



"Boosting investments for sustainable jobs in Ghana"

**13 and 14 June 2019
Movenpick Hotel**

Draft programme

Day 1 – 13 June 2019		
08.00 09.00	Registration of the participants	
Opening Session		
09.00 10.00	Welcome by the EU Ambassador to Ghana	EU Delegation to Ghana
	Ghana Beyond Aid	Ministry of Finance
	The EU-Africa Alliance	European Commission, DG DEVCO
Session 1 – Economic transformation and opportunities for investors in the framework of the Ghana beyond Aid context		
10.00 11.30	Ghana economic transformation	Ministry of Industry
	The challenges on the monetary policy and markets development in Ghana	Bank of Ghana
	What investment opportunities for Ghana?	Ghana Investment Promotion Centre (GIPC)
	Q and A session	Participants
11.30 12.00	Networking coffee break	
Session 2 – Opportunities offered by the EU: Innovative financing for boosting investments and jobs creation - the External Investment Plan (EIP)		
12.00 13.00	What is and how the EIP works, identified priority sectors, timeline	European Commission, DG DEVCO
	Harnessing access to EU market to leverage foreign investments	European Commission, DG TRADE
	Q and A session	Participants
13.00 14.00	Lunch break	

Session 3 - Roundtable discussion with public interaction			
14.00 15.30	Business climate in Ghana: what has been done and what should still be done to facilitate doing business in Ghana?	Moderator: European Commission, DG TRADE Ministry of Finance Bank of Ghana Oasis Capital Ghana Ltd European Business Organisation (EBO) Association of Ghana Industries (AGI)	
15.30 16.00	Networking coffee break		
Session 4 – Financial support to Investment Opportunities			
	AFD Group - Proparco	KfW	
16.00 17.30	Sustainable agriculture, rural entrepreneurship and agroindustry; sustainable energy and connectivity; micro, MSMEs financing	Sustainable energy and connectivity	Interactive sessions with companies operating or interested to invest in the sector and the Financing Institutions managing the investment tools &/or guarantee schemes
17.30	Closure of the day		

Day 2 – 14 June 2019			
Session 5 – Financial support to Investment Opportunities			
	ElectriFI	AfDB	
09.30 11.00	Sustainable energy and energy efficiency	Sustainable agriculture, rural entrepreneurship and agroindustry	Interactive sessions with companies operating or interested to invest in the sector and the Financing Institutions managing the investment tools &/or guarantee schemes
11.00 11.30	Networking coffee break		
Session 6 – Financial support to Investment Opportunities			
	FMO	EIB	
11.30	Sustainable agriculture, rural	Sustainable energy and connectivity;	Interactive sessions with companies

13.00	entrepreneurship and agroindustry; micro, MSMEs financing	micro, MSMEs financing	operating or interested to invest in the sector and the Financing Institutions managing the investment tools &/or guarantee schemes
13.00 14.00	Lunch break		
Session 7 - Roundtable discussion with public interaction			
14.00 15.00	The way forward: establishing priorities for the political, institutional, regulatory, and operational frameworks.	Moderator: Evans Mensah African Center for Economic Transformation (ACET) Local commercial bank European Commission, DG DEVCO	
Closing Session			
15.00 15.30	Closing remarks by Jyrki Katainen, Vice President, European Commission, and by high representative of Government of Ghana		