

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

MOBILISING SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY PARKS FOR FINANCIAL INCLUSION

International Convention Center, Durban ICC

MONDAY

20 November*

Main Hall

10am - 10.35am

Opening Session

10.35am - 10.50am

WBAF Country Offices
Action Plan 2024

10.50am - 11.10am

Induction Ceremony - 1

11.10am - 11.30am

Coffee Break & Networking

11.30am - 12.15pm

Global Women Leaders Committee

12.15pm - 1pm

Global Startup Committee

1pm - 1.20pm

Induction Ceremony - 2

1.20pm - 2.30pm

Lunch Time

2.30pm - 3.15pm

Global Science, Technology &
Innovation Committee

3.15pm - 4pm

Ethical Governance Committee

4pm - 4.30pm

Coffee Break & Networking

4.30pm - 4.50pm

Induction Ceremony - 3

4.50pm - 5pm

Global Exchange Forum

5pm - 5.15pm

Closing Remarks

5.15pm - 5.30pm

Family Photo 2023

8pm - 10pm

Chairman's Reception

TUESDAY

21 November

Main Hall

8am - 10am

Registration Process

10am - 12.30pm

Grand Opening Ceremony
World Congress | WBAF 2023

1.15pm - 2.15pm

VIP Lunch with Ministers
(by invitation only)

2.30pm - 5pm

Opening Ceremony
World Business Angels Investment
Forum on Africa

2.30pm - 5pm

Investment Readiness Workshop
Mentorship Sessions for Startups
Hall 2

5pm - 5.30pm

Coffee Break & Networking

5.30pm - 6pm

Plenary Session & Closing Remarks

7pm - 8pm

Chairman's Reception for the
World Excellence Awards
VIP Gala Dinner

8pm - 8.30pm

Red Carpet Entrance

8.30pm - 11pm

World Excellence Awards
VIP Gala Dinner (by invitation only)

WEDNESDAY

22 November

Main Hall

8am - 10am

Registration Process

10am - 5pm

Global Fundraising Stage
GFRS 2023

1pm - 1.30pm

Coffee Break & Networking

1pm - 1.30pm

Book Signings of WBAF Authors

1.30pm - 2.30pm

Lunch Time

Hall 3

Global Women Leaders Summit, 10am-1pm
Global Startup Summit, 2.30pm-5pm

Hall 4

STI Summit, 10am-1pm
Ethical Governance Summit, 2.30pm-5pm

5pm - 5.30pm

Coffee Break & Networking

WBAF Business School

Master Classes, 10am-1pm, Hall 3
Workshops, 2.30pm-5pm, Hall 3

5.30pm - 6pm

Plenary Session & Closing Remarks
Family Photo 2023

