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## Conference Programme

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## APPENDIX 1: CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

DAY ONE: 18 March 2008

### SESSION I: OPENING CEREMONY- 9 - 10 AM

8 - 9 AM: Arrival & registration of participants

9 AM: Arrival of the Guest of Honor

- 9 -10 AM:
- Welcome remarks by Prof. Silas LWAKABAMBA, Rector, National University of Rwanda (NUR)
  - Introduction to the Conference by Prof. SHYAKA Anastase, Director of CCM-NUR
  - Speech by ARNE STROM, Head of Mission-Kigali, Embassy of Sweden
  - Key Note Address by Amb. Liberata MULAMULA, Executive Secretary, International Conference on the Great Lakes Region (Burundi)
  - Official Opening by the Guest of Honor
  - Group photo

10 -10:20 AM: Tea/Coffee break

### SESSION II: PLENARY SESSION: 10H20-12H30

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12:30 – 2 PM: Lunch

### SESSION III: PRENTATIONS & DISCUSSIONS

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2 - 4: 20 PM

- Presentation 1: Genocide in Darfur, by Prof. Samuel TOTTEN, University of Arkansas, Fulbright Scholar at National University of Rwanda.
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- Presentation 4: Challenge of small arms in the Great Lakes Region and ways forward, by Dr. Francis WAIRAGU, Research Officer at RECSA (Kenya).

3:20 - 4:20 PM: Discussions

#### PANEL 2: GOVERNANCE &DEMOCRACY/ ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & REGIONAL INTEGRATION

2 - 4:20 PM

- Presentation 1: Transitional Institutional Policy Challenge of ACP/EU Economic Partnership Agreement (EAP) for East African Community (EAC), by Dr. Charles AYAI OKELLO, Gulu University (Uganda).
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by Mrs. Domitilla MUKANTAGANZWA, Executive Secretary, National Service of GACACA Courts (Rwanda).

Présentation 3: Les médias Burundais et la bonne gouvernance, par Athanase NTIYANOGEYE, Journaliste à la Radio  
Télévision Nationale du Burundi ( Burundi).

Presentation 4: The role of regional environment networks for Sustainable development in the  
Great Lake Victoria by Andreas GODSÄTER, PhD Candidate, University of Gothenburg- PADRIGU (Sweden).

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4:20-4:40 PM: Tea/Coffee break

#### PANEL 2 : PEACE/SECURITY &SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN AFFAIRS 4:40 - 6:00 PM

Presentation 1: The role of Education in Demobilizing the Great Lakes Region,  
by Peter O.B. MCOMALLA, Executive Director, Human rights education and peace international, Arusha (Tanzania).

Presentation 2: Gender, violence and sexuality in DRC armed Forces  
By Maria STERN, Professor at PADRIGU, School of Global Studies, Göteborg University (Sweden)

Presentation 3: The role of Ecological sanitation in promoting development, peace and health in the Great Lakes Region,  
by Dr. Abraham G. NDUNG'U, Kenyatta University (Kenya).

5:40-6:40 PM: Discussions





**PANEL II: GOVERNANCE & DEMOCRACY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & REGIONAL INTEGRATION**

4: 40- 6: 00 PM

- Presentation 1: Women's Parliament Representation in Africa,  
by Christopher KAYUMBA, CCM/NUR, PhD Candidate at School of Global Studies, Gothenburg University (Sweden).
- Presentation 2: Rwanda: Integrated Development program by Hon. Protais MUSONI, Minister of Local administration,  
Good Governance and Social affairs (Rwanda).
- Presentation 3: L'ICT: Une opportunité d'intégration régionale dans la Communauté est africaine.  
Cas du Rwanda et du Burundi, par Dr. William SAHINGUVU, Université Nationale du Rwanda.
- 5:40-6:40 PM: Discussions

DAY TWO: 19 March 2008

**SESSION III: REGISTRATION, PRESENTATIONS & DISCUSSIONS**

8:00-8:30 AM: Registration of Participants

**TWO PARALLEL SESSIONS****PANEL I: PEACE & SECURITY SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN AFFAIRS**

8:30 –10: AM

- Presentation 1: Change in US policies and its implication for GLR by Karlsson SVANTE, Professor at Göteborg University (Sweden).
- Presentation 2: Nexus between unity/reconciliation and security : The case of Rwanda ,  
by Mrs. Fatuma NDAGIZA, Executive Secretary, National Unity and Reconciliation Commission (Rwanda).
- Presentation 3: Paix, Sécurité et Réconciliation en RDC. Cas du Sud Kivu  
Par Philippe KAGANDA Mulume-Oderhwa, Université Officielle de Bukavu (RDC).
- 10:00-10:20 AM: Tea/Coffee break

**PANEL II: GOVERNANCE & DEMOCRACY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & REGIONAL INTEGRATION – 8:30 –10: AM**

- Presentation 1: The Language factor in regional integration in the Great Lakes Region,  
by M.M. MULOKOZI, University of Dar Es Salaam (Tanzania)
- Presentation 2: Fear from Federation: Négritude-Ujamaa Deficiency syndrome (NUDES),  
by Phil Francis KAKWEZI, Researcher (Tanzania).
- Presentation 3: Regional trade networks in the Great Lake Victoria and their contribution (or not) to sustainable development  
and poverty reduction by Malin NYSTRAND, PhD candidate at School of Global Studies,  
Göteborg University (Sweden).
- 10:00-10:20 AM: Tea/Coffee break

**PANEL I: PEACE/SECURITY & SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN AFFAIRS**

10: 20 - 12: 20 AM

- Presentation 1: Primary Mental Health Care for survivors of collective sexual violence :  
Applying Findings from a study from Rwanda to policy-making in Democratic Republic of Congo,  
by Maggie ZRALY, Postdoctoral Scholar of Global Health, The Pennsylvania State University (USA)
- Presentation 2 : Forces et faiblesses des institutions de croyance dans la construction de la paix et de la sécurité dans la  
Région des Grands Lacs par Dr. François MASABO, Professeur de Sociologie et Chercheur associé au CCM,  
Université Nationale du Rwanda.
- Presentation 3: The Challenge of Protecting IDPs through ICGLR, by Jacqueline KLOPP, Assistant Professor at the School of  
International and Public Affairs, Columbia University (USA) and Prisca KAMUNGI, PhD candidate,  
University of the Witwatersrand (Kenya)
- Presentation 4: Conférence pour la paix, la sécurité et le Développement dans les provinces du Nord-Kivu et du Sud-Kivu  
par Aloys TEGERA, Manager de POLE Institute (RDC).
- 11:20 -12:20 AM: Discussions

**PANEL II: GOVERNANCE & DEMOCRACY / ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & REGIONAL INTEGRATION**

10: 20 - 12: 20 AM

- Presentation 1: La Gouvernance à l'épreuve du terrain : cas du Burundi post-électoral, by  
Dr. Elias SENTAMBA, Senior lecturer, National University of Rwanda
- Presentation 2: Post election violence and management in Kenya  
by Jonas EWALD, School of Global Studies, Göteborg University (Sweden)
- Presentation 3: The Role of Fair & Free Elections in Building Peace and Security",  
by Pierre Damien HABUMUREMYI, Executive Secretary, National Electoral Commission (Rwanda)
- Presentation 4: Vibrant citizenry and democratic governance lessons from civil society in Tanzania, Kenya and Uganda,  
by Prof. Amos MHINA, University of Dar Es Salaam (Tanzania)
- 11:20 -12:20 AM: Discussions
- 12:30-2 PM :Lunch
- 2:05-2:45 PM : Peace and Security in the Great Lakes Region: Rwanda's perspective within International Conference on the  
Great Lakes Region by Amb. Dr. Richard SEZIBERA, Special envoy of the President of the Republic of Rwanda  
to the Great Lakes Region.
- 2:45-4:00 PM: Restitution/ reports from groups & discussions
- 4:00-4:20 PM: Tea/Coffee break
- 4:20-5:30 PM: General recommendations & Closing ceremony
- 5:30-7:00 PM: Cocktail & cultural Dance

