



THE JUDICIARY

THE 19TH ANNUAL JUDGES' CONFERENCE

26TH – 29TH JANUARY, 2017

SPEKE RESORT CONFERENCE CENTER, MUNYONYO,

CONFERENCE THEME:

'THE UGANDA JUDICIARY AS THE GUARANTOR OF THE RULE OF LAW'

MASTER OF CEREMONIES: THE CHIEF REGISTRAR, COURTS OF JUDICATURE

PROGRAMME

DAY 1: THURSDAY, 26TH JANUARY 2017

TIME	PRESENTATION/ ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE
4.00 pm – 00.00	<i>Participants check in the Hotel</i>	H/W Dr. Gladys Nakibuule Kisekka (Dep. Registrar Research) and Mrs. Muwonge Josephine (Commissioner HR)

DAY 2: FRIDAY, 27TH JANUARY 2017

Dress Code: Formal

TIME	PRESENTATION/ ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE	CHAIR
08.00 – 9.00 am	<i>Arrival and Registration of participants at the conference venue</i>	DR Research	
	CONSTITUTING OF THE 19TH AJC		
9.00 -9.10 am	<i>Anthems – Uganda, East Africa Prayer – Representative of the Muslim Faith</i>	Chief Registrar	
	OPENING CEREMONY		
9:10 – 9:25 am	<i>Welcome Remarks by the Executive Director, JSI and Showcasing of the Uganda Judiciary</i>	Hon. Justice Dr. Henry Peter Adonyo,	
9.25 – 9.30 am	<i>Remarks by Minister of Justice and Constitutional Affairs</i>	Hon. Kahinda Otafire	
9.30 - 10.00 am	<i>Address by The Hon. The Chief Justice</i>	Hon. Justice Bart M. Katureebe	Hon. Lady Justice Dr. Esther Kisaakye Kitimbo
10:00 –10: 45 am	<i>Official Opening by the Guest of Honor</i>	H.E. The President of the Republic of Uganda	
10:45-10:50 am	<i>Launch of the Criminal Bench Book and Judiciary's Brand Identity</i>		
10:50 –11:00 am	<i>Group Photograph</i>		

11:00 – 11:30 am	Health Break	Comm. HR and Hotel	
11:30 am – 12:00 pm	Key Note Address: The Role of The Judiciary As Guarantor of The Rule Of Law In The Contemporary World	Presenter: Prof. Hugh Corder, Professor of Public Law, University of Cape Town	The Hon. Deputy Chief Justice
12.00 -1.00 pm	<i>Plenary (Question and Answer)</i>		
1.00 – 2.00 pm	Lunch	Comm. HR and Hotel	
2.00 – 2:40 p.m.	Panel Presentation On The Performance Of The Courts: The High Court	Hon. Justice Dr. Yorokamu Bamwine, Principal Judge	Hon. Lady Justice Stella Arach - Amoko
2.40 – 3.10 pm	The Court of Appeal/ Constitutional Court	Hon. Justice Steven Kavuma, Deputy Chief Justice	
3.10 – 3.30 pm	The Supreme Court	Hon. Justice Jotham Tumwesigye	
3.30 – 4.30 pm	<i>Plenary (Question and Answer)</i>		
4:30 – 5:00 pm	Tea	Comm. HR and Hotel	
6.00 - 8.00 pm	Cocktail	Comm. HR, DR Training and Hotel	
8:00 pm -	<i>Dinner(By Coupon)</i>		

DAY 3: SATURDAY 28th, JANUARY 2017

Dress Code: Casual Smart

TIME	PRESENTATION/ ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE	CHAIR
08.30 - 09.00 am	Registration of participants Prayer by a Representative of the Seventh Day Adventists Faith	DR Research	
9.00 – 10:00 a.m.	The Role of an Independent Judiciary in Emerging Democracies	Hon. Mr. Justice Carl Singh, Chancellor of the Courts, Guyana	Hon. Retired Justice A.N. Karokora
10.00 –11.00 am	<i>Plenary (Question and Answer)</i>	All	
11.00 –11.30 am	<i>Health Break</i>	Comm. HR and Hotel	
11.30 –12.30 pm	Enhancing Corporate Governance Among The Three Arms of Government To Foster The Rule of Law and National Development	Dr. Busingye Kabumba, Faculty of Law, MUK	Hon. Lady Justice Faith Mwendha
12:30 – 12:40 pm	Comments on the Topic	Hon. Justice B.J. Odoki, Chief Justice Emeritus	
12.40 – 1.00 pm	<i>Plenary (Question and Answer)</i>		
1.00 -2.00 pm	<i>Lunch Break</i>	Comm. HR and Hotel	
2.00 – 3.00 pm	Combating Real and Perceived Corruption in the Ugandan Judiciary	Panelists: 1. Justice Irene Mulyagonja (IG) (7 Mins) 2. Ms. Cissy Kagaba (ACCU) (7 Mins) 3. Justice Jotham Tumwesigye(JIC) (7 Mins) 4. Uganda Law Society (7 Mins)	Moderator: Charles Mwangusya
3. 00–3.45 pm	<i>Plenary(Question and Answer)</i>		

3.45– 4.00 pm	Health Break	Comm. HR and Hotel	
3:45 – 5:30 pm	Judges' Meeting	-Justices and Judges -Free afternoon for others	
7.00 –9.00 pm	Cultural Gala	DR Research and Comm. HR	

DAY 4: SUNDAY 29th, JANUARY 2017

Dress Code: Casual Smart

TIME	DAY 4: SUNDAY 29th , JANUARY 2017	RESPONSIBLE	CHAIR
7:15 – 8:00 am	Prayers	Representative of Inter Religious Council and H/W Mugala Jane	
8.30 – 9. 00 am	<i>Registration</i>	DR Research	
9.00 – 9. 50 am	Enhancing the Rule of Law through Land and Family Justice for All	PRESENTERS: 1. Hon. Justice Moses Mukiibi 2. Ministry of Lands Commissioner 3. Administrator General 4. Mr. Pius Bigirimana, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Gender	Hon. Lady Justice Prof. Lillian Tibatemwa Ekirikubinza
9.50 – 10.30 am	<i>Plenary (Question and Answer)</i>		
10.30 – 11.00am	Health Break	Comm. HR and Hotel	

11.00 – 11.45 pm	Investing in the Rule of Law through Sustainable Resourcing of the Judiciary	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Hon. Justice Dr. Yorokamu Bamwine (15 mins) 2. Mr. Kagole Kivumbi (15 mins) 3. Mr. Keith Muhakanizi (15 mins) 4. Dr Kisamba Mugerwa (15 mins) 	Hon. Justice Stephen Egonda - Ntende
11.45 – 12.30 pm	<i>Plenary (Question and Answer)</i>		
12.30 - 1.00 pm	Strengthening Partnerships between the Judiciary and the Media to Enhance Access to Justice for All	<p>PRESENTER:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Hon. Minister of Information and ICT 2. Mr. Robert Kabushenga (CEO, Vision Group) 3. Dr. Peter Mwesigye (African Center for Media Excellence). 	Hon. Justice Richard Buteera
1.00 -1.30 pm	<i>Plenary (Question and Answer)</i>		
1.30 –2.30 pm	Lunch Break	Comm. HR and Hotel	
2.30 – 2.40 pm	<p>Conference Resolutions</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Progress on the 18th AJC Resolutions 2. Presentation of the draft 19th AJC Resolutions and Approval 	Rapporteur	Hon. Lady Justice Dr. Esther Kisaakye Kitimbo

	OFFICIAL CLOSING		
2:40 – 2:50 pm	Remarks by the Minister of Justice and Constitutional Affairs	Hon. Kahinda Otafire	Hon. Lady Justice Dr. Esther
2.50 – 3:20 pm	Official Closing by the Hon. the Chief Justice of Uganda	Hon. Justice Bart M. Katureebe	Kisaakye Kitimbo
3:20 – 3:40 pm	Tea	Comm. HR and Hotel	
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