

# Join us for the 5th Africa DNS Forum

The Africa DNS Forum turns 5. Taking stock  
of the Africa DNS Industry and planning ahead

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## **What is the DNS Forum?**

The Africa Domain Name System Forum is an annual open event for stakeholders in the Domain Name Industry in Africa organized by Africa Top Level Domains Organization (AfTLD), the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN) and the Internet Society (ISOC). The objective of the three-day event is to help the African Domain Name Industry in Africa to grow at a competitive rate and ensure that the continent is on par with the rest of the world.

## **Who should attend?**

Registries, registrars, resellers, registrants, DNS experts, government representatives as well as entrepreneurs interested in investing in the African Domain Name space.

## **Why should you attend?**

More than 200 participants representing government, private sector and the technical community drawn from all over Africa as well as globally will take part in this multi stakeholder Forum where they will be leading interesting discussions highlighting opportunities in the African Domain Name industry. This will be the fifth African DNS Forum following events in Durban, South Africa (2013), Abuja, Nigeria (2014) and Nairobi, Kenya (2015) and Marrakech, Morocco (2016).



## Thematic areas:

1. Business in the African Domain Name Space
  - a. Results of the market study and growth trends
  - b. Strategies in use to grow ccTLDs
  - c. Emerging threats to ccTLDs
2. Policy and Governance
  - a. Regulators and registry management
  - b. Emerging trends
  - c. Delegation and re delegation Issues
3. Technical
  - a. DNSSEC - how its working for the ccTLDs
  - b. IPv6 what does it mean for the DNS Industry in Africa
  - c. Payment Gateways - An Africa wide payment gateway for business?
4. Taking stock of the DNS Forum 5 years on
  - a. Reviewing the progress
  - b. The future of the Africa DNS Forum

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3.Thanks and recognition of company and representative executive at the Africa DNS Forum meeting plenary	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
4.Recognition (logoed) in tiered fashion (Platinum, Gold, Silver): A) In the conference programme B) On site signage C) On the Africa DNS Forum web page (with link to company's website) D) In the presentation to the plenary and on holding slides during the event	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
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