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PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

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THEME

EVALUATION IN THE ERA OF POLYCRISIS: THE ROLE OF EVALUATION IN SUPPORTING AFRICA'S SOVEREIGNTY AND RESILIENCE IN THE FACE OF GLOBAL DISRUPTIONS

Welcome to Marrakech

From 23 to 27 November 2026, the African Evaluation Association (AfrEA) and the Moroccan Evaluation Association (AME) welcome the African and global evaluation community to Marrakech for the 12th AfrEA International Conference.

Two days of pre-conference workshops (23–24 November) are followed by three days of plenaries, high-level panels, parallel oral sessions, roundtables and poster presentations (25–27 November), organised around four thematic strands.

This programme lists every session with its time, room and code. Use the coloured tabs on the edge of the page to move from one section to the next.

CONFERENCE THEME

Evaluation in the Era of Polycrisis: The Role of Evaluation in Supporting Africa's Sovereignty and Resilience in the Face of Global Disruptions

THE CONFERENCE IN FIGURES

27
pre-conference workshops

8
plenary sessions and ceremonies

26
oral sessions

102
oral presentations

43
roundtables and panels

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posters

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Programme at a glance

MON 23 PRE-CONFERENCE · DAY 1

08:00 – 09:00	Breakfast and registration	Restaurant / registration desk
09:00 – 10:30	**Workshop and training session**	Multiple workshop rooms
10:30 – 11:00	Tea / coffee break	Restaurant
11:00 – 12:30	**Workshop and training session**	Multiple workshop rooms
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch	Restaurant
13:30 – 15:30	**Workshop and training session**	Multiple workshop rooms
15:30 – 15:45	Tea / coffee break	Restaurant
15:45 – 17:15	**Workshop and training session**	Multiple workshop rooms

TUE 24 PRE-CONFERENCE · DAY 2

08:00 – 09:00	Breakfast and registration	Restaurant / registration desk
09:00 – 10:30	**Workshop and training session**	Multiple workshop rooms
10:30 – 11:00	Tea / coffee break	Restaurant
11:00 – 12:30	**Workshop and training session**	Multiple workshop rooms
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch	Restaurant
13:30 – 15:30	**Workshop and training session**	Multiple workshop rooms
15:30 – 15:45	Tea / coffee break	Restaurant
15:45 – 17:15	**Workshop and training session**	Multiple workshop rooms
19:00 – 21:30	**Welcome dinner**	Restaurant Chez Ali, Marrakech

PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

Hands-on training to strengthen evaluation capacity. Registration required: US$100 per day. Full list of 27 workshops from page 8.

WED 25 DAY 1

08:00 – 09:00	Breakfast and registration	Restaurant / registration desk
09:00 – 10:30	**Inaugural session**	Mogadorium
10:30 – 11:00	**Tea / coffee and poster session**	Coliseum
11:00 – 12:30	**Opening panel**	Mogadorium
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch	Restaurant
13:30 – 15:15	**Parallel oral sessions and roundtables**	Breakout rooms
15:15 – 15:30	**Tea / coffee and poster session**	Coliseum
15:30 – 17:00	**Parallel oral sessions and roundtables**	Breakout rooms
17:00 – 17:30	**Closing panel and recap of Day 1**	Mogadorium

THU 26 DAY 2

07:45 – 09:00	Invitation-only breakfast roundtable	
09:00 – 10:30	**Plenary high-level panel**	Mogadorium
10:30 – 11:00	**Tea / coffee and poster session**	Coliseum
11:00 – 12:30	**Parallel oral sessions and roundtables**	Breakout rooms
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch	Restaurant
13:30 – 15:15	**Parallel oral sessions and roundtables**	Breakout rooms
15:15 – 15:30	**Tea / coffee and poster session**	Coliseum
15:30 – 17:00	**Parallel oral sessions and roundtables**	Breakout rooms
17:00 – 17:30	**Closing panel and recap of Day 2**	Mogadorium
17:00 – 18:00	**AfrEA Annual General Meeting**	Coliseum
19:00 – 21:00	**Dinner night**	

FRI 27 DAY 3

08:00 – 09:00	Breakfast and registration	Restaurant / registration desk
09:00 – 10:30	**Plenary high-level panel**	Mogadorium
10:30 – 11:00	**Tea / coffee and poster session**	Coliseum
11:00 – 12:30	**Parallel oral sessions and roundtables**	Breakout rooms
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch	Restaurant
13:30 – 14:30	**High-level closing ministerial plenary panel**	Mogadorium
14:30 – 15:30	**Closing ceremony**	Mogadorium

INFO

How to read this programme

OR-WED-A-01	Oral session · Wednesday · block A · session 01
RT-THU-B-03	Roundtable or panel · Thursday · block B · 03
P012	Poster number 12
EN / FR	Language of the presentation

PARALLEL BLOCKS

A · Wed 13:30 · Thu 11:00 · Fri 11:00

B · Wed 15:30 · Thu 13:30

C · Thu 15:30

THE FOUR STRANDS

- **Strand 1** Development paradigms & resilience
- **Strand 2** Decolonising evaluation
- **Strand 3** Information technology & AI
- **Strand 4** Leaving no one behind

Rooms (capacity)

Olympia	200	**Byblos**	45
Ourika	83	**Volubilis**	38
Likus	75	**Kheops**	38
Gharnata	70	**Ichbilia**	25
Luxor	65	**Zilis**	25
Andalous	63	**Oudaya**	20
Shellah	60	**Cordoba**	15
Saba	60	**Banasa**	15

Mogadorium: plenary sessions · Coliseum: posters, coffee breaks and AfrEA General Meeting

The four strands



STRAND 1

Rethinking Development Paradigms in the Era of the Polycrisis: What transformative role can evaluation play in strengthening resilience in Africa?

The world is facing several crises at once, including economic, climate, health, and conflict. This strand asks how evaluation can help Africa become more resilient and rethink the way development is done.



STRAND 2

Decolonising Evaluation Practices: Toward African approaches rooted in Indigenous knowledge and community participation in a changing global context.

For a long time, evaluation has relied on approaches designed elsewhere. This strand explores African ways of evaluating, drawing on Indigenous knowledge and the participation of local communities.



STRAND 3

Information Technology and Artificial Intelligence: What levers can drive adaptive and innovative evaluation in the face of the dynamics of the polycrisis?

Digital tools and artificial intelligence are changing how we work. This strand looks at how technology and AI can make evaluation more adaptive, innovative, and responsive in times of crisis.



STRAND 4

"Leaving No One Behind" in the Era of the Polycrisis: Promoting evaluation that is sensitive to the challenges of youth inclusion, gender, and climate change adaptation in Africa.

Crises hit the most vulnerable hardest. This strand focuses on evaluation that pays attention to young people, gender equality, and adapting to climate change, so that no one is left out.

WORKSHOPS

Pre-conference workshops

Monday 23 – Tuesday 24 November 2026

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Pre-conference workshops

Monday 23 – Tuesday 24 November 2026

MON–TUE TWO-DAY WORKSHOPS 6 workshops

09:00 12:30
1.5 DAYS ROOM SHELLAH EN
INCE in Africa Training – 3rd Cohort
FACILITATOR Juan Sanz

09:00 17:15
2 DAYS ROOM GHARNATA EN
AI for Monitoring, Evaluation, Research and Learning Bootcamp
FACILITATOR Varaidzo Magodo-Matimba

09:00 17:15
2 DAYS ROOM OLYMPIA EN
Developmental Evaluation for Polycrisis Adaptation and Resilience
FACILITATOR Michael Quinn Patton

09:00 17:15
2 DAYS ROOM SABA EN
Evaluating in Times of Crisis: Research Designs and Methods for Shock and Resilience Contexts
FACILITATOR American Institute for Research

09:00 17:15
2 DAYS ROOM LIKUS FR
L'Intelligence Artificielle au Service de l'Évaluation des Politiques et Programmes de Développement
FACILITATOR Ecole National D'Administration Publique, Canada

09:00 17:15
2 DAYS ROOM ANDALOUS EN
Monitoring, evaluation, and results-based management (RBM)
FACILITATOR OECD

MON 23 NOV. MONDAY 13 workshops

09:00 12:00
3 HOURS ROOM CORDOBA EN
A Practical Introduction to AI and Machine Learning for Evaluators
FACILITATOR Martin Schunk

09:00
12:00

HALF DAY ROOM LUXOR FR

Renforcer la résilience des politiques publiques africaines face à la polycrise : l'utilisation des données probantes comme levier de gouvernance et de développement

FACILITATOR Edoé Djimitri Agbodjan

09:00
14:30

4 HOURS ROOM BANASA FR

L'approche des resultats rapides dans un contexte de polycrise

FACILITATOR Abdou Karim LO

09:00
17:15

2 DAYS ROOM ZILIS EN

AI for Monitoring, Evaluation, Research and Learning Bootcamp

FACILITATOR Varaidzo Magodo-Matimba

09:00
17:15

1 DAY ROOM VOLUBILIS EN

Advanced Data Management, Analysis and Visualization Using STATA and AI for Adaptive Monitoring and Evaluation

FACILITATOR Ssenyondo Vicent

09:00
17:15

1 DAY ROOM OURIKA EN

Designing and Managing Equity-Focused Evaluations: From Principles to Practice

FACILITATOR CLEAR AA

09:00
17:15

1 DAY ROOM LUXOR EN

Pre-conference workshop: Designing evaluations for use

FACILITATOR Myriam Van Parijs

09:00
17:15

1 DAY ROOM BYBLOS EN

Speed, Rigour, and Relevance: Mainstreaming Rapid Evaluation for Agile Governance in Times of Crisis

FACILITATOR Ian Goldman

09:00
17:15

1 DAY ROOM KHEOPS EN

THEORY OF CHANGE FOR DESIGNING AND IMPLEMENTING INTERVENTIONS (Policies, programmes, projects)

FACILITATOR Godfrey Bwanika

09:30
15:30

ONE DAY ROOM ICHBILIA EN

Training of Trainers (ToT)

FACILITATOR Palmreuther Sabine (DEval)

13:30
15:00

90 MINUTES ROOM OUDAYA FR

Décoloniser les pratiques d'évaluation: le Tori Dey comme outil endogène d'une évaluation Made in Africa

FACILITATOR Boudan A Gouife Yolande

13:30
15:30

2 HOURS ROOM CORDOBA FR

Rendre l'IA fiable pour l'analyse de données qualitatives grâce aux dernières évolutions de l'IA

FACILITATOR Guillaume Soto

14:15
16:15

2 HOURS ROOM BANASA FR

Innovation Frugale à l'ère de l'IA

FACILITATOR Rafaralahy Manda Zanakolona Phillipe

TUE 24 NOV. TUESDAY 8 workshops

09:00
12:00

3 HOURS ROOM OUDAYA FR

Atelier de formation sur les normes éthiques dans la production d'évidence y compris l'évaluation et la protection des données (UNICEF et OIM)

FACILITATOR Rachid Amri

09:00
12:30

3 HOURS ROOM OUDAYA EN

Communication for Evaluation: From Report Production to Influence and Uptake

FACILITATOR Cocca Patrizia

09:00
12:30

HALF DAY ROOM CORDOBA FR

Evaluating Across Borders: Co-constructing Approaches to Transnational Evaluation and Evaluation Capacity Development

FACILITATOR Edoe Djimitri Agbodjan

09:00
12:30

HALF DAY ROOM ICHBILIA FR

Exigences méthodologique pour des évaluations sensibles aux enjeux d'inclusion des jeunes, du genre et de l'adaptation au changement climatique

FACILITATOR Hounliho Viouwè Beaudelaire Auguste

09:00
12:30

HALF DAY ROOM BYBLOS EN

Publishing African Evaluation Research: A Workshop with the African Evaluation Journal

FACILITATOR African Evaluation Journal

09:00
14:30

4 HOURS ROOM VOLUBILIS FR

Évaluer la transformation des normes sociales et des rapports de pouvoir : outils pratiques pour les équipes d'évaluation en contexte africain

FACILITATOR Yossa Thaddée

09:00
15:30

5 HOURS ROOM BANASA FR

Données, intelligence artificielle et évaluation parlementaire : les innovations sénégalaises au service de la performance publique et de la redevabilité

FACILITATOR Mamadou Yauck

09:00
17:15

1 DAY ROOM GHARNATA FR

Approches d'évaluation pour un changement transformationnel

FACILITATOR Kouessi Maximin Kodjo

Plenaries & special events

Mogadorium · 25–27 November 2026

Inaugural session, high-level panels, rapporteurs' syntheses, the closing ministerial panel and the conference's social moments.



Plenaries & special events

Mogadorium · 25–27 November 2026

TUE 24 NOV. — PRE-CONFERENCE

19:00 – 21:30

RESTAURANT CHEZ ALI, MARRAKECH

Welcome dinner

All participants · Ouahat Sidi Brahim, Marrakesh 40000

WED 25 NOV. — DAY 1

09:00 – 10:30

INAUGURAL SESSION

Evaluation in the Era of Polycrisis: The Role of Evaluation in Supporting Africa's Sovereignty and Resilience in the Face of Global Disruptions

Mogadorium

11:00 – 12:30

OPENING PANEL

Evaluation in the Era of Polycrisis: The Role of Evaluation in Supporting Africa's Sovereignty and Resilience in the Face of Global Disruptions

Mogadorium

17:00 – 17:30

CLOSING PANEL AND RECAP OF DAY 1

Rapporteurs' synthesis

Mogadorium

THU 26 NOV. — DAY 2

07:45 – 09:00

Invitation-only breakfast roundtable

Hosted by UNDP

09:00 – 10:30

PLENARY HIGH-LEVEL PANEL

From Niamey to Marrakech: The Journey of Made in Africa Evaluation in Support of Africa's Sovereignty in Evaluation

Mogadorium · Official launch of the Made in Africa Evaluation Toolkit: AfrEA, UDS, UB, Mastercard Foundation / YLabs

17:00
17:30

CLOSING PANEL AND RECAP OF DAY 2
Rapporteurs' synthesis
Mogadorium

17:00
18:00

COLISEUM
AfrEA Annual General Meeting
AfrEA members · 13th Annual General Meeting

19:00
21:00

Dinner night
All participants

FRI 27 NOV. DAY 3

09:00
10:30

PLENARY HIGH-LEVEL PANEL
Era of Polycrisis, or the Need to Rethink Development Evaluation
Mogadorium

13:30
14:30

HIGH-LEVEL CLOSING MINISTERIAL PLENARY PANEL
Evaluation in the Era of Multiple Crises in Africa: A Catalyst or an Obstacle to Political Activism in Support of the Institutionalization of Evaluation in Africa
Mogadorium

14:30
15:30

CLOSING CEREMONY
Conference closing
Mogadorium

Strand 1 · Development paradigms & resilience

Rethinking Development Paradigms in the Era of the Polycrisis: What transformative role can evaluation play in strengthening resilience in Africa?

IN PLAIN TERMS

The world is facing several crises at once, including economic, climate, health, and conflict. This strand asks how evaluation can help Africa become more resilient and rethink the way development is done.

STRAND 1



Strand 1 · Oral sessions

Development paradigms & resilience

WED 25 NOV. | **PARALLEL SESSIONS** | 13:30 – 14:30

13:30
14:30

STRAND 1 · SESSION 1 | **OR-WED-A-01** | ROOM OLYMPIA

Beyond Survival: How Can Evaluation Trace Resilience Across Governance, Livelihoods, Markets and Peacebuilding in an Era of Polycrisis?

MODERATOR **Dr. Kapongola Oswald Nganyanyuka**

13:30 Evaluating Electoral Resilience in a Polycrisis Context: Lessons from the EU-SDGN Phase II Mid-Term Evaluation in Nigeria
Moshood Abolore Folorunsho EN

13:45 Beyond the Threshold: Measuring Durable Resilience in South African Livelihoods Programming
Munashe Muchenga EN

14:00 Evaluating Resilience in Pastoral Market Systems under Polycrisis: Round 1 Evidence and Methodological Lessons from a Longitudinal Results Measurement System in Northern Kenya
Edwin Kimutai Chemiron EN

14:15 From Evidence to Resilience: What Evaluation Can Teach Us About Building Peace in Africa
Tina Tordjman-Nebe EN

13:30
14:30

STRAND 1 · SESSION 2 | **OR-WED-A-02** | ROOM OURIKA

Can Evaluation See the Next Shock? Rethinking Data, Metrics and Adaptive Capacity

MODERATOR **Khumo Pule**

13:30 Data-Driven Diagnostics: Leveraging National Statistics to Evaluate Polycrisis in Uganda
Moureen M. Iraguha EN

13:45 Rethinking Development Metrics in Africa: Integrating Adaptive Capability and Predictive Resilience into Evaluation Systems
Reuben Etuk EN

14:00 From Performance Management to Transformative Evaluation: Lessons from South Africa's National Evaluation System
Babette Rabie EN

OR-WED-A-02 **Can Evaluation See the Next Shock? Rethinking Data, Metrics and Adaptive Capacity (c...**

14:15 Beyond Results: Measuring Compounding Development Impact and Systemic Resilience through an African Evaluation Framework in the Era of the Polycrisis
Alphonse Byiringiro EN

13:30
14:30

STRAND 1 · SESSION 3 OR-WED-A-03 ROOM LIKUS

From Institutionalisation to Sovereignty: Can African-Led Evaluation Systems Reclaim Decision-Making Power and Adapt to Polycrisis?

MODERATOR **Dr. Déo-Gracias Houndolo**

13:30 L'évaluation comme infrastructure de souveraineté : sept ans de construction du dispositif national d'évaluation des politiques publiques au Cameroun (2019-2026)
Evaluation as sovereignty infrastructure: seven years of building Cameroon's national public policy evaluation framework (2019-2026)
Urbain B. Tsala FR

13:45 Pratique avant le droit ou droit avant la pratique ? Bénin et Côte d'Ivoire, deux trajectoires d'institutionnalisation de l'évaluation au service de la souveraineté décisionnelle africaine
Assana Mariam Yabre FR

14:00 Repenser le suivi-évaluation dans les contextes de polycrise : vers un cadre africain d'évaluation adaptative pour renforcer la résilience des programmes de développement
Oueddraogo Olivier FR

14:15 Eléments épistémologiques et stratégiques d'élaboration d' un référentiel d'évaluation de la souveraineté en Afrique
Elimane Haby Kane FR

13:30
14:30

STRAND 1 · SESSION 4 OR-WED-A-04 ROOM GHARNATA

Sovereignty by Design or Through Capacity? Building the People, Partnerships and Evidence Base Behind African Evaluation

MODERATOR **Dr. Steven Masvaure**

13:30 Learning-by-Doing Country-Led Evaluations
Dirk Hoffmann EN

13:45 Business Development for Evaluation Sovereignty: Building Resilient African Partnerships in an Era of Polycrisis
Uloko, Noelle Ene EN

OR-WED-A-04 **Sovereignty by Design or Through Capacity? Building the People, Partnerships and Evid...**

14:00 Building Institutional Resilience Through Evaluation Capacity: A Training-of-Trainers Process and Lessons Learned from Kenya
Gordon Otieno Wanzare EN

14:15 The Relevance of Structured Evaluation Training Programmes (TEMPO): Evidence from INCE Data
Jens Eger EN

WED 25 NOV. PARALLEL SESSIONS 15:30 – 16:30

15:30
16:30

STRAND 1 · SESSION 5 **OR-WED-B-01** ROOM OLYMPIA

How Can Evaluation Strengthen Inclusive Public Programmes at Scale? Lessons from Refugee Education, Maternal and Child Health, and Agricultural Training?

MODERATOR **Sakina B. Mwinyimkuu**

15:30 Building Institutional Pathways to Refugee Teacher Labour Market Inclusion in Kenya: Implementation Learning from the TeachWell Voices Project
Dennis Ngumi Wang'ombe EN

15:45 Barriers and facilitators to the implementation of monitoring and evaluation systems for national programs addressing maternal and child health in Côte d'Ivoire: using the Consolidated Framework for Implementation Research (CFIR)
Essis Marie Laure EN

16:00 Costing the Path to Scale: Routine Cost Tracking and Scale-Up Modeling for Government-Led Delivery of Farmer Field and Business Schools in Tanzania
Florence Santos EN

15:30
16:30

STRAND 1 · SESSION 6 **OR-WED-B-02** ROOM OURIKA

From Community Resilience to Sovereign Public Systems: What Role Can Evaluation Play in an Era of Polycrisis?

MODERATOR **Dr Alexis Loyé**

15:30 Le rôle transformateur de l'évaluation dans le renforcement de la souveraineté énergétique et de la résilience des ménages ruraux au Bénin
Houngbo FR

15:45 Au-delà des projets, l'influence des politiques publiques à partir des résultats opérationnels : enseignements tirés des évaluations des appuis du FIDA
Kouessi Maximin Kodjo FR

OR-WED-B-02 **From Community Resilience to Sovereign Public Systems: What Role Can Evaluation Pla...**

16:00	Evaluation de l'impact de la diversification des cultures avec les légumes et les tubercules sur la sécurité alimentaire des riziculteurs au sud du Mali **Madou Sidibe** FR
16:15	Résilience du système de santé face à la polycrise au Burkina Faso (2021-2025) : quel rôle pour l'évaluation dans le renforcement des mécanismes d'adaptation ? **Savadogo Hadiza** FR
16:30	Pour une évaluation dirigée et maîtrisée par les pays en développement **Victor M. B. Borges** FR

Strand 2 · Decolonising evaluation

Decolonising Evaluation Practices: Toward African approaches rooted in Indigenous knowledge and community participation in a changing global context.

IN PLAIN TERMS

For a long time, evaluation has relied on approaches designed elsewhere. This strand explores African ways of evaluating, drawing on Indigenous knowledge and the participation of local communities.



Strand 2 · Oral sessions

Decolonising evaluation

WED 25 NOV. PARALLEL SESSIONS 15:30 – 16:30

15:30
16:30

STRAND 2 · SESSION 1 OR-WED-B-03 ROOM LIKUS

Decolonising Evaluation from the Ground Up: Can Indigenous Knowledge Transform What We Measure and How We Learn?

MODERATOR **Serge Eric Yakeu Djiam**

15:30 Decolonizing Guideline Practices: Lessons from the GIN Africa Webinar Series
Akah Thelma Eni EN

15:45 Puiser à une source qui se tarit ? Le Made in Africa Evaluation à l'épreuve de l'épistémicide Drawing from a drying spring? Made in Africa Evaluation put to the test of epistemicide
Urbain B. Tsala EN

16:00 Whose Evidence Counts? Indigenous Knowledge, Community Voices, and the Politics of Evidence in African Evaluation
Awuor Ponge EN

16:15 Decolonizing Evaluation through Indigenous Knowledge: Lessons from Bahaya Wedding Ceremonies for African Resilience
Rutagwelera Godfrey Mutakyahwa EN

16:30 Relational Evaluation: An Ethical Guide for Evaluations based on Situated Ancestral Knowledges
Raquel Herrera EN

15:30
16:30

STRAND 2 · SESSION 2 OR-WED-B-04 ROOM GHARNATA

Who Has the Power to Define Credible Evidence in African Evaluation?

MODERATOR **Dr. Salah Bouyousfi**

15:30 Souveraineté évaluative : repenser les systèmes nationaux d'évaluation comme infrastructures publiques de gouvernance des connaissances en Afrique
Sahiya Tchernaka Yacouba FR

15:45 Repenser l'évaluation en Afrique : conjuguer standards internationaux, savoirs endogènes et participation communautaire
Zongo Daouda FR

OR-WED-B-04 **Who Has the Power to Define Credible Evidence in African Evaluation?** (cont.)

16:00 Décoloniser le Suivi-Évaluation en Afrique : vers un cadre transformateur ancré dans les savoirs locaux et la justice cognitive
Lassana Toure FR

16:15 Le contes et les récits des peuples autochtones (Pygmées Baka d'Afrique centrale) comme outils de décolonisation de l'évaluation en Afrique
Jean Bosco Ndongo Bihina FR

THU 26 NOV. PARALLEL SESSIONS 11:00 – 12:00

11:00 – 12:00

STRAND 2 · SESSION 3 **OR-THU-A-01** ROOM OLYMPIA

From African Principles to Professional Practice: Developing Standards that Shape Evaluation and Policy

MODERATOR **Oumoul Khayri Ba Tall**

11:00 Decolonizing Evaluation through Indigenous Knowledge Systems: Advancing Made in Africa Evaluation in an Era of Polycrisis
Awuor Ponge EN

11:15 Mapping African Evaluation Scholarship: A Bibliometric and Scoping Review of the African Evaluation Journal
Samuel Kwadwo Botchway EN

11:30 Designing Digital Practice for African-Rooted Evaluation
Jerusha Govender EN

11:45 Experiences of young and emerging evaluators as they implement made in Africa evaluation(MAE) principles
Naana Amonoo-Neizer EN

11:00 – 12:00

STRAND 2 · SESSION 4 **OR-THU-A-02** ROOM OURIKA

Who Controls the Evidence? Moving Communities from Data Sources to Co-Evaluators

MODERATOR **Adeline Sibanda**

11:00 Nothing About Us Without Us: Community Agency as an Operational Bridge Between Made in Africa Evaluation and Data-Protection Practice
Derick Andrew Biakolo EN

11:15 Community-Based Monitoring as a Pathway to Operationalising Decolonised Monitoring and Evaluation: Lessons from an Education Program in Makame Wildlife Management Area, Tanzania
Gladness Kampa EN

OR-THU-A-02 **Who Controls the Evidence? Moving Communities from Data Sources to Co-Evaluators (...**

11:30	From Evidence Extraction to Community-Led Use: Decolonizing Utilization-Focused Evaluation in Africa **Ronald Obong** EN
11:45	However, a river flows can never rise above its source; African Proverb; demystifying youth-led evaluations in a globalized world through Ngwanake Cultural empowerment framework **Wanjiru Nderitu** EN
12:00	Building the next generation of evaluators: A comparative review of youth capacity building initiatives in South Africa **Lebogang Pheladi Magolego** EN

Strand 3 · Information technology & AI

Information Technology and Artificial Intelligence: What levers can drive adaptive and innovative evaluation in the face of the dynamics of the polycrisis?

IN PLAIN TERMS

Digital tools and artificial intelligence are changing how we work. This strand looks at how technology and AI can make evaluation more adaptive, innovative, and responsive in times of crisis.



Strand 3 · Oral sessions

Information technology & AI

THU 26 NOV. PARALLEL SESSIONS 11:00 – 12:00

11:00
12:00

STRAND 3 · SESSION 1 | OR-THU-A-03 | ROOM LIKUS

Can AI Strengthen Evaluation Causality Without Weakening Accountability?

MODERATOR **Dr. Takunda Chirau**

11:00 Integration of Artificial Intelligence Technologies and Techniques in Public Policy Evaluation: A Scoping Review
Noura Hissou EN

11:15 Can Artificial Intelligence make evaluation more adaptative in an increasingly complex world? Experiences and transferable lessons for African evaluation
Schunk Martin EN

11:30 Causal Artificial Intelligence for Evaluation: Integrating Theory-Based Evaluation and Machine Learning to Strengthen Evidence for Africa's Development
Jaya Sojen EN

11:00
12:00

STRAND 3 · SESSION 2 | OR-THU-A-04 | ROOM GHARNATA

African Agency in the Digital Evaluation Era: Who Governs AI, M&E Tools and Public Safety?

MODERATOR **Miheso S. Eugene**

11:00 Leveraging Information Technology and Artificial Intelligence for Adaptive and Innovative Evaluation in the Face of African Polycrisis Dynamics: Experience of a Young and Emerging Evaluator
Aisha Adhiambo Awuor EN

11:15 Leveraging Digital M&E Systems for Adaptive Management, lessons from the YEFFA Youth Agriculture Programme in Rwanda
Inema Stone Alizée EN

11:30 Beyond the Technology: Evaluating People, Processes and Technology as an Integrated System in Public Safety Innovation
Jerusha Govender EN

11:45 Made In Africa Artificial Intelligence Approaches In Monitoring, Evaluation, Research And Learning: A Practitioner Perspective And Landscape Study
Varaidzo Magodo-Matimba EN

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STRAND 3 · SESSION 3 OR-THU-B-01 ROOM OLYMPIA

Can African Institutions Shape AI Governance Before Algorithms Shape Public Decisions?

MODERATOR **Dr. Uche Nwachukwu**

13:30 Renforcer la résilience des systèmes africains de suivi-évaluation à l'ère de l'intelligence artificielle : une approche fondée sur les principes FAIR, l'AI Readiness et l'expérience AfriData Ready
Alla Patrick-Eudess Zatty EN

13:45 Anticipatory Governance Outcome Mapping for AI-Enabled Public Systems
Dennis Ngumi Wang'ombe EN

14:00 Does the Machine Understand Us? Testing Whether Large Language Models Preserve African Meaning When Coding Qualitative Evaluation Data, and What This Means for Evaluation Sovereignty
Sisimayi Tapiwa Patson EN

14:15 Le système de suivi-évaluation qui ne démarre jamais : six dispositifs, dix ans, une explication d'économie politique The never-launched M&E system: six systems, ten years, a political economy explanation
Urbain Bienvenu Tsala EN

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STRAND 3 · SESSION 4 OR-THU-B-02 ROOM OURIKA

From Monitoring Data to Auditable Evidence: Can Digital Systems Ensure Trust and Accountability?

MODERATOR **Eddah Kanini Karijo**

13:30 Building Resilient Evidence Systems: The Role of Technology-Enabled Impact Monitoring in African Development Finance Institutions During Polycrisis
Chukwujekwu Charles Nwoye EN

13:45 Human-AI Interaction Dynamics: A Human-Centered Analysis of Data Quality in AI-Assisted Health Information Systems in 3 States in Nigeria
Joy Shallangwa EN

14:00 Strengthening routine health information systems through evaluation: evidence from a dhis2 data concordance audit in northern nigeria
Matthew Alabi EN

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STRAND 3 · SESSION 5 OR-THU-B-03 ROOM LIKUS

Incomplete Data, Automated Analysis: Where Should Evaluators Draw the Line on What They Claim?

MODERATOR **Sampson Akanpigbiam**

13:30 Adaptive Evaluation under Data Constraints: Responsible Estimation and the Reporting of Employment Effects in a Large-Scale Grant Programme in Nigeria
Kabir Abdulkareem EN

13:45 From Evidence to Resilient Youth Health Systems: Lessons from an AI-Supported Meta-Synthesis of Evaluations Across the UN System
Tami Aritomi EN

14:00 Decolonisation Conversations: Reclaiming African Evaluation Through Indigenous Knowledge, Community Participation and Digital Knowledge Platforms
Mokgophana Ramasobana EN

Strand 4 · Leaving no one behind

“Leaving No One Behind” in the Era of the Polycrisis: Promoting evaluation that is sensitive to the challenges of youth inclusion, gender, and climate change adaptation in Africa.

IN PLAIN TERMS

Crises hit the most vulnerable hardest. This strand focuses on evaluation that pays attention to young people, gender equality, and adapting to climate change, so that no one is left out.



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STRAND 4 · SESSION 1 | OR-THU-B-04 | ROOM GHARNATA

Whose Knowledge Shapes Resilience? Inclusive Evaluation of Youth, Communities and Food Systems in Africa's Polycrisis

MODERATOR **Dr. Toyin Akpan**

13:30 Weaving Made in Africa Evaluation Practices towards invigorating Youth and community Sustainability and innovation in Africa; in the era of Polycrisis
Baraka Leonard Mfilinge EN

13:45 Evaluating Innovative Urban and Peri-Urban Agriculture as a Resilience Pathway to Food Security in the Era of Polycrisis: Evidence from Bamenda, Cameroon
Ngesang Ngiqueh Ngetleh EN

14:00 Methodological and Cultural Adaptation Gaps Inhibiting Youth, Gender Inclusion and Climate Change Adaptation During Evaluation Practice in Uganda Within the Context of Polycrisis
Henry Nsobya EN

14:15 Youth as Evaluators, Not Just Beneficiaries: Reimagining Inclusive Evaluation Practice in Africa's Polycrisis, Gender-Responsive Evaluation as a Tool for Equity in Africa's Polycrisis, Climate-Sensitive Indicators and Adaptive Evaluation Design in a Polycrisis Context
Dr. Stella Karimi Silas EN

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STRAND 4 · SESSION 2 | OR-THU-C-01 | ROOM OLYMPIA

Advancing Inclusive Capacity in Africa: Digital Identity, Youth Employability and the Evaluation Profession

MODERATOR **Dr. Benjamin Mudiwa**

15:30 Leaving No One Behind: The Cloneshouse Internship Programme as a Model for Inclusive Evaluation Capacity Development in Africa
Princess Odey EN

15:45 Beyond Connectivity: Tracing the Pathway from Digital Inclusion to Work Readiness among Nigerian Youth
Pushpendra Mishra EN

OR-THU-C-01 **Advancing Inclusive Capacity in Africa: Digital Identity, Youth Employability and the Eva...**

16:00 Uganda's Digital Identity Transformation: Lessons from the Mass Enrolment and Renewal Programme for Strengthening National Identity Management and Digital Public Infrastructure
Stephen Robert Kasumba EN

16:15 Building the Missing Middle in South Africa's M&E Profession
Jenean Ann Pretorius EN

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STRAND 4 · SESSION 3 OR-THU-C-02 ROOM OURIKA

Beyond Participation Metrics: How Can Evaluation Trace Shifts in Gendered Power, Voice and Decision-Making?

MODERATOR **Rosetti Nabbumba Nayenga**

15:30 Embedding Feminist Evaluation Cultures in Climate Governance: Insights from Kenya, Nigeria & Pakistan
Cynthia Jebichii EN

15:45 Leaving No One Behind in the Polycrisis: A Cross-Programme MEAL Synthesis of Gender-Inclusive Programming in Northern Nigeria, 2015–2025
Ruqayyah Ibrahim Salihu EN

16:00 Beyond Digital Access: Integrating Gender Risk Pathways into the Evaluation of Women's Digital Inclusion Programmes – Evidence from South East Nigeria
Khadija Yahaya Muhammad EN

16:15 Developing a Value for Money Framework for Employment Programmes: Lessons from South Africa's Jobs Fund
Eleanor Hazell EN

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STRAND 4 · SESSION 4 OR-THU-C-03 ROOM LIKUS

Whose Resilience Counts? Gender Equity, Youth Leadership and African Evaluation Amid Climate Disruption and Displacement

MODERATOR **Dede Bedu-Addo**

15:30 Empowering Young Women Evaluators: AGDEN's Gender-Responsive Contributions to Inclusive MERL Systems in the Context of Climate Disruptions
Jackson Mutavi EN

15:45 Beyond Livelihoods: Evaluating Gender-Responsive Resilience among Refugee and Host Young Mothers in East Cameroon
Ngouagna Edwin Longchi EN

OR-THU-C-03 **Whose Resilience Counts? Gender Equity, Youth Leadership and African Evaluation Ami...**

16:00 Assessing Gender Outcomes and Equity in Made in Africa Evaluations: A Scoping Review of Evidence and Gaps
Ngesang Ngiqueh Ngetleh EN

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STRAND 4 · SESSION 5 OR-THU-C-04 ROOM GHARNATA

Whose Needs Shape Evaluation in Africa's Polycrisis? Youth Inclusion, Disability Equity and the Capabilities Approach

MODERATOR **Dr. Wanjiru Nderitu**

15:30 Leaving No One Behind" in the Era of the Polycrisis: Promoting Evaluation That Is Sensitive to Youth Inclusion, Gender, and Climate Change Adaptation in Uganda
Mallo Paul Lokiru EN

15:45 Owning the Evidence: Disability-Inclusive Evaluation as a Sovereign Public Good in Africa's Era of Polycrisis
Papi Sibomana EN

16:00 Beyond Compliance: Operationalizing the Capabilities Approach in Theory-Based Evaluation for Adaptive African Development
Seddik Ouboulahcen EN

16:15 Leaving no one behind in the era of the polycrisis
Evans Kiprotich Mutai EN

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STRAND 4 · SESSION 6 OR-THU-C-05 ROOM LUXOR

Can Evaluation Connect Evidence on Inclusion Across Partnerships, Livelihoods, Climate Action and Humanitarian Response?

MODERATOR **Dr. Nii Adotei Baddoo**

15:30 Evaluating Collaboration & Partnership as a requirement for systemic change: measure what you value and value what you measure
Tara Polzer Ngwato EN

15:45 Le dernier kilomètre de « ne laisser personne de côté » : évaluer l'inclusion là où eau, emploi et climat n'en font qu'un The last mile of leaving no one behind: evaluating inclusion where water, employment and climate become one
Urbain B. Tsala EN

16:00 Leaving No One Behind During Crises: Strengthening Gender and Equity in Humanitarian Response through Rapid Evaluation
Eddah Kanini Karijo EN

OR-THU-C-05 **Can Evaluation Connect Evidence on Inclusion Across Partnerships, Livelihoods, Climate...**

16:15 Evaluation that Leaves No One Behind in the Era of Polycrisis: Youth Inclusion, Gender Equity, and Climate Adaptation Lessons from the Bank of Industry in Nigeria
Muhammad Z. Bello EN

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STRAND 4 · SESSION 7 OR-FRI-A-01 ROOM OLYMPIA

Who Benefits from Climate-Resilient Development? Evaluating Gender, Youth Inclusion and Essential Services

MODERATOR **Tsigereda Bekele**

11:00 Evaluating Climate Resilience Amid Climate Change Controversies: Learning from Inclusive Evaluation Practice in Nigeria
Rinji Lekyes Kwarkas EN

11:15 Who Benefits from Rural Electrification? A Gender-Responsive Evaluation of Household and Enterprise Outcomes under Uganda's ERT-3 Project
Sylvester Kato EN

11:30 Whose Resilience Counts? Disaggregating Asset Integrity Monitoring Data for Gender-, Youth-, and Climate-Responsive WASH Evaluation in Africa
Oladele O. (Andy) Rotimi EN

11:45 Evaluating Inclusion in Crisis: Lessons from Uganda's SDG-Aligned Development Programming for Youth, Gender, and Climate Resilience
Nakiwanda Juliana EN

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STRAND 4 · SESSION 8 OR-FRI-A-02 ROOM OURIKA

How Can Evaluation Advance Equitable and Sustainable Development in Africa's Polycrisis?

MODERATOR **Abdoul Aziz Kane**

11:00 Optimiser les synergies entre la restauration des paysages forestiers et les pratiques d'élevage climato-intelligentes en République de Guinée
Vayanga Donzo FR

11:15 Communication participative et évaluation des innovations agroécologiques : analyse de la participation des communautés rurales dans la conception et la mise en œuvre du projet FO-RI de la Confédération Paysanne du Faso
Yelkouni Somtounda Alicia Rebecca FR

11:30 Évaluer l'impact des initiatives communautaires de lutte contre la pollution plastique : le cas de Plastik-off au Togo
Ablam Senyo Bolouvi FR

OR-FRI-A-02 **How Can Evaluation Advance Equitable and Sustainable Development in Africa's Polycris...**

11:45 Développement durable, équitable et efficace à l'ère de la polycrise : quel rôle de l'évaluation sensible au genre : cas du Cameroun
Adakou Apedo-Amah FR

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STRAND 4 · SESSION 9 OR-FRI-A-03 ROOM LIKUS

Are Social Programmes Delivering Equitable Outcomes? Evaluation Across Early Childhood, Education, Youth and Women's Reintegration

MODERATOR **Dr. Nassibou Bassongui**

11:00 Repenser l'évaluation des politiques de la petite enfance dans le contexte de polycrise au Cameroun
Dodo Gaston FR

11:15 De bénéficiaires à co-évaluateurs : une approche innovante pour placer les adolescents et les jeunes au cœur du processus évaluatif
Rachid Amri FR

11:30 NJANG IA : évaluer toute la chaîne éducative par l'intelligence artificielle — de l'élève à l'enseignant, en passant par l'équité de genre
Modou Sene FR

11:45 Évaluer un dispositif pilote de réinsertion socio économique de femmes ex détenues : enseignements du projet d'autonomisation à la MACA (Côte d'Ivoire)
Koffi Epouse Brou Avla Hermance Cynthia FR

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STRAND 4 · SESSION 10 OR-FRI-A-04 ROOM GHARNATA

Does Evaluation Follow the Learner—from School Feeding to Early Childhood and Adaptive Education?

MODERATOR **Tina Tordjman-Nebe**

11:00 Assessing the effects of the Ghana School Feeding Programme on student attendance and academic performance in public primary schools
Daniel Afona EN

11:15 Labour mobility and agricultural productivity: Assessing the impact of internal migration on cassava productivity among Nigerian cassava farming households
Akaninyene Patrick Obot EN

11:30 From Measurement to Meaningful Impact: Strengthening Resilient and Adaptive Education Systems through MERL in East Africa
Gilbert Ebole EN

OR-FRI-A-04 **Does Evaluation Follow the Learner—from School Feeding to Early Childhood and Adapti...**

11:45 The effects of capacity strengthening interventions on food security and nutrition in Africa
Laura Kunert EN

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STRAND 4 · SESSION 11 OR-FRI-A-05 ROOM LUXOR

From Crisis Recovery to Lasting Wellbeing: Can Evaluation Advance Nutrition and Gender Equity?

MODERATOR **Dr. Mjiba Frehiwot**

11:00 Building a Critical Mass of Frontline Responders: Proposing a framework for paraprofessional psychosocial support for reintegration and violent extremism recovery in Kenya
Dennis Ngumi Wang'ombe EN

11:15 Diversifying evaluation of nutrition outcomes: Alternative to RCTs for Cash-Based Transfers Uganda's Child-sensitive Social Protection Programme (NutriCash+)
Roland Bless Taremwa EN

11:30 Perceptions and attitudes of south African evaluators towards virtual evaluation
Lesedi Senamele Matlala EN

11:45 Leaving No One Behind? Evaluating Gender, Youth, and Geographic Inclusion in Sustainable Agriculture Programmes in Western Kenya
Jackline Musuya EN

Roundtables & panels

Wednesday 25 – Friday 27 November 2026

Ninety-minute roundtables and panel discussions, held in parallel with the oral sessions.



Roundtables & panels

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RT-WED-A-01 ROOM LUXOR FR

Les Observatoires de l'évaluation : outils de connaissance et de capitalisation

FACILITATOR Jean-Marie Loncle

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RT-WED-A-02 ROOM ANDALOUS FR

Évaluer pour transformer : renforcer la résilience de l'Afrique face aux polycrises

FACILITATOR Valentine Sama

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RT-WED-A-03 ROOM SHELLAH EN

Indigenous Knowledge and Evaluation for Resilience: Lessons from the Ogiek Community in Navigating the Era of Polycrisis

FACILITATOR Alexander Kisioi Koech

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RT-WED-A-04 ROOM SABA FR

L'Afrique francophone et le concept Made in Africa Evaluation (MAE) : Contribution, Appropriation, Adaptation pour le soutien à la souveraineté et à la résilience

FACILITATOR Fatimata W. Gaye

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RT-WED-A-05 ROOM BYBLOS EN

Building Stronger Evaluation Systems in Africa: Reflections on the INCE in Africa Experience

FACILITATOR Juan Sanz

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RT-WED-A-06 ROOM ICHBILIA EN

Decolonisation Conversations: Reclaiming African Evaluation Through Indigenous Knowledge, Community Participation and Digital Knowledge Platforms

FACILITATOR Mokgophana

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RT-WED-A-07 ROOM VOLUBILIS EN

The End(s) of Evaluation? Five Predictions for Evaluation in Africa in an Age of Polycrisis

FACILITATOR Douglas Glandon

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RT-WED-A-08 ROOM KHEOPS EN

Reimagining Evaluation's Role in Strengthening Resilience in Africa

FACILITATOR Ashley Wax

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RT-WED-A-09 ROOM OUDAYA EN

Evaluating Democracy in an Era of Polycrisis: Whose Evidence, Whose Voice and Whose Accountability?

FACILITATOR Vincent Ssenyondo

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RT-WED-B-01 ROOM LUXOR EN

Session 1: Systematising evaluation for resilient futures: country perspectives (countries - SA, Uganda, Egypt and Colombia)

FACILITATOR Doha Abdelhamid

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RT-WED-B-02 ROOM ANDALOUS FR

Dynamiques d'institutionnalisation et de professionnalisation de l'évaluation en Afrique francophone : regards croisés sur 5 initiatives associatives

FACILITATOR Jean-Marie Loncle

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RT-WED-B-03 ROOM SHELLAH EN

Why good evaluations are not enough: rethinking evaluation use through the lens of government decision-makers

FACILITATOR Myriam Van Parijs

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RT-WED-B-04 ROOM SABA EN

Use and adaptation of the OECD/DAC development evaluation norms in Africa

FACILITATOR Cécilia De Decker

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RT-WED-B-05 ROOM BYBLOS FR

« Leave No Young Evaluator Behind » : le modèle AfrEA Young and Emerging Evaluators pour renforcer l'inclusion générationnelle et la durabilité des systèmes africains d'évaluation

FACILITATOR Candide Tamadaho

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RT-WED-B-06 ROOM VOLUBILIS FR

Table ronde de haut niveau : Concilier données probantes, décision politique et attentes des citoyens en contexte de polycrise: la vision de l'APNODE pour la transformation des fonctions parlementaires

FACILITATOR Agnes Marie Josee Abbet

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RT-WED-B-07 ROOM KHEOPS FR

Evaluation for Learning and Systems Change: How Funders respond to Complexity, Polycrisis and the Need for Transformative Practice

FACILITATOR Edeshri Moodley

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RT-WED-B-08 ROOM ICHBILIA EN

Measuring Africa's Trade Integration: National Implementation Assessments and Pathways towards a Harmonized AfCFTA Monitoring Framework

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RT-THU-A-01 ROOM LUXOR FR

The State of National M&E Systems in Africa: Where We Are, What Comes Next

FACILITATOR Edoé Djimitri Agbodjan

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RT-THU-A-02 ROOM ANDALOUS EN

Building Resilient Development Paradigms through Independent Evaluation: Lessons from NDB and Development Partners

FACILITATOR Fariha Ahmed

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RT-THU-A-03 ROOM SHELLAH EN

Session 2 (+mirror session): Systematising evaluation for resilient futures: how external agencies can provide effective support

FACILITATOR Doha Abdelhamid

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RT-THU-A-04 ROOM SABA EN

What Should Count as Government Performance? Co-designing Tanzania's Government Performance Dashboard and Index for Public Value, Resilience and Accountability

FACILITATOR Sakina Bakari Mwinyimkuu

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RT-THU-A-05 ROOM BYBLOS EN

Who Leads a Country-Led Evaluation, and How? The ASDP II Outcome Evaluation in Tanzania

FACILITATOR Takunda Chirau

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RT-THU-A-06 ROOM VOLUBILIS EN

AI in M&E: What the Global and African Conversations Tell Us, and What They Mean for Evaluation Capacity Developmen

FACILITATOR Douglas Glandon

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Advancing Evaluation Capacity Development in Africa through Innovative and Locally Driven Approaches

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AI did not close the door; it changed the key: rethinking evaluation capacity development for youth

FACILITATOR Elise Hirwa Musabimana

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RT-THU-B-02 ROOM ANDALOUS EN

Can Artificial Intelligence Strengthen Made in Africa Evaluation? Opportunities and Risks for African Evaluators

FACILITATOR Ngouagna Edwin Longchi

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RT-THU-B-03 ROOM SHELLAH EN

Terms of Engagement: Evaluation Traditions and How Evidence Gets Embedded

FACILITATOR Douglas Glandon

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RT-THU-B-04 ROOM SABA EN

Expanding local knowledge and practice as attempt to polycrisis mitigation: EvalIndigenous-VOPE collaborations in support of Indigenous and Afrocentric evaluation with a focus on MAE around the world

FACILITATOR Serge Eric Yakeu Djiam

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RT-THU-B-05 ROOM BYBLOS FR

Transformer les systèmes financiers pour favoriser une transition climatique juste à l'échelle systémique : enseignements d'une évaluation conjointe du Mécanisme de financement durable de l'énergie au Maroc (MorSEFF)

FACILITATOR Charlotte Karagueuzian

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RT-THU-B-06 ROOM VOLUBILIS FR

Évaluation du soutien de la Banque africaine de développement à l'égalité de genre et à l'autonomisation des femmes : promouvoir une évaluation inclusive à l'ère de la polycrise

FACILITATOR None Jérémie

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Évaluer la gouvernance hydrique marocaine face au changement climatique

FACILITATOR Youssra Abriti

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RT-THU-C-02 ROOM SHELLAH EN

Community Barazas as an African-Led Evaluation Approach for Leaving No One Behind: Advancing Inclusive Monitoring of Youth, Gender, and Climate Change Adaptation in Uganda

FACILITATOR Joseph Muserero Kambasu

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Futures, Feedback, and Flexibility: Reimagining Public Sector Management and Evaluation in the Time of Polycrisis

FACILITATOR Ian Goldman

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Remembering Who We Are: Naming, Mapping, and Restorying Afrocentric Evaluation

FACILITATOR Florence Etta

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SAMEA Journey to Professionalisation

FACILITATORS Seirah Ngcobo & Jennifer Bisgard

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RT-THU-C-06 ROOM KHEOPS EN

What if young people turn the platform into a powerful voice?

FACILITATOR Ernestine Uwimbabazi

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Political Economy of Institutionalising M&E Practice in Africa: 21st Century Perspectives – A Roundtable with the Authors

FACILITATOR Prof. Kwaku Appiah-Adu

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Transforming evaluative practice to help rethink African development, rooted in recognition and justice

FACILITATOR Ian Goldman

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RT-FRI-A-02 ROOM SHELLAH EN

Evaluation in the era of polycrisis

FACILITATOR Naomi Njeri Kago

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RT-FRI-A-03 ROOM SABA EN

Supporting high-quality evaluation with AI

FACILITATOR Cécilia De Decker

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RT-FRI-A-04 ROOM BYBLOS FR

Évaluer autrement à l'ère de la polycrise : le pari de l'intelligence artificielle et de l'évaluation autochtone

FACILITATOR Serge Eric Yakeu Djiam

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RT-FRI-A-05 ROOM VOLUBILIS EN

AfrEA Young and Emerging Evaluators Continental Strategic Round Table

FACILITATORS Baraka Leonard Mfilinge & Madelaine Blou

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China-Africa Cooperation and Development Assistance

FACILITATOR Prof. Zhipeng Wei

Posters

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Massiel Alejandra Jimenez Flores EN

P002 **To What Extent Has Support to M&E Systems Strengthening Contributed to Change? A Contribution Analysis at Country Level**
Arjun Kaushik EN

P003 **Strengthening Evaluation Capacity from Within: Lessons from the Skill Up! Impact Measurement Pilot in Malawi and Sierra Leone**
Dieudonné Mugisha EN

P004 **The Evolution of Monitoring and Evaluation in Cameroon: Understanding the Past to Navigate the Challenges of the Polycrisis Era**
Ngesang Ngiqueh Ngetleh EN

P005 **From Evidence to Adaptive Action: A Learning Systems Framework for African Evaluation Use in the Era of Polycrisis**
Florence Randari EN

P006 **From Compliance Monitoring to Adaptive Public Investment Governance: Uganda's PIM-PLUS Results and Verification Architecture**
Sylvester Kato EN

P007 **Evaluating Health System Resilience During the COVID-19 Polycrisis: Evidence from a Retrospective Clinical Cohort in Madagascar**
Tombolaza Canut Filamant EN

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Rita Frezza EN

STRAND 2 · DECOLONISING EVALUATION

P009 Evaluating Indigenous Forest Practices and Institutions Through Local Eyes: Insights for African-Centered Environmental Evaluation in the North West Region of Cameroon
Ngong Velma Neng EN

P010 Better Evaluation Through African Storytelling
Happiness Titus Zirra EN

P011 When Evidence Disappears: Using Evaluation, Documentary and Virtual Reality to Reclaim the Ikom Monoliths
Angela Inyang EN

P012 Evaluating international cooperation projects: lessons from a mid-term evaluation in senegal's saint-louis region
Giulia Ferrero EN

P013 Indigenous Cultural Practices in Cameroon: Influence and effects on the construction of gender norms for knowledge-grounded evaluation
Fonwi François EN

P014 From Migiro (Taboos) to Indigenous Evaluation: Visualising Agīkūyū Indigenous Evaluation Systems for Strengthening African Sovereignty, Community Resilience and Decolonising Evaluation
Solomon Michael Gitau Waiyego EN

P015 DECODE – Reclaiming Knowledge, Empowering Communities: Co-constructing Decolonial Curriculum and Evaluation Frameworks in South-East Africa
Faraja Sanga EN

P016 The Conundrum of the Effectiveness of African Parliaments: The Case of the Gauteng Provincial Legislature
Eugenia Muzenda EN

STRAND 3 · INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY & AI

P017 FormLint: Human Supervised, AI-Assisted Quality Assurance for Digital MEAL-Systems
Lawrence Kipng'etich Bett EN

P018 A Practical Guide to AI and Machine Learning for Evaluators
Martin Schunk EN

P019 The Algorithmic Border, Evaluating Digital Identity, Migration Governance and Humanitarian Access in Nigeria's Polycrisis
Oluwanifemi Titilope Joweigha EN

P020 Leveraging IT and AI for Adaptive Monitoring and Evaluation in Africa's Polycrisis Era
Abiodun Oyeyemi Kazeem EN

P022 Supporting Every Child's Journey: Using Data for Smarter Early Childhood Development Care
George Semiono EN

STRAND 4 · LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND

P023 Beyond Representation: Measuring the Impact of Women's Leadership in The Evaluation Landscape in Africa
Lydiane Josepha Mbia Nguelle Epse Jobin EN

P024 From Research Quality to Equitable Impact: Lessons from RQ+, RQ+4 Co-Pro, and Scaling Science
Victoria Reichel EN

P025 Evaluating Resilience in an Era of Polycrisis: A Systems Thinking Approach to Inclusive Climate Adaptation in Northeast Nigeria
Oluwatomiwa Ande EN

P026 Operational Triangulation: A Made in Africa Approach to Gendered Biodiversity Evaluation
Medjiwa Kamga Simoni EN

P027 Beyond One-Off Training: Evaluating the Benefits of Continuous, Peer-Based Learning Communities for African Evaluators
Toyin Akpan EN

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Sylvester Kato EN

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STRAND 1 · DEVELOPMENT PARADIGMS & RESILIENCE

P029 Evaluation des dispositifs d'accompagnement de l'entrepreneuriat agricole aux Comores : une approche intégrée de management, audit et contrôle de gestion
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