



Join Us



April 19 - 29, 2015



Greetings Prospective Participant,

It gives us great pleasure to introduce the East Africa Diaspora Business Council, EADBC, and its strategic partner African Trade Business Center, ATBC. We invite you to join us on this upcoming East Africa Trade Mission planned April 19 to 28, 2015 and will include Arusha Tanzania, Kigali Rwanda and Kampala Uganda. Your participation is paramount. It will underscore the importance of harnessing the EADBC & ATBC ingenuity in business and entrepreneurship to push the EAC region into the forefront of global trade and investment.

ATBC is an international based non-governmental organization, with membership spanning over 15 countries. The organization's mission is assuming leadership to identify business enterprises that may be potential exporters, retailers, wholesalers, manufacturers, and/or joint ventures for U.S. companies who want to have import/export opportunities with businesses owned and operated in Africa; and are helping to bridge the gap for contracting activities, including East Africa.

EADBC is a US-based non-governmental organization, founded to channel Diaspora resources toward impactful business and technology ventures in the greater Eastern Africa region. The organization's mission is to harness US capital and technology resources to the Eastern Africa region and furnish sustainable economic development, capacity building, and multi-sector partnerships through market-based linkages between US-based corporations and technical expertise, and complementary market opportunities in East Africa

We are working very closely with the National Investment Authority in each of the three countries, to identify specific projects and programs of top national priority seeking funding and other external expert participation. We have assembled, and wish to share with you, should you be willing to join us on this trip from the US. In this regard, our efforts here at home and in the EAC region can be tapped to effectively and positively harness diverse U.S. resources as a means to foster economic development in the East African Community (EAC) nations. For more detail contact Ms. Tee Thompson, ATBC at 240.863.2493 or tee@africantbc.org or Mr. Benedict Kazora, EADBC at 269.873.0937 or president@eadiaspora.org or Sammi Akinmulero, African Chamber of Commerce, sakinmulero@yahoo.com or 214.244.0388.

Sincerely,

Hon. Eng. David K. Turya Mureeba, P.E.
Honorary Consul, Republic of Uganda, Dallas,
Board Chairman, East Africa Diaspora Business Council



East Africa Business Mission (April 19th -29st 2015)
"Navigating East Africa: A Practical Guide to Doing Business in the EAC"

Tentative Schedule

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| Sunday, April 19th: | Arrive at Entebbe Airport Uganda and proceed to Hotel Serena in Kampala. |
| Monday, April 20th: | Doing Business in Uganda: Meetings with Uganda Investment Authority, (UIA). Presentations from Ministry of Works & Transport: Opportunities in Transportation infrastructure including projects on Roads, Highways, Bridges, Railways and Airports. Evening Reception at US Embassy, courtesy of H.E. Ambassador Scott DeLisi. |
| Tuesday, April 21st: | Opportunities in Tourism, Hospitality and Services sector: Day trip hosted in Kidepo National Park courtesy Ministry of Tourism. |
| Wednesday, April 22nd: | Presentations from Ministry of Trade and Industry - explore opportunities in Agro-business, Manufacturing & Real Estate. Presentations from Ministry of Energy & Mineral Development - explore opportunities in Oil, Gas, Energy, Minerals & related services. Evening reception at State House by His Excellency, Yoweri Museveni, President of Uganda. |
| Thursday, April 23rd: | Breakfast meeting Uganda Investment Authority, (UIA) Uganda Manufacturers Association, (UMA) and Uganda Chamber of Commerce (UCC). Depart for Kigali, Rwanda in the afternoon. Proceed to Hotel Serena. Doing Business in Rwanda: Translating Opportunities into Growth. Meet with Rwanda Development Board. Evening Reception at U.S. Embassy Rwanda courtesy H. E. Ambassador, Erica J. Barks-Ruggles. |
| Friday, April 24th: | Presentations by Rwanda Development Board followed by various Ministries. Evening Reception with His Excellency, Paul Kagame, President of Rwanda. |
| Saturday, April 25th: | Explore opportunities in Tourism, Hospitality and Services sector. Evening Reception hosted by the Rwanda Development Board and Ministry of Tourism. |
| Sunday, April 26th: | Breakfast with Rwanda Development Board. Depart for Arusha, Tanzania via Kilimanjaro Airport on Rwanda Air. Doing Business in Tanzania: Evening Reception with East African Business Council and Secretary General of East African Community, Dr. Sezibera. |
| Monday, April 27st: | Presentations on Oil, Gas, Energy and Mineral Development. Meetings with the EAC Secretariat and the East Africa Business Council, EABC. Evening Reception with the Arusha Chamber of Commerce. |
| Tuesday, April 28st: | Explore opportunities in Tourism, Hospitality and Services. Tour of the area's major attractions. Evening Reception with Ministry of Tourism. |
| Wednesday, April 29st: | Breakfast and one-on-one with local counterparts and Ministry officials. Depart for Kilimanjaro Airport and on to the USA. |



Business Investment Sectors

Oil, Gas & Energy
Transportation Infrastructure
Hospitality, Tourism & Culture

TWO INVESTMENT OPTIONS

INVESTMENT per person is \$2,050 USD ~ after 3/20/15 \$2,500 USD

- ✓ **NOT inclusive:** Airfare, VISA, hotel lodging, transfers, meals, and gratuity per person.

INVESTMENT per person is \$6,200 USD ~ after 3/20/15 \$8,200 USD

- ✓ **ALL inclusive:** Airfare, single room hotel lodging, some meals, transfers and gratuity per person.

EACH INVESTMENT INCLUDES:

- Includes: Pre-screened one-on-one meetings with potential partners and/or end users, briefings, materials, event meals, local logistics and administrative costs.
- Direct access to Rwanda, Tanzania & Uganda sector Ministries and economic development specialist, government officials and meetings with U.S. industry specialists in country.
- Also, in-country logistics and receptions.
- **Note:** Trade Mission Fees are transferable within your company and non-refundable. Other incidentals will be the responsibility of each participant



Airfare. Each participant must book their respective airfare and may inquiry about travel insurance and it is not calculated into the total cost. Our travel agent ESM Travel, Elias Mwita may be reached at 1.773.310.9923 or travelesm@gmail.com and will work with participants on their travel itinerary.

Payment Schedule. \$500 nonrefundable deposit is due by March 20, 2015 and final payment of \$1,550 is due on or before March 31, 2015. Please email admin@africantbc.org for processing payments.

Passport. Please check your passport. It should NOT expire within 6 months of returning to the United States. If it does expire before that date, then please immediately renew your passport.

VISA. VISA's may be obtained in advance from the embassies, we recommend on obtaining your VISA on arrival and adhering to all relative processes and procedures prior to departure.

Below is the link giving details for applying for a Rwanda Visa.

<http://rwandaembassy.org/Home/index.php/consular-services/visa-information-applications>

Below is the link giving details for applying for a Tanzania Visa.

http://tanzaniaembassy-us.org/?page_id=76#visaForms

Below is the link giving details for applying for a Uganda Visa.

<http://washington.mofa.go.ug/data-smenu-88-Apply-online.htm>

International Flight Information.

4/18/15 Delta 136 DTW to AMS depart @7:50pm arrival 4/19/15 9:45am

4/18/15 Delta 9318 AMS to EBB depart @10:35am arrival 10:20pm

4/23/15 Rwanda Air 433 EBB to KGL depart @12:20pm arrival 12:10pm

4/26/15 Precision Air 1440 KGL to JRO depart @1:25pm arrival 3:50pm

4/29/15 Precision Air 727 JRO to NBO depart @3:00pm arrival 4:00pm

4/29/15 KLM 566 NBO to AMS depart @10:25pm arrival 4/30/15 5:40am

4/30/15 KLM 6035 AMS to DTW depart @7:45am arrival 10:25am

For international flights one needs to check in several hours before the departure. Should you make your own travel arrangements please share your flight itinerary with us at admin@africantbc.org.

Shots/Medicine. Check with a travel clinic in your area about shots needed for Rwanda, Tanzania, and Uganda.

Lodging.

We strongly recommended the following lodging accommodations.

Tanzania, Arusha - Mount Meru Hotel - <http://www.mountmeruhotel.com>

Rwanda, Kigali - Serena Hotel - <http://www.serenahotels.com/serenakigali/default-en.html>

Uganda, Kampala - Serena Hotel - <http://www.serenahotels.com/serenakampala/default-en.html>

Updates. Several updates will be coming as we finalize details of the trip including discounted lodging rates and a final list of all projects prior to our departure.