Zanzibar's unique position as a trade hub.

Would you like me to find the specific registration details or keynote speaker lists for the upcoming 2026 Events?



PARTNER WITH THE FUTURE OF AFRICA

The **Diaspora Africa Conference** (DACON) is set to host its next groundbreaking editions in **Lagos, Abuja & Accra**, bringing together influential Leaders, Global Investors, Policymakers, and innovators from across the African Diaspora.

We invite forward-thinking organizations, brands, and institutions to be part of this transformative movement.

THIS IS MORE THAN JUST A CONFERENCE, IT IS A PLATFORM TO:

- Showcase your brand to a global audience
- Connect with high-level decision-makers and investors
- Position your company at the forefront of Africa's economic growth
- Build strategic partnerships across continents

In addition, participating companies will have the exclusive opportunity to be **featured in the upcoming edition of the Diaspora Africa Magazine**, a premium publication Spotlighting Excellence in Business, Innovation, Wealth, and Lifestyle across the African Diaspora.

WHY PARTICIPATE?

- Premium brand visibility across international markets
- Direct access to diaspora investors and stakeholders
- Thought leadership positioning through speaking and media features
- Coverage in a globally distributed magazine

Join us as we continue to drive innovation, investment, and collaboration between Africa and the world.

Be Seen. Be Heard. Be part of the Movement Shaping Africa's Future.



FOR PARTNERSHIPS, SPONSORSHIPS, AND
FEATURE OPPORTUNITIES, CONTACT US TODAY.



SPONSOR PARTICIPATION ACTIVATIONS

Sponsors participating in **DACON 2026** may optionally activate a POP-powered audience engagement campaign tied to the conference experience. Leading up to, during, and after the Event, attendees, founders, Investors, Creators, and Diaspora Professionals can share Networking moments, Founder and investment stories, Cultural Experiences, and Conference highlights using **#DACON2026** and **#PostOnPurpose**.

Each verified post can unlock sponsor-backed donations supporting Diaspora Africa Conference and Future Community Initiatives.

Sponsors receive measurable participation Reporting, Social Amplification, Authentic Community Storytelling, Sponsor-Backed impact visibility, and Audience engagement Analytics tied directly to the Conference Ecosystem.



SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

- High-profile brand exposure
- Direct access to decision-makers & investors
- Networking with top-tier executives and policymakers
- Featured media opportunities before, during, and after the event



SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES:

1



(\$100,000)

SINGULAR SPONSORSHIP-LEVEL, JOINT MEDIA COVERAGE, PRODUCT OR PROJECT LAUNCH, CHARITABLE RECOGNITION

2



(\$50,000)

VIP BRANDING, KEYNOTE PARTICIPATION, AND PRIME MEDIA COVERAGE

3



(\$20,000)

SPEAKER OPPORTUNITY, PREMIUM NETWORKING, AND STRATEGIC MARKETING

4



(\$10,000)

BRAND PRESENCE, LEAD GENERATION, AND FEATURED CONTENT

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Available. Contact us today!



WHY 2026 MATTERS



DACON 2026 arrives at a moment of accelerating Africa-focused capital movement, policy change, digital innovation, and diaspora engagement.

For Sponsors and partners, that creates a timely opportunity for measurable visibility, credible community participation, and direct alignment with Africa's next growth wave.

SPONSOR-SPECIFIC EXAMPLE

For a sponsor like Kenya Airways, a POP activation could invite attendees to share travel, networking, and diaspora connection moments, turning the conference into measurable brand participation rather than just logo placement.



DACON 7.0 SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

1



DIAMOND: (\$100,000 USD)

- Singular Sponsorship Position
- Diamond Sponsor's industry serve as conference focus industry
- Joint media appearances
- Customized Diaspora Africa Conference Vendor Section
- Spot to speak at next DACON conference as previous Sponsor
- DACON delegate endorsements
- Deal room spotlight with invited VIP delegates
- Your company's name listed as a Diamond Sponsor on all marketing materials
- DACON charitable donation in honor of Diamond Sponsor to agreed upon local charity
- Invited elected officials related to Diamond Sponsor line of business
- Company Logo featured on our website and socials.
- Opportunity to provide Keynote speech or Product /Project Launch
- Opportunity to moderate a high-profile panel discussion.
- Invitations for up to 4 delegates to attend the summit.
- 4 delegates access to all the conference activities across 3 cities and 8 night stays at conference host hotel in Lagos, Abuja and Accra.
- Branding at Event Large LED Screen.
- Logo displayed on Conference Backdrop for Red Carpet.
- Custom music jingle highlighting Diamond Sponsor name.
- Coordinated conference give-aways or collateral material
- Direct DACON delegates, Alumni and subscriber discount or incentives
- Media features in all social media before, during and post Conference.
- VIP Lounge hosting branding and exclusive networking events and Gala Night.
- Company feature in our Diaspora Magazine



2



PLATINUM - (\$50,000 USD)

- Customized Diaspora Africa Conference Vendor Section
- Your company's name listed as a Platinum Sponsor on all marketing materials
- Company Logo featured on our website and socials.
- Opportunity to participate as a speaker.
- Opportunity to moderate a high-profile panel discussion.
- Invitations for up to 3 delegates to attend the summit.
- 4 delegates access to all the conference activities across 2 cities and 5 night stays at conference host hotel in Lagos, Abuja and/or Accra.
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- Branding at Event Large LED Screen.
- Logo displayed on Conference Backdrop for Red Carpet.
- Media features in all social media before, during and post Conference.
- Access to VIP Lounge and exclusive networking events and Gala Night.
- Company feature in our Diaspora Magazine

3



GOLD - (\$20,000 USD)

- Customized Diaspora Africa Conference Vendor Section
- Presence in all our marketing materials
- Opportunity to participate as a speaker in panel session.
- Opportunity to moderate a high-profile panel discussion.
- Invitations for up to 3 delegates to attend the summit.
- 2 delegates access to all the conference activities across 2 cities and 2 night stays at conference host hotel in Lagos Abuja or Accra
- Branding at Event Large LED Screen
- Presence in all marketing materials
- Media features in all social media.
- Access to VIP Lounge and exclusive networking events and Gala Night
- Company feature in our Diaspora Magazine





SILVER - (\$10,000 USD)

- Customized Diaspora Africa Conference Vendor Section
- Presence in all our marketing materials.
- Opportunity to participate in a Panel section.
- Invitations for up to 2 delegates to attend the summit.
- 1 delegate access to all the conference activities in 1 city and 2 night stays at conference host hotel in Lagos Abuja or Accra.
- Company feature in our Diaspora Magazine

Our previous Sponsors have enjoyed:

- **10x** Market Growth after DICON exposure
- Several Hundred New **Loyal Customers**
- Successful **Real Estate** Transactions
- Access to our **10,000+** DICON Digital Subscribers
- Direct reach to delegates from **20+ Countries**



Scan the QR code to watch
testimonials from past
sponsors and attendees!



SEIZE THE OPPORTUNITY: JOIN THE DIASPORA AFRICA MOVEMENT

UNLOCK AFRICA'S POTENTIAL:

- Discover a continent ripe with Opportunities, Boasting a Flourishing Economy.
- Tap into abundant natural resources and leverage a vibrant, youthful workforce.
- Navigate the rapidly evolving technological landscape driving Africa's growth.

BENEFITS OF ATTENDING:

- Network with esteemed entrepreneurs, seasoned investors, and groundbreaking innovators.
- Explore potential collaboration opportunities and forge strategic partnerships.
- Gain invaluable insights into the latest trends shaping Africa's economic trajectory.
- Be inspired by uplifting success stories from the dynamic African Diaspora community.

CALL TO ACTION: DON'T MISS OUT!

- **Register now** for the **Diaspora Africa Conference** and secure your spot at the forefront of Africa's economic revolution.
- Take advantage of our **early bird registration offer: \$1,597** (regularly **\$3,207**). Act swiftly to seize this limited-time discount and join us in shaping Africa's Future!



WHY INVEST ?

Africa is the next frontier for global business growth. The continent presents unparalleled investment opportunities with a projected GDP growth of 4%+ annually and a rapidly expanding middle class.

Top Reasons to Invest:

High-return sectors, including fintech, agribusiness, and real estate
Expanding consumer market with 1.4 billion people
Increasing digital transformation and innovation hubs

Be part of the transformation – secure your spot today!

EVENT TESTIMONIALS

Past Conferences Have Delivered Real Impact!

“Attending this conference helped us expand our business into Kenya, connecting us with invaluable partners.” – **Previous Attendee**

“Sponsoring this event led to a 30% increase in brand awareness among African investors.”
– **Platinum Sponsor**



Scan the QR code to watch testimonials from past sponsors and attendees!



PAST EVENT PICTURES



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