



African Evaluation Association
Association Africaine d'Évaluation



9th AfrEA

International Conference

**Accelerating Africa's Development:
Strengthening National
Evaluation Ecosystems**

11-15 March 2019 Abidjan | Cote d'Ivoire

The 9th AfrEA conference is co-hosted by the Réseau Ivoirien de Suivi et d'Évaluation (RISE) and the Government of Cote D'Ivoire.



About AfrEA

The **African Evaluation Association (AfrEA)** was founded in 1999 in response to a growing demand for information sharing, advocacy, and advanced evaluation capacity building in Africa. With the Secretariat in Accra, Ghana, AfrEA serves as an umbrella body for evaluators across the continent:

AfrEA aims to:

- Support evaluations that contribute to real and sustained development in Africa
- Promote Africa-rooted and Africa-led evaluation through sharing African evaluation perspectives
- Encourage the development and documentation of high quality evaluation practice and theory
- Support the establishment and growth of national evaluation associations or VOPEs
- Facilitate capacity building, networking and sharing of evaluation theories, techniques and tools among evaluators, policymakers, researchers and development specialists.

From six VOPEs in the 1990's, AfrEA's membership and influence has grown substantially in the last decade.

39

VOPE
members

113

registered
individuals

12

institutional
members

Kenya, 1999

300 participants, 35 countries

Kenya, 2002

350 participants, 90 papers

South Africa, 2004

482 participants, 56 countries

Niger, 2007

573 participants, 57 countries

Egypt, 2009

700 participants, NONIE & 3ie

Ghana, 2012

362 participants, 21 workshops

Cameroon, 2014

500 participants, 50 countries

Uganda, 2017

687 participants, 27 countries

About the Conference

AfrEA conferences are the foundation for **promoting and advocating** AfrEA's **Made in Africa** approach.

Like the eight conferences before it, the 9th AfrEA Conference will allow **knowledge sharing**, **collaboration** and **networking** with a wide range of international organisations and individuals.

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Conference strands

Conference participants can look forward to 12 innovative strands, each managed by a dedicated strand manager. Follow the conversations about the strands by using the hashtags:



Improving Agriculture and Food Security through Evaluation

#Agriculture #EvalAfrica2019



Towards a more Trans-formative Approach in Integrating Gender and Equity in Evaluation

#Gender #EvalAfrica2019



Achieving Educational Outcomes for Africa's Development: Quality, Measurement and Evaluation

#Education #EvalAfrica2019



Ensuring Good Health and well-being: New Approaches and methods in Evaluation

#Health #EvalAfrica2019



The Role of the Judiciary, Executive and Legislature in Evaluation: Responsive National Evaluation Systems

#NES #EvalAfrica2019



Climate Change interventions: The Use of Evaluative Evidence for Sustainable Development

#ClimateChange #EvalAfrica2019



Integrating Agenda 2063 and Agenda 2030: Implications for Evaluation in Africa

#Agenda2063 #EvalAfrica2019



The Role of Capacity Development in Strengthening the Evaluation Eco-system

#CapacityBuilding #EvalAfrica2019



Facilitating Professional Pathways for Young and Emerging Evaluators

#Youth #EvalAfrica2019



Presidential Strand: Realising the Vision of Made in Africa Evaluation

#MadeInAfrica #EvalAfrica2019



Evaluation in Humanitarian, Governance and Conflict Situations

#Humanitarian #EvalAfrica2019



The Fourth Industrial Revolution and its Impact on Development: Implications for Evaluation

#4thRevolution #EvalAfrica2019

Get involved

Donors with an interest in African evaluation can support the 9th AfrEA Conference in the following three ways:

- 1** Direct monetary support for technical execution of conference
- 2** Bursary sponsorship for conference attendance and logistics
- 3** Financial contribution towards strands

AfrEA is negotiating with various organisations to sponsor one of the **12 Conference Strands** identified by the strand sub-committee.

By leading a strand, sponsors commit to take ownership thereof, and accept the responsibility for capacity building and skills transfer within the specific strand of interest.

A strand may be co-sponsored by two or three partners.

AfrEA solicited over 25 sponsors for the 8th AfrEA International Conference in Kampala, Uganda.

Registration is now OPEN.



Early Bird Cut-off Date

18 February 2018

To register, visit the AfrEA website www.afrea.org and click on the 2019 Conference tab to access the registration page.

Limited number of bursaries are available for participants whose abstracts have been accepted. For more information on bursaries and application forms, please visit: <https://afrea.org/2019conference/call-for-bursaries/4>

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