"ICT PERSPECTIVES: COMMUNITY'S 365 DAYS REVIEW"

DECEMBER 2, 2016

LAICO REGENCY HOTEL

TIME	AGENDA	SPEAKER
PM	**Overall programme moderator** **Beatrice Marshall- CCTV Africa –** She anchors "Africa Live" on CCTV News, a daily news program that gives global viewers a deeper perspective of the news and views of Africa. Beatrice is also the host of "Talk Africa", a weekly talk show that provides viewers with an inside look at political and economic affairs and trends in Africa.	
6:00- 6:45	Registration	Fiona Ongeso- **KENIC**
6:45-7.00	Opening and welcome remarks	Grace Githaiga,**KICTANet** Fadzai Mazingira, **Facebook**
7:00 – 7:15	Presentation of the findings of the **ICT Perspectives: community's 365 days review**.	Ali Hussein -Managing Partner, **Hussein and Associates**
7:15 – 8:15	Overview of the ICT sector performance in 2016 and way forward	**Panelists:** Godfrey Muhatia - **CA** Ben Roberts– **Liquid Telecom** Wangari Kabiru - **KICTANet** Waudo Siganga – **Computer Society of Kenya** Churchill Otieno, **Nation Media Group** Francis Moyango – **KICTANet**
8:30 – 8:35	Vote of thanks	Abdalla Omari – **KENIC**

8:35 DRINKS AND BITES (Guests leave at their own pleasure**)**

Special thanks to:

ABOUT THE SPEAKERS

Ben Roberts: CEO of Liquid Telecom Kenya, a company that supplies fibre optic, satellite and international carrier services to Africa's largest network operators, ISPs and businesses. It also provides payment solutions to financial institutions and retailers as well as data and storage solutions to businesses across Africa and beyond.

Godfrey Muhatia: Manager in charge of Monitoring and Evaluation of Universal Service projects at the Communications Authority. He was part of the team that undertook the Universal Access study in Kenya and has participated in development and implementation of a number of projects including ICT centers in learning institutions, e-resource centers, ICT access gaps study etc He represents Kenya at the International Telecommunication Union in study group 1 as a rapporteur on issues related to ICT for Persons with Disabilities. He is currently involved in the implementation of Voice Infrastructure and Secondary Schools Broadband Project.

Grace Githaiga: Co-convenor of the Kenya ICT Action Network (KICTANet). Her role entails coordinating various activities of KICTANet that touch on policy advocacy and regulation in ICT matters, forging partnerships and in outreach.

Ali Hussein: Managing Partner, Hussein and Associates, Digital Transformation Consultancy that focused on enabling clients to leverage Digital Technologies to achieve transformational Change in their organizations.

Abdalla Omari: CEO of Kenya Network Information Center (KENIC). KENIC manages and administers the Kenyan country code Top Level Domain .KE

Wangari Kabiru: A business specialist and a development practitioner with a keen interest in thriving communities. As a member of KICTANet, she engages in ICT related discourse. She is also interested in the tremendous role the ICTs can play for the under-resourced communities.

Fadzai Mazingira: Policy Analyst for Facebook. She focuses on Sub-Saharan Africa and her interests are in research on Internet rights, regulatory frameworks and connectivity.

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Waudo Sigaga: Chair, Computer Society of Kenya. He has been active on Internet Governance issues since 2003 and was appointed by the UN Secretary General to serve on the multi-stakeholder Working Group on Internet Governance (WGIG) between 2003 and 2005.

Churchill Otieno: The Digital Managing Editor, Nation Media Group. He is a career journalist with more than 20 years of experience in digital and print media.

Francis Monyango: Policy Review Analyst at KICTANet, as well as a student at the Kenya School of Law. He also writes for the *Business Daily* mainly on cybersecurity issues.