

African Mediators' Retreat 2009

Agenda

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Tuesday
March 2009

17.00–19.30	Zamani Conference room
	Opening address by President Karume of Zanzibar with an introduction by co-hosts Salim Ahmed Salim & Sir Kieran Prendergast
	Keynote addresses by Presidents Mbeki and Obasanjo followed by a discussion moderated by Salim Ahmed Salim & Sir Kieran Prendergast
19.45	Cloves Restaurant
	Reception and formal opening dinner

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9.00–10.30	Villa	Kiwengwa Conference room	Zanzi-Bar
Three parallel focus discussions to choose from	Somalia	The Central African Republic	Mediators and economics
11.00–13.00	Zamani Conference room		
	African conflict management	Chair Salim Ahmed Salim Speakers Said Djinnit, Presidents Mbeki & Obasanjo	
13.00–15.00	Cloves Restaurant		
	Lunch		
15.00–16.30	Zamani Conference room	Kiwengwa Conference room	
Two parallel discussions to choose from	The Democratic Republic of Congo Chair Haile Menkerios Speakers François Grignon, Michel Kassa & Francesca Bomboko	Challenges for mediators dealing with rebel groups: Chad/Darfur and Uganda Chair John Ryle Speakers Santa Okot, Karl Wycoff, Theo Murphy	
17.30–19.00	Zanzi-Bar		
	Mediators' Studio with Yvonne Ndege & Sydney Mufamadi		
19.30	Red snapper Restaurant		
	Informal dinner		

8.30–9.30	Zamani Conference room	Kiwengwa Conference room
A choice of focus discussions to choose from	Sudan's North-South issue	Madagascar
10.00–11.30	Zamani Conference room	Kiwengwa Conference room
Two parallel discussions to choose from	Managing external actors in peace processes Moderator Stephen Smith	Mediation in the post-agreement phase Chair Said Djinnit Speakers Mutula Kilonzo, Emmanuel Bombande
12.00–13.30	Zamani Conference room	Kiwengwa Conference room
Two parallel discussions to choose from	Mediating election related conflict Chair Thelma Ekiyor Speakers Chris Fomunyoh, Ayodele Oke	Indicting for peace: Sudan Chair Barney Afako Speakers Suliman Baldo
13.30–15.00	Cloves Restaurant	
	Lunch	
15.00–16.30	Zamani Conference room	
	Risks and opportunities for conflict mediation in Africa A closing plenary with François Grignon, Joseph Butiku & Martin Griffiths	
19.30	Beach Club	
	Informal farewell barbeque with local dance and music	