

ANNUAL PLANNING 2023

RESEARCH

STUDIES & FACT- SHEETS

- Automotive market in Kenya & Ethiopia
- Automotive market in Ghana
- Circular Economy in Kenya & Uganda
- Healthcare in Côte d'Ivoire & Senegal

RESEARCH INSIGHTS

- Trends to watch:
Nearshoring,
- Trends to watch:
Diversification,
- Trends to watch:
Agribusiness & Food Security

SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BOARD

- EU-AU-trade
- Diversification of global value chains
- Regional integration
- Investment promotion and financing

MAGAZINE *aw*

- Two issues

**PUBLIC
AFFAIRS**

TOPICS

- Diversification towards Africa
- Succession of „Compact with Africa“
- Climate foreign policy · renewable energy · Hydrogen partnership with Africa
- Regional integration
- Securing & qualifying skilled workers

COMMUNITY

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Africa!**

The Young Business Network is an initiative which aims to support the next generation of businesses & managers in Germany and in Africa

**EXPERT
CIRCLES**

- Automotive
- Hydrogen
- Healthcare
- Supply Chains/Logistics
- Public Affairs
- South Africa
- East African Community

**WORKING
GROUPS**

- Education & Qualification
- Financing

EVENTS

January
23rd

9th German-African Agribusiness Forum

June
14th - 15th

2nd Unlocking Industries: Hydrogen in Africa
part of the "German-African Energy Forum" brand

November
15th - 16th

Africa Trade & Invest meets Nigeria

DELEGATION TRIPS

February
6th - 10th

Morocco
Energy & Hydrogen

February
20th - 24th

Senegal & Côte d'Ivoire
Healthcare

June
19th - 23rd

Kenya & Uganda
Circular Economy

July
3rd - 7th

Ghana
Automotive

September
25th - 29th

Zambia
Technical & Vocational Education & Training

November
27th - 1st
December

Senegal
Circular Economy

JANUARY

NORTH AFRICA	19.	<p><i>AV partners</i></p> <p>New Year's reception in cooperation with North Africa Middle East Initiative (NMI) (Live Event, Berlin)</p>
AGRI-BUSINESS	23.	<p><i>AV hosts</i></p> <p>9th German-African Agribusiness Forum "The Path to Food Sovereignty – Sustainable and Resilient Agriculture for Africa" in cooperation with German Agribusiness Alliance (GAA) (Live Event, Berlin)</p>
TRADE FAIR SUDAN	24. - 31.	<p><i>AV supports</i></p> <p>Khartoum International Fair (KIF) (Live Event, Khartoum)</p>
POLITICS	26.	<p><i>AV partners</i></p> <p>Applied Sciences as Drivers of Innovation in Africa - How to Support the Developmental Contribution in cooperation with University Network HAW Afrika (Live Event, Berlin)</p>
EAC	26.	<p><i>AV partners</i></p> <p>Business Outlook Eastern Africa in cooperation with Eastern African Association (Digital)</p>
HEALTH SENEGAL & CÔTE D'IVOIRE	31.	<p><i>AV informs</i></p> <p>Webinar: Senegal & Côte d'Ivoire - Healthcare (Teil der BMWK Markterkundungsreise Senegal & Côte d'Ivoire - Gesundheitswirtschaft, Medizin- und Labortechnik)</p>

FEBRUARY

EXCLUSIVE	1.	<i>AV community</i> New Year's reception with the Group of African Ambassadors in cooperation with ODDO BHF (Digital)
TEAM	2. - 3.	<i>AV Team</i> Off-Site in Warnemünde
POLITICS	6.	<i>AV Partners</i> Book reading "Jenseits von Europa - Was afrikanische Unternehmerinnen und Unternehmer besser machen" in cooperation with Konrad Adenauer Stiftung (Live Event, Berlin)
HYDROGEN ENERGY MOROCCO	6. - 10.	<i>AV mission</i> Morocco - Hydrogen & Renewables in cooperation with AHK Morocco & IRESEN
AGRIBUSINESS SOUTHERN AFRICA	7.	<i>AV meets</i> Round Table with Mr. Menghestab Haile, Regional Director Southern Africa, World Food Programme (Hybrid, Berlin)
EXCLUSIVE HEALTH	14.	<i>AV community</i> Expert Circle Healthcare (Digital)
EXCLUSIVE LOGISTIK	15.	<i>AV Community</i> Expert Circle Logistic (Digital)

FEBRUARY

HEALTH
SENEGAL &
COTE
D'IVOIRE

20. - 24.

AV mission
**Senegal & Côte d'Ivoire -
Healthcare**
(BMWK
Markterkundungsreise
Senegal & Côte d'Ivoire -
Gesundheitswirtschaft,
Medizin- und Labortechnik)

EXCLUSIVE
FINANCE

23.

AV community
Working Group "Finance"
(Live Event, Frankfurt)

EXCLUSIVE
TVET

23.

AV community
**Working Group "Education
& Qualification"**
(Digital)

POLITICS

28.

AV Partners
Round Table BMZ

MARCH

<p>CONFERENCE & TRADE FAIR ETHIOPIA</p>	<p>2. - 4.</p>	<p><i>AV partners</i> Made in Germany (MiGA) (Live Event, Addis Ababa)</p>
<p>ROUND TABLE LESOTHO</p>	<p>2.</p>	<p><i>AV partners</i> Round Table Lesotho with Hon. Lejone Mpotjoane, Minister for Foreign Affairs and International relations and Hon. Mokhethe Shelile, Minister for Trade, Industry, Business, Development and Tourism, in cooperation with DIHK (Berlin)</p>
<p>ROUND TABLE BOTSWANA</p>	<p>2.</p>	<p><i>AV meets</i> Round Table Botswana with Hon. Karabo Gare, Minister of Entrepreneurship (Hybrid, Berlin)</p>
<p>BUSINESS TALK SUDAN</p>	<p>20.</p>	<p><i>AV partners</i> Digital Business Talk Sudan Status quo - Perspectives- Future Partnerships (in collaboration with GIZ Sudan) (Digital)</p>
<p>BUSINESS FORUM KENYA</p>	<p>27.</p>	<p><i>AV hosts</i> Business Forum Kenya with H.E. William Ruto, President of the Republic of Kenya (Live-Event, Berlin)</p>

MARCH

ENERGY
NIGERIA

29.

AV meets
**Round Table Nigeria with
Minister of Power Hon.
Engr. Abubakar Aliyu**
(Live Event, Berlin)

SME

29.

AV (SME) Seminar
**Security challenges with
project plannings and staff
assignments to Africa:
Current situation and
planning recommendations**
(Digital)

ROUND TABLE
ETHIOPIA

30.

AV Meets
**Round Table with the
Ethiopian Minister of
Energy, Hon. Dr. Habtamu
Itefa**
(Hybrid, Berlin)

ROUND TABLE
MAURITANIA

30.

AV meets
**Round Table Mauretaniien
with Mauritanian Energy
Minister Abdessalam Ould
Mohamed Saleh**
(Hybrid, Berlin)

APRIL

ROUND TABLE SOMALIA	4..	<i>AV hosts</i> Round Table Somalia with the Ministry of Trade, Delegation of the European Union and UNIDO (Hybrid, Berlin)
EXCLUSIV	24.	<i>AV community</i> Board meeting (Frankfurt am Main)
EXCLUSIV	24.	<i>AV community</i> General Assembly (Frankfurt am Main)
SCIENCE	25.	<i>AV research</i> 16th Scientific Advisory Board Meeting (Hybrid, Berlin)
SME	27.	<i>AV (SME) Seminar</i> Staff assignments to Africa – Updates on international tax-, labour- and social security law (Digital)

TRADEC NIGERIA	3.	<p><i>AV meets</i></p> <p>Expanding to Lagos Business & Financing Opportunities for German Industry</p> <p><i>in cooperation with Lagos Free Zone, DEG Africa Connect & German Desk Nigeria (Digital)</i></p>
POLITICS	4.	<p><i>AV Africa Insight</i></p> <p>Africa - from Raw Material Supplier to Value Chain Creation</p> <p><i>(Live-Event, Berlin)</i></p>
CONFERENCE EGYPT	5.-7.	<p><i>AV input</i></p> <p>International Conference Sustainable Industrial Areas</p> <p><i>(Live-Event, in Cairo)</i></p>
HEALTH	11.	<p><i>AV partners</i></p> <p>Africa MedPharma Day</p> <p>Business opportunities in the health sector in West Africa</p> <p><i>(Live Event, Frankfurt am Main)</i></p>
TRADE ANGOLA	12	<p><i>AV partners</i></p> <p>Business Forum Angola, Berlin</p> <p><i>(Live-Event, Berlin)</i></p>
BUSINESS TALK ERITREA	15.	<p><i>AV meets</i></p> <p>Business talk with the German Chargé d'Affaires in Eritrea, Peter Fahrenholtz</p> <p><i>(Hybrid, Berlin)</i></p>
AFRICA	16.	<p><i>AV partners</i></p> <p>Building Bridges - Africa</p> <p><i>in cooperation with WILO (WILO Wirtschaftskonferenz 2023) (Live Event, Dortmund)</i></p>

MAY

BOTSWANA

31.

AV partners
Exploring SADC - Doing Business in Botswana
in cooperation with AHK & BITC
(Webinar)

**EXCLUSIVE
EAC**

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AV community
Expert Circle East African Community
(Digital)

**ENERGY
ALGERIA**

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AV meets
Energy in Algeria
(Digital)

**AGRI-
BUSINESS
BENIN**

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AV partners
Round Table Benin
in cooperation with German Agribusiness Alliance (GAA)
(Digital)

**BUSINESS
TALK
CAMEROON**

1.

AV partners
**German-Cameroonian Business
Forum**
in cooperation with GIZ
(Live Event, Berlin)

**BUSINESS
AFRICA**

5.-6.

AV partners
Africa CEO Forum
in cooperation with Jeune
Afrique
(Live-Event, Abidjan)

**HYDROGEN
ENERGY**

14. - 15.

AV hosts
**2nd Unlocking Industries -
Hydrogen in Africa**
Part of the "German-African
Energy Forum" brand
(Live Event, Hamburg)

**CIRCULAR
ECONOMY
KENYA &
UGANDA**

19. - 23.

AV mission
**Kenya & Uganda - Circular
Economy**
(BMWK
Geschäftsanhaltungsreise Kenia
& Uganda - Kreislaufwirtschaft)

**TRADEC
NIGERIA**

21.

AV meets
**Expanding to Lagos
Business & Financing
Opportunities for German
Industry**
in cooperation with Lagos Free
Zone, DEG Africa Connect &
German Desk Nigeria
(Digital)

ZAMBIA

22.

AV partners
**Exploring SADC - Doing
Business in Zambia**
in cooperation with AHK & ZDA
(Webinar)

JUNE

FAIR
SOUTH
AFRICA

27. - 29.

AV supports

Big 5 Construct South Africa
(Live Event, Johannesburg)

FAIR
ALGERIA

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AV supports

**Salon International des Travaux
Public (SITP)**
(Live Event, Algier)

JULY

AUTOMOTIVE
GHANA

3. - 7.

AV mission
Ghana - Automotive
(BMWK
Geschäftsanhaltungsreise
Ghana - Fahrzeugindustrie und
Fahrzeugzulieferer)

EXCLUSIVE
EDUCATION

4.

AV community
Working Group
"Education & Qualification"
(Digital, Berlin)

FAIR
SOUTH
AFRICA

5. - 7.

AV supports
IFAT Africa
(Live Event, Johannesburg)

AUGUST

TRADE FAIR
MOZAMBIQUE

28.08.-03.09.

AV supports
FACIM 2023, Maputo
(Live-Event, Maputo)

ROUND TABLE

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AV meets
**Round Table with the
German Ambassadors in
Africa**
in the framework of the
Ambassadors' conference
(BoKoWiTa)

SEPTEMBER

STARTUP	2.	<i>AV supports</i> AIDIA - Afrodeutscher Startup Pitch 2023 (Live Event, Hamburg)
FAIR AUTOMOTIVE	5. -10.	<i>AV partners</i> IAA Mobility Side Event (Live Event, Munich)
FAIR ENERGY	12. - 15.	<i>AV partners</i> IAA Mobility (Side Event)
LIBERIA	19.	<i>AV partners</i> 4th German-Liberian Business Forum (Live Event, Leipzig)
TVET ZAMBIA	25. - 29.	<i>AV mission</i> Zambia (BMWK Geschäftsanbahnungsreise Sambia - Aus- und Weiterbildung)

OCTOBER

SME	12.	<i>AV (SME) Seminar</i> Security challenges with project plannings and staff assignments to Africa: Current situation and planning recommendations (Digital)
ZIMBABWE	tbc	<i>AV informs</i> Post election special Zimbabwe (Hybrid, Berlin)
SME	tbc	<i>AV SME special</i> Staff assignment to Africa - Basics on tax- and social security law (Digital)
CIRCULAR ECONOMY SENEGAL	tbc	<i>AV informs</i> Senegal - Circular Economy (Teil der BMWK Geschäftsanhaltungsreise Senegal - Kreislaufwirtschaft) (Digital)

NOVEMBER

**TRADE &
INVEST
NIGERIA**

15. - 16.

AV hosts

**Africa Trade & Invest meets
Nigeria**

in cooperation with AHK Nigeria
(Live Event, Frankfurt am Main)

**CIRCULAR
ECONOMY
SENEGAL**

27. - 1.12.

AV mission

Senegal - Circular Economy

(BMWK
Geschäftsanhahnungsreise
Senegal - Kreislaufwirtschaft)

DECEMBER

EXCLUSIVE

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**Exchange with German
Ambassadors in African
countries**
(Digital)

JANUARY

AGRIBUSINESS
BERLIN

22.

AV hosts
**10th German-African
Agribusiness Forum**
in cooperation with German
Agribusiness Alliance (GAA)
(Live Event, Berlin)



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