

# Summit 2016 Report

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#### 1.0 Executive Summary

Noting that the 4th AfICTA Summit with the theme: Internet of Things for Sustainable Development (IoT4SD), held on 11th - 14th October, 2016 in Windhoek, Namibia;

Appreciating that the Summit was organized by AfICTA- Africa Information and Communication Technologies Alliance, and hosted by the ICT Professionals' Association of Namibia (ICT-PAN) under the auspices of the Ministry of ICT, Namibia;

Considering that the Summit focused on sub-themes which included: The role of ICT in job creation; IoT, Affordability, Connectivity & Scenarios; Youth Development; SDGs & Cybersecurity; Internet Governance for SD – Aligning the Technical, social and political layers together; Sustaining critical infrastructure for IoTs and Keeping Internet safe, secure and resilient;

Taking into consideration interventions by eminent speakers at the Summit including Hon Tjekero Tweya, Minister of ICT Namibia; who set the tone with an inspiring opening speech, the Summit hereby declares as follows:

1. In view of and in alignment with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SGDs) national ICT policies, laws, regulations and practices should be reviewed for compliance and for inclusive benefits for all citizens.

2. The Internet of Things (IoT) presents a new opportunity for job creation in all sectors. That concerned stakeholders particularly governments and the private sector should evolve IoT strategies that maximize job opportunities for African youths. In this wise, long term tax holidays should be prioritized for business startups.

3. National multi-stakeholder dialogues on Internet Governance (IG) should be supported and, where not existing, convened in collaboration with government, private sector, civil society and the technical/academic community. That such dialogue will engender trust and commitment in tackling in-country IG issues such as Internet access and affordability for all, cybersecurity, mitigating cybercrime, quality of service, local content digitization, innovation/creativity, IPv6 deployment and other issues.

#### **CHAPTER 1**

#### About AfICTA

#### **1.1 Introduction**

Africa Information & Communication Technologies Alliance - AfICTA is a concerned private sector led alliance of ICT Associations, Multi-national Corporations, Companies, Organisations and individuals in the ICT sector in Africa.

#### 1.2 Vision

Our vision is to fulfill the promise of the digital age for everyone in Africa.

#### 1.3 Mission

Our mission is to encourage multi-stakeholder dialogue fostering accelerated and ICT enabled development in Africa and the use of cutting-edge innovative technologies including mobile, computing and satellite technologies to achieve an Information society in Africa.

#### **1.4 Objectives**

Our goals are to

- 1. Organise non-government ICT stakeholders in Africa for effective local and continental advocacy
- 2. Be the focal point for Africa ICT advocacy in the global digital economy.
- 3. Promote constant improvement in African digital literacy in collaboration with stakeholders.
- 4. Create partnerships with the African Union and all the regional economic commissions towards realizing global sustainable development targets for Africa
- 5. Support effective dialogue between members and policy makers.
- 6. Mobilise the core leadership of African ICT professionals and experts in the business community, academic and technical community and civil society to be fully engaged in the global Internet Governance multi-stakeholder dialogues.
- 7. Promote business partnerships between members and their associations' members.
- 8. Contribute to capacities building by promoting best practices, encouraging regional projects, sharing data (skills, expertise, events, business announcements, exhibitions, seminars),
- 9. Organize an annual regional summit for knowledge sharing and cross-African advocacy.

#### CHAPTER 2

#### 2.0 About Summit 2016

#### 2.1 Overview

Undoubtedly one of the greatest inventions of man, the Internet has continued to shape the way mankind lives, works and plays. With over 3 billion people already connected in the world and more than 300million connected in Africa; and the existence of technological structures, protocols and unique numbers (IPv6) to support its continuous evolution; and given the global community resolve to sustain development, AfICTA at its 4th Summit focused on how the Internet of Things (IoT) phenomenon could help advance and sustain Africa's development in the areas of health service delivery, e-government, e-commerce, job creation and overall improvement in the standard of living of the people.

With a more connected Africa, are we closer to:

Surpassing the 15% intra-African trade?

Taking 60% of our people out of poverty?

Building a critical mass of skilled labour for tomorrow's prosperity?

...are we able to grapple with the attendant cyber security, political, social and cultural challenges that IoT would engender?

At the 4th AfICTA Summit, high level panels of African ICT Ministers, regulators, development specialists and decision makers provided insights and shared perspectives on making strategies and policies work for the future of Africa. Businesses shared award winning solutions for e-health, e-government and e-payment. Experts provided techniques for cyber-security assurance and investors found ingenious opportunities for investment and more...

#### 2.2 Programme Outline

AfICTA Summit 2016			
Draft Programme			
Tuesday, October 11, 2016			
Time	Session Facilitator		
10am – 4pm	Arrival and Accreditation		

6-7.30pm	Welcome cocktail			
Wednesday, October 12, 2016				
8 – 9am	Accreditation/ Tea/Coffee			
	Оре	ning		
	Delegates welcome	Paul Rowney, President ICT- PAN/ Chair Summit 2016 Committee Dr Jimson Olufuye, Chair AfICTA		
	Keynote – Building Partnership for Sustainable Development in Africa	Ms Nermine Saadany Under Secretary for International Relation, Egyptian Ministry of ICT		
9-10.30am	Keynote – Sustaining Development with One Internet	Marilyn Cade, Coordinator NRIs		
		Patrick L. Jones, Snr Director, Global Stakeholder Engagement, ICANN		
	Keynote – Building Partnership for Sustainable Development in Africa	Engr Hossam Elgamal Chairman of Egyptian Cabinet Information and Decision support Center (IDSC) Egypt		
	Keynote	Hon Tjekero Tweya Namibian Minister of ICT		
	Interlude			
		gh Level Panel ustainable Development		
	Internet of Things for Sustainable Development	Abdul Hakeem Ajijola, CEO Consultancy Services Ltd – Moderator		
10.45 – 11.45pm	<ul> <li>Health management</li> <li>eGovernment</li> <li>Agricultural production</li> </ul>	<b>Prof. Faustin Kamuzora,</b> Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Work, Transport and Communication, Tanzania		
	<ul> <li>Adaptive learning culture</li> <li>Innovative Initiatives</li> </ul>	Adrian Schofield, Vice Chair, AfICTA Engr Hossam Elgamal		

11.45-12.15am	Tea/Coffee Bre	Chairman ISDC, Egypt Pierre Dandjinou, ICANN VP Stakeholder Engagement Africa Okwu Marcus Eke, Founder, Meocloud Technologies Oguntade Temitope Co-founder and CEO of Phinnx.com
	Session 2: Pane The role of ICT ir	
12.15- 1.30pm	<ul> <li>The role of ICT in job creation</li> <li>Making records speak</li> <li>IoT for Job Creation</li> <li>Regional Partnership for Job creation</li> <li>Performance measurement</li> </ul>	Dr Waudo Siganga, Chair Computer Society of Kenya - Moderator Alaa Elkitchen, Vice Chair, EITESAL Egypt Lucky Masilela, Chairman, .za Registry Yusuph Kileo, MD National CF Tanzania
1.30-2.30pm	Lunch	
	Session 3: IoT, Afforda Scena	
2.30- 3.10pm	IoT for Sustainable Development: Imperative for affordable, resilient and broad connectivity	Alaa Elkitchen, Vice Chair, EITESAL Egypt Moderator Onica N. Makwakwa, African Regional Coordinator, Alliance for Affordable Internet (A4AI) Joseph Alhadeff, Chair, International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) Commission on the Digital Economy Dr. Hvlton Villet. Chair.

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		MyDigitalBridge Foundation	
		Servias Mazhetese, CEO	
		Massive Consulting	
		ICT-PAN, Moderator	
3.10 – 4.00pm	IoT Scenario: Meeting Africa's Needs	Sponsored session by	
		Dimension Data/Cisco	
4.00 – 5.35pm	B2B Matcl	nmaking	
4.00 - 5.30pm	AfICTA Boar	d Meeting	
	Interlude		
7 – 9.30pm	Gala D	inner	
	Thursday, October 13, 20	16	
	Sessio	ons 4	
	Youth Development Seminar		
		Arinola Akinyemi, CEO	
9 - 9.45am	Youth Development Seminar	Digisphere Ltd - Moderator	
	- Building career in ICT	Abdul Hakeem Ajijola	
	<ul> <li>Hot ICT demand jobs</li> <li>How to become an</li> </ul>	CEO Consultancy Services Ltd – Guest Speaker	
	ICTenreneur?	Lawrence Olawale-Robert, CEO,	
		Microboss Ltd	
	Sessio	ons 5	
	SDG & Cybersecurity		
		Dr El Lisse, CEO .NA Registry, Moderator	
9.45 – 10.30am	Addressing Internet Security Issues	Patrick L. Jones, Snr Director,	
	- IP Blacklist, DDOS,	Global Stakeholder Engagement, ICANN	
	Reverse DNS	Lucky Masilela, Chairman, .za	
	- APT, Pharming DNSSEC	Registry	
		Yusuph Kileo, MD National CF	
10.30 – 11am	Tea/Coffe	e Break	

	Session 6: Panel Discussion Internet Governance 4 SD	
11 – Noon	Internet Governance for Sustainable Development: Aligning the Technical, Social and Political layers together	Marilyn Cade, CEO mCade llc, Moderator Lynn St Armour, Chair, IGF MAG Nirvana Farrag Director-General, Int'l Cooperation, The Egyptian Cabinet Information and Decision Natasha Tibinyane Director of the Media Institue of Southern Africa (MISA) Namibia Chapter
11.45-12.15pm		
12- 1pm	Session 7 (BC-ICANN) Sustaining Critical Infrastructure for IoTs & Keeping Internet safe, secure and resilient	

		Dr Jimson Olufuye	
		AfICTA Chair/ Vice-Chair, BC	
		Marilyn Cade CEO mCADE Strategies, member BC Outreach Committee	
	The Post Transition IANA & the imperative for one Internet From Business Users to Registries/Registrars	<b>Pierre Dandjonou</b> , Vice- President (Africa) ICANN	
	How to ensure Internet remains a safe place to do business?	Andrew Mack, CEO AM Global & Coordinator BC Outreach	
		Lawrence Olawale-Robert	
		CEO, Microboss, member BC Outreach Committee	
1 – 2pm	Lunch		
2 – 4pm	B2B Matchmaking		
3.30 – 5pm	AfICTA AGM AfICTA Board		
	Friday, October 14, 2016		
Safari Tour/Departure			

### 2.3 Summit Webpage

http://aficta.org/summit2016

#### CHAPTER 3

#### **3.0 The Summit Report**

#### **3.1. Introduction**

ICT Professionals Association of Namibia - ICT-PAN under the auspices of the Ministry of ICT Namibia hosted 4<sup>th</sup> AfICTA Annual Summit at Safari hotel Conference Centre, Windhoek, Namibia from 11 to 13 October, 2016, with the aim to aid and foster intra-African trade through multi-stakeholder approach to the realization of the Sustainable Development Goals -SDGs.

AfICTA Summit was first hosted in Lagos, Nigeria in 2013. The Egyptian ICT industry association and the government of Egypt hosted the second edition in 2014. The third edition took place in Johannesburg, last year. This 4<sup>th</sup> edition was hosted by the ICT Professionals Association of Namibia (ICT-PAN) with the support of the Namibian Ministry of ICT.

#### **3.2 Summit Theme**

The theme of the Summit was "Internet of Things for Sustainable Development" in Africa and the event attracted more than 70 participants from Africa and beyond. Among which were: Host country, Namibia, Nigeria, South Africa, Egypt, Kenya, Ethiopia, USA, Tanzania, Belgium, Malaysia...

The Summit focused on several sub-themes which included: The role of ICT in job creation; IoT, Affordability, Connectivity & Scenarios; Youth Development; SDGs & Cyber-security; Internet Governance for SD; Sustaining critical infrastructure for IoTs and Keeping Internet safe, secure and resilient.

#### 3.3 Day 1

The event kicked-off with delegates' accreditation on Tuesday, 11 October, 2016 by the Secretariat after which accredited delegates of about 20 proceeded to partake in the welcome cocktail.

During the welcome cocktail, the Chair of AfICTA, Dr Jimson Olufuye expressed his gratitude to as many delegates that made it to the special event. Indicating that AfICTA is an organization that has vision to fulfill the promise of the digital age for everyone in Africa and that in one accord the vision is realistic. The cocktail came to an end with the song "I am here, because you are here..."

### **Day 1 Pictures**



Summit delegates during welcome cocktail



AfICTA Chair, Dr Jimson Olufuye with Marilyn Cade shortly before the welcome cocktail

#### 3.4 Day 2

The summit was officially declared open on Wednesday, 12 October, 2016 with a moment for Namibia national anthem and African Union anthem followed by welcome speech from the Chair Summit 2016 Committee, Mr Paul Rowney who in his statements recognized delegates home and abroad for their commitment to AfICTA. He concluded his speech by appreciating all the sponsors for their critical support.

Subsequently, the Chair AfICTA, Dr Jimson Olufuye during his welcome address recognized all the stakeholders, AfICTA partners and sponsors, iterating that as Africa embraces IoTs and the opportunities it presents to us, 17 Sustainable Development Goals realization should also be our ultimate focus. Enlighten delegates, he said 6 countries concerned private sector stakeholders formed AfICTA in May 2012, with the vision to join others to remove the notion of "dark" Africa, "dark" Continent and that the Alliance has grown from 6 countries within the short period of 4 years to 27 member nations.

Welcoming delegates during his opening remarks, the host Minister of ICT, Honorable Tjekero Tweya charged all delegates to ensure that they communicate necessary information with available technology for ICT to be meaningful and impactful to the well-being of all citizens. He lamented that in most cases, while the technology is available those that have the necessary information for prosperity refused to communicate it to those that really need them. He thanked AfICTA for convening the Summit in Windhoek, Namibia and hoped the synergy for sustainable development which the Summit brings will be sustained in Namibia and across Africa.

Other keynote speakers during the opening remarks included Marilyn Cade, CEO mCADE LLC; Patrick L. Jones, Senior Director, Global Stakeholder Engagement, ICANN; Engr Hossam Elgamal, Chairman of Egyptian Cabinet, IDSC Egypt.

Next session was on **Internet of Things for Sustainable Development**. The session was moderated by Abdul Hakeem Ajijola, CEO Consultancy Services Ltd and the panelists were Adrian Schofield, Okwu Marcus Eke, Engr Hossam Elgamal and Oguntade Temitope with expository discussion on the impacts of IoTs and technology on Health management, eGovernment, Agriculture production, Adaptive learning culture and Innovative initiatives. The session also focused on how some problems such as online extremist, right violation, unemployment, child abuse, security threat... initiated by IoTs could be mitigated. The session ended with questions & answer and contributions from the audience.

Session on **The role of ICT in job creation** commenced immediately and was moderated by Dr Waudo Siganga the Chairman of Computer Society of Kenya – CSK. Discussants included Mr Alaa Elkhishen, Lucky Masilela, Yusuph kileo. Opening the session, Dr Waudo stated how important job creation is to economic and social development of a country or continent and how ICT can enhance more job opportunities for the teeming youth. This session reviewed AfICTA Joburg declaration to create 1 Million jobs by 2020 in Africa as Mr Alaa El Khishen gave a presentation and encouraged volunteers towards it realization. The session ended by entertaining questions and contributions from the audience.

The third session, **IoT**, **Affordability**, **Connectivity and Scenarios** took off shortly after lunch and was moderated by Dr Jimson Olufuye who introduced the panelist as thus: Ms Onica Makwakwa (A4AI), Dr Hylton Villet (My Digital Bridge Foundation), Mark Rotter, Servias Mazhetese and Joseph Alhadeff (Chair ICC BASIS) who joined remotely. Dr Hylton Villet, the first speaker came in with some statistics on the penetration of Internet in African nations a case study of Namibia which has not being doing well so far due to obsolete regulations. He concluded with the sentence "We have to stare-up when it comes to the adoption of new possibilities in terms of connecting the unconnected". Joseph Alhadef intervened remotely followed by Ms Onica Makwakwa from Alliance for Affordable Internet an organization that advocates for Internet in Africa. The session ended with questions from the audience.

As the third session ended, a session dedicated for one of the Summit sponsors, CISCO/Dimension Data began, Ms Pastora Valero, Director EU Public Policy, CISCO discussed at length how IoTs factor remains crucial to the realization of world digitalization and expatiated the role of Internet to connected homes, health care, agriculture, manufacturing, transportation, smart city and others. In addition, she considered what could be challenges of IoTs in the future and how to overcome them. The baton was later transferred to Wolf Stinner her colleague who completed the presentation. The session ended with questions and answer, with contributions from the audience.

AfICTA board meeting took place at the Summit venue.

Event day 2 was brought to an end with buffet dinner and award presentation.

#### 3.5 List of awardees and award received:

#### A. Distinguished Speaker award

- 1. Onica N. Makwakwa
- 2. Lucky Masilela
- 3. Alaa Elkhishen
- 4. Patrick L. Jones

- 5. Abdul Hakeem Ajijola
- 6. Marilyn Cade
- 7. Hossam Elgamal
- 8. Okwu Marcus Eke
- 9. Waudo Siganga
- 10. Servias Mazhetese
- 11. Arinola Akinyemi
- 12. Anriette Esterhuysen
- 13. Wolf Stinner
- 14. Pastora Valero
- 15. Oguntade Temitope
- 16. Oluwatoba Obaniyi
- 17. Joseph Alhadeff

#### **B.** Special Leadership Recognition

1. Hon Tjekero Tweya

#### **C. Africa ICT Personality**

1. Ms Nermine El Saadany

#### **D.** Africa ICT Champion

1. Ms Ranka Jovanovic

#### E. Chairman's Award

2. Paul Rowney

### 3.6 Day 2 Pictures



Summit committee Chair and Chair ICT PAN, Paul Rowney while given his welcome speech



Namibia ICT Minister, Honorable Tjekero Tweya while delivering his keynote speech



From left: Dr. Jimson Olufye, Chair, Africa Information and Communication Technology Alliance (AfICTA), Minister of ICT Namibia, Hon Tjekero Tweya, Arinola Akinyemi, AfICTA Board member and Abdul Hakken Ajijola, MD Consultancy Services Ltd, at the just concluded AfICTA summit held in Windhoek, Namibia.



L-R: Onica Makwakwa, Africa Regional Cordinator A4AI; Dr Olufuye Jimson, Chair AfICTA; Dr Hylton Villet, My Digital Bridge Foundation and Mark Rotter, during IoT, Affordability, Connectivity and Scenarios.



Summit participants at the buffet cocktail



AfICTA Chair presenting Lucky Masilela the CEO of ZACR a Distinguished Speakers Award



Namibian ICT Minister Hon. Tjekero Tweya shorthly after receiving Special Leadership Recognition award at the Summit. With him to the left are Dr Jimson Olufuye, Chair AfICTA, Engr Hossam Elgamal, Ms Arinola Akinyemi, Ms. Marilyn Cade, Mr. Alaa Elkhishen, Dr Ben Fuller, Mr Jan Coetzee and Dr Waudo Siganga. Beside Hon Minister to the right are Ms Kay Bandlow, Mr. Paul Rowney, Mr. Adrian Schofield

#### 3.7 Day 3

The Summit continued on Thursday, 13 October with an important seminar topic on **Youth Development**, focusing on Building Career in ICT, Hot ICT demand jobs and How to become Entrepreneur. Session moderated by Ms Arinola Akinyemi with two discussants Abdul Hakeem Ajijola, CEO Consultancy Services Ltd and Lawrence Olawale-Robert, CEO Microboss.

Session on **SDG & Cyber security** commenced immediately after the session on Youth Development Seminar and was chaired by Dr El Lisse, CEO .Na Registry. Speakers on the panel included Yusuph Kileo, MD National CF; Patric L. Jones, Snr Director, Global Stakeholder Engagement, ICANN; Lucky Masilela, Chairman, .za Registry. Yusuph Kileo who tabled several instances of cyber security bridges and attacks in Africa during his 10 minutes intervention also stated steps being taken to avoid such instances in the future among which were 1.Integration of cyber security experts to Financial Institutions, Telecom Companies and others, 2. Collaboration with advanced countries eg Nigeria collaboration with Australia, 3.Attacked entities/companies must voice out for them to be rescued, 4. Capacity building and seminars to keep Internet users alerted.

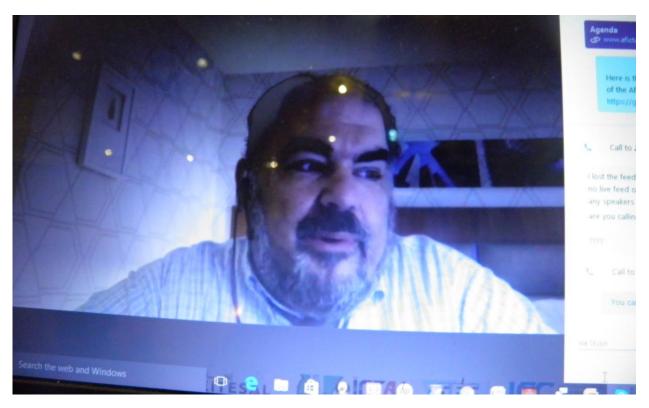
Furthermore, Lucky Masilela of .za registry opened up with the statistics on ccTLDs registration and the disparity between African countries, stating that the gap between nations like South Africa (with total population of 52.9 million) that has 1.2 million registered ccTLDs and Nigeria (with total population of 174 million) and has just 60,000 ccTLDs could be attributed to low awareness and cost of the domain registration. He rounded off admonishing ccTLD Registrars to as much as possible cut the cost of their country code Top Level Domains.

The session dedicated to BC-ICANN, one of the prominent Summit sponsors was chaired by Marilyn Cade, CEO mCADE strategies, member BC Outreach Committee. Speakers on the high table were Dr Jimson Olufuye, AfICTA Chair and Vice Chair BC-ICANN, Nirvana Farrag Director General, Int'l Cooperation, the Egyptian Cabinet Information and Decision Center, Natasha Tibinyane, National Director at Ministry of ICT Namibia, and Lynn St Amour President and CEO of Internet Society who intervened remotely.

#### 3.8 Day 3 Pictures



A cross-sectional view of Summit participants during SDG and Cyber security session



The Chair, International Chamber of Commerce, Joseph Alhadeff during his online intervention at the Summit



L-R: Yusuph Kileo, Dr El Lisse, CEO .NA Registry, Patrick L. Jones Snr Director, Global Stakeholder Engagement, ICANN and Lucky Masilela, Chairman .za Registry during panel discussion on SDG & Cyber Security



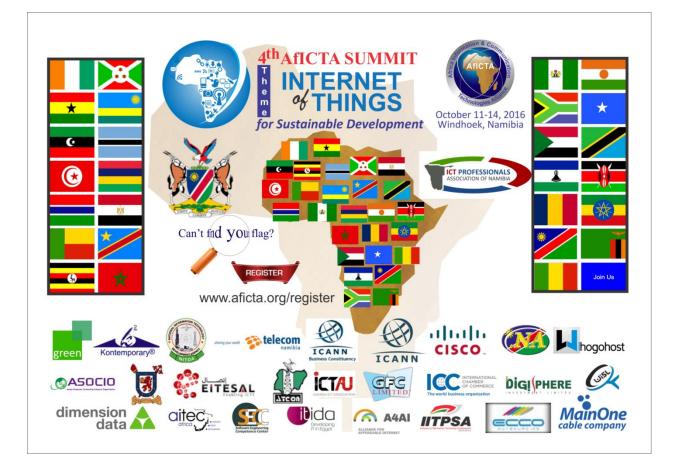
L-R: Lawrence Olawala-Roberts, CEO Microboss, Patrick L. Jones Snr Director, Global Stakeholder Engagement, Marilyn Cade, CEO mCADE and Dr Jimson Olufuye, Chair AfICTA and CEO Kontemporary Konsulting

### Attendance at the Summit

	Name	Designation	Organization	Country
1	Abdul Hakeem Ajijola	Executive Chairman	Consultancy Support Services Ltd	Nigeria
2	Adrian Schofield	Vice-Chair	Africa ICT Alliance	South Africa
3	Alaa Elkhishen	Vice President/GM	EccoOutsourcing	Egypt
4	Alvine Kapitako	Journalist	New Era-Namibia	Namibia
5	Andrews Mark	Principal	AMGlobal Consulting	USA
6	Anthony White	MD	Blu Tech	
7	Arinola Akinyemi	CEO	Digisphere Investment Limited	Nigeria
8	Baheru Zeyenu	CEO	AFRICOM Technologies Plc	Ethiopia
9	Ben Fuller	Board Member	ICT PAN	Namibia
10	Bernadine Muyamba	Delegate	МІСТ	Namibia
11	BP Wanda	Prof.	UNAM	Namibia
12	Breyten Mouton	Manager	NUST	Namibia
13	Charmaine Houvet	Director	Cisco	Namibia
14	David Chang	Secretary-General	ASOCIO	Malaysia
15	Dennis Shaalukeni			Namibia
16	Dourice M Ofisi			Kenya
17	Dunston Kawana	IT Manager	Erongo Red	Namibia
18	E. Kalumo	Delegate		Namibia
19	E. M Kanao	Delegate	NBC	Namibia
20	Eberhard W Lisse	Managing Director	DOT NA	Namibia
21	George Thiele	Manager	Dimension Data	Namibia
22	H. Plaatjies	Delegate	NBC	Namibia
23	Helena N Amadhila	Lecturer	UNAM	Namibia
24	Himeezembi Kaharongo	MD	Kudus Technology	Namibia

25	Hon Tjekero Tweya	Minister	ICT	Namibia
26	Hossam El-Gamal	Chairman	Egyptian Cabinet IDSC	Egypt
27	Hylton Villet	MD		
28	J. Tjihuinino	Reporter	NBC News	Namibia
29	Jennifer Van Der Heever	MP	National Assembly	
30	Jeremy W. Kasume	Delegate	NGO	
31	Jimson Olufuye	Chair	Africa ICT Alliance	Nigeria
32	John Kirton	MD	Pinnacle Africa	Namibia
33	Joseph Alhadef	Chairman	ICC-BASIS	USA
34	Karijapua Kanuamera	Delegate	MICT	Namibia
35	Kehad Snydewel		Green Enterpirse	Namibia
36	L.R. Erastus	Delegate	Nampol	Namibia
37	Lawrence Olawala- Roberts	CEO	Microboss	Nigeria
38	Lopser Vladimir			Namibia
39	Lucky Masilela	CEO	ZA Central Registry (ZACR)	South Africa
40	M. F. Abou Dounya	Egyptian Ambassador to Namibia		Egypt
41	M.R. Awarab		UNAM	Namibia
42	Maple Xie	VP		China
43	Marcus Eke Okwu	Founder	Meocloud Technologies	Nigeria
44	Marilyn Cade	СЕО	mCADE	USA
45	Mark Rotter			South Africa
46	Martin Shivute		RCC	
47	N. Mingelius	Delegate		Namibia
48	Natasha Tibinyane	National Director	MISA	Namibia
49	Nicholas Lisse		NANIC	Namibia
50	Nirvana Farrag	Director-General	ECIDSC	Egypt
51	Oguntade Tope	Co-founder and CEO 24	Phinnx.com	Nigeria

52	Oluwatoba Obaniyi	CEO	Whogohost	Nigeria
53	Onica Makwakwa	Africa Regional Coord	A4AI	South Africa
54	Oyeyemi Kayode	Program Manager	Africa ICT Alliance	Nigeria
55	Pastora Valero	Vice President	Cisco	Namibia
56	Patrick Jones	Senior Director	GSE ICANN	USA
57	Paul Rowney	President	ICT-PAN	Namibia
58	R. Shipanga	Delegate	Blend Mobile	Namibia
59	Rosaline Hendricks	GM	Intrahealth	Namibia
60	Rowan Kleintjies	MD	Dimension Data	Namibia
61	S. Mazhetese	CEO	Massive Consulting	South Africa
62	Sophia Tekie	Manager	RA	
63	Standford Isaacs			Namibia
64	Valerie Garises	СТО	NIP	
65	Waudo Siganga	National Chairman	CSK	Kenya
66	Wolf Stinner	SA	Dimension Data	Namibia
67	Yikirta Alemu	Deputy GM		Ethiopia
68	Yusuph Kileo	Cyber Security Expert		Tanzania



#### 4.0 Appreciation

The board and the entire membership of AfICTA wish to thank the chair of the Summit committee Mr Paul Rowney and his members for a successful Summit at Safari Hotel Conference, Windhoek, Namibia. We wish to also thank all our sponsors including ICANN BC, Dimension Data, CISCO, Green Enterprises, Kontemporary Konsulting, .NA Registry, Telecom Namibia, Institute of Information Technology Professionals of South Africa (IITPSA), National Information Technology Development Agency (NITDA) and Eccooutsourcing Ltd for the critical role played.

We would like to thank all delegates that came from Namibia, Nigeria, South Africa, Egypt, Kenya, Ethiopia, USA, Tanzania, Belgium, Malaysia... and those that participated remotely. Many thanks indeed!

#### 4.1 AfICTA Summit 2017

AfICTA Summit 2017 venue would be announced soon. Do stay tuned for more details on <u>www.aficta.org</u>.

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## Thank

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