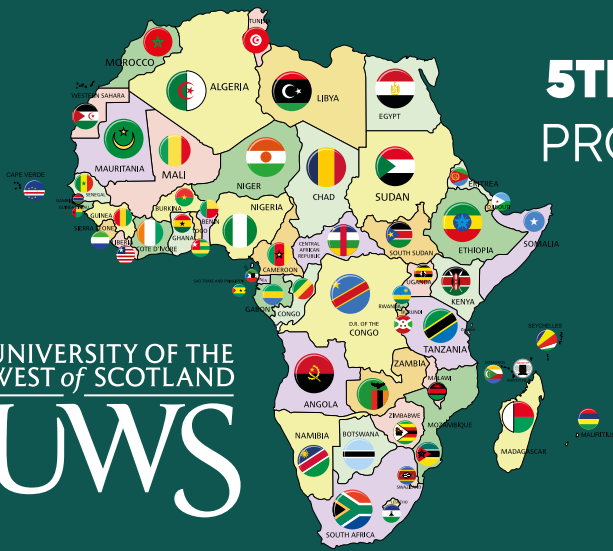


5TH ANNUAL CAREED CONFERENCE: PROGRAMME – 9TH DECEMBER 2020

University of the West of Scotland (Paisley Campus)
Centre for African Research on Enterprise
and Economic Development (CAREED)

Conference Theme: "Enterprise and Economic
Development in Africa: The Way Forward"

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Time	Activities	Participants
13:00 - 13:05	Welcome and Introduction	Prof. John Struthers, CAREED - Director
13:05 - 13:10	Welcome to UWS	Prof. Craig Mahoney, Vice-Chancellor (UWS)
13:10 - 13:15	Brief Statement about the Conference and Invited Keynote Speakers	Prof. John Struthers, CAREED - Director
13:15 - 13:30	Keynote Speaker 1 The Changing Face of African Farmland in an Era of Rural Transformation Introduced by Dr Adebisi Adewole (Deputy Director: CAREED)	Prof. Thomas Jayne Michigan State University, USA
13:30 - 13:45	Keynote Speaker 2 The Fintech Revolution in Africa Introduced by Dr Adebisi Adewole	Prof. Victor Murinde School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS) University of London, UK
13:45 - 14:00	Keynote Speaker 3 Youth employment, employability and the future of work in Africa Introduced by Dr Adebisi Adewole	Prof. Olanrewaju Olaniyan University of Ibadan, Nigeria
14:00 - 14:15	Keynote Speaker 4 Charting the pathway for African Economic Development in the 21st Century Introduced by Dr Adebisi Adewole	Prof. Toyin Falola University of Texas, USA
14:15 - 14:40	Break out Group Sessions	All Participants
14:40 - 15:00	Q&A Feedback from Group Sessions	Group Facilitators
15:00 - 15:10	Comfort Break	All Participants
15:10 - 15:50	Roundtable Workshop on Projects Chaired by Prof. John Struthers	1) Prof. John Riches, Just Trading Scotland (JTS): Smallholder Farmers in Malawi 2) Mr. Beltus Etchu, Africa Forum Scotland/Next Step Initiative: Affordable Housing in Nigeria 3) Mr. Lars Hededam, Njordfrey, Rwanda: Aquaponics in Rwanda
15:50 - 15:55	Introduction to the Protracted Crisis Research Centre (UWS) Introduced by Prof. John Struthers	Prof. Graham Jeffery (UWS)
15:55 - 16:05	Conclusion and Future Work of CAREED	Dr Adebisi Adewole