Day 1: Friday, September 12, 2025

Theme: Welcome & Vision for Collaboration

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM: Registration & Networking Breakfast Delegates check in, collect materials, and connect over breakfast.

9:00 AM - 10:30 AM: Opening Ceremony

- -Welcome Address: Chair of the Organizing Committee
- -Keynote Speech: "The Power of Cross-Continental Nonprofit Collaboration"
- -Cultural Performance

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM: Coffee Break

11:00 AM – 12:30 PM: **Plenary Session 1**: *State of the Nonprofit Sector in the USA and Africa* Panel discussion with nonprofit leaders, policymakers, and grantors.

12:30 PM – 2:00 PM: Lunch & Networking

2:00 PM - 3:30 PM: Breakout Workshops

- -Fundraising and Grant Writing Strategies
- -Leveraging Technology for Nonprofit Impact
- -Building Resilient Grassroots Organizations

3:30 PM - 4:00 PM: Coffee Break

4:00 PM – 5:30 PM: Interactive Session: *Successful Partnerships in Action* Case studies of USA-Africa collaborations that achieved measurable impact.

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM: Cultural Night & Dinner A celebration of cultural heritage through music, dance, and storytelling.

Day 2: Saturday, September 13, 2025

Theme: Innovating for Global Challenges

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM: Networking Breakfast

9:00 AM – 10:30 AM: **Plenary Session 2**: *Tackling Poverty and Economic Inequality* Insights from policymakers, grantors, and grassroots leaders.

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM: Coffee Break

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM: Breakout Workshops

- -Environmental Sustainability Programs
- -Healthcare Innovations in Underserved Communities
- -Nonprofit Leadership & Governance

12:30 PM - 2:00 PM: Lunch & Cultural Showcase Delegates enjoy performances and exhibitions highlighting African and American cultures.

2:00 PM - 4:00 PM: Interactive Session: *Design Thinking for Social Impact* Handson session to develop innovative solutions for specific challenges.

4:00 PM – 5:30 PM: **Session 3**: *Empowering Women and Youth in Nonprofits* Focused discussion with changemakers and emerging leaders.

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM: Cultural Night & Dinner A celebration of cultural heritage through music, dance, and storytelling.

Day 3: Sunday, September 14, 2025

Theme: Faith, Policy, and Vision for the Future

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM: Networking Breakfast

9:00 AM – 10:30 AM: **Interfaith Worship & Reflection Session** Featuring faith leaders from both continents sharing messages of hope and collaboration.

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM: Coffee Break

11:00 AM – 12:30 PM: **Plenary Session 3**: *Policy & Advocacy for Global Impact* Discussion on how nonprofits can influence policies for sustainable development.

12:30 PM - 2:00 PM: Lunch & Networking

2:00 PM - 4:00 PM: Site Visits & Case Studies Delegates visit local nonprofits or community programs to observe and learn.

4:00 PM – 5:30 PM: Interactive Session: *Strategic Planning for 2026 and Beyond* Delegates collaborate to develop actionable plans and partnerships.

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM: Dinner & Awards Ceremony Recognizing outstanding contributions to nonprofit work.

Day 4: Monday, September 15, 2025

Theme: *Commitment to Action*

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM: Networking Breakfast

9:00 AM – 11:00 AM: **Session 4**: *Finalizing Partnerships and Agreements* Delegates formalize collaborations and commitments to action.

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM: Closing Ceremony

- Reflections and Takeaways
- Final Keynote: "The Future of USA-Africa Nonprofit Collaboration"
- Cultural Farewell

12:30 PM - 2:00 PM: Farewell Lunch

Afternoon: Departures