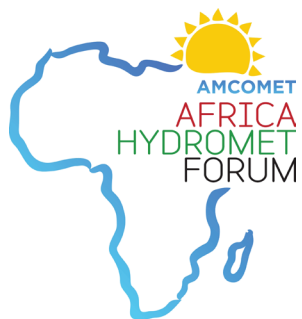


Agenda

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2017 | African Union Commission Headquarters, Addis Ababa

8:00–9:00	Registration AUC New Conference Center Entrance Gate		
9:00–10:00	Welcome Addresses and Setting the Stage Medium Conference Hall		
10:00–10:30	Coffee Break		
10:30–12:30	Plenary: A Call to Action – Improving Hydromet Services for Resilient Communities and Development Medium Conference Hall		
12:30–14:00	Lunch	Side Events	
		Launch of a Step-by-Step Guide for the Establishment of National Frameworks for Climate Services 12:30-13:15 Small Conference Hall 1	Enhancing National Climate Services: Approach for Enhanced Contribution of NMHS to National Socioeconomic Development 13:00-13:45 Small Conference Hall 2
			New Models for Public-Private Partnerships for Climate Observation in Africa: The Trans-African Hydro-Meteorological Observatory 13:15-14:00 Small Conference Hall 3
14:00–15:15	Plenary: Coordinating at Policy Level Medium Conference Hall		
15:15–15:45	Coffee Break		
15:45–16:50	Plenary: Linking Regional and National Initiatives Medium Conference Hall		
17:00–18:00	Parallel Sessions: User Perspectives on Hydromet Services		
	Hydromet Services for Agriculture and Food Security Medium Conference Hall	ClimHealth Africa – Developing Demand for Climate and Health Services Small Conference Hall 1	Bringing Science and Local Action for Climate Services Small Conference Hall 2
			Benefits of an End-to-End System Approach for Climate Resilience and Sustainable Development in Africa Small Conference Hall 3
18:00–19:00	Side Events		
	Lessons Learned: GFCS Implementation in Malawi and Tanzania Small Conference Hall 1	Leveraging Open Weather Data for Agriculture and Nutrition Challenges in Africa Small Conference Hall 2	Flood Forecasting in the Volta Basin – Strengthening Technical and Institutional Capacities (by invitation) Small Conference Hall 3





WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2017 | African Union Commission Headquarters, Addis Ababa

9:00–10:30

Plenary: Public Private Engagement – From Principles to Action

Medium Conference Hall

10:30–11:00

Coffee Break

Parallel Sessions: Innovative Hydromet Systems

11:00–12:30

Observations and Data Management

Medium Conference Hall

What is an Impact Based Warning?

Small Conference Hall 2

Dissemination of Warnings and Effective Multi-Hazard Early Warning Systems

Small Conference Hall 3

Earth Observation and Remote Sensing

Location TBC

12:30–14:00

Lunch

Making New African Long-term Plans and Investment More Climate-Resilient via Improved Climate Science and on-the-ground Demonstration

12:30-13:15

Small Conference Hall 2

USAID Sustainable CIS Project: Metrics for Assessing Baseline Capacities of National Meteorological and Hydrological Services in Africa

13:15-14:00

Small Conference Hall 3

14:00–15:00

Plenary: Hydromet Services for Paris Agreement, Sendai Framework and SDGs

Medium Conference Hall

AMCOMET Bureau Meeting, Expert Segment (by invitation)

14:00-18:00

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15:00–16:00

Plenary: Development Cooperation and Knowledge Sharing

Medium Conference Hall

16:00–16:30

Coffee Break

Parallel Sessions: Research, Innovation, Small Island and Coastal States

16:30–17:30

IPCC AR6: Leapfrogging Towards Solution-Focused Climate Information for the Global Sustainable Development Priorities

Medium Conference Hall

Moving from Retail to Wholesale: Leveraging Global Services

Small Conference Hall 2

Hydromet Services in African and Caribbean Small Island and Coastal States

Small Conference Hall 2

Strengthen Enabling Environment for the Generation, Uptake and Use of Weather and Climate Services to Support Sustainable Development in Africa

Location TBC

17:30–18:30

Weather and Climate Information Services for Africa (WISER): Lessons Learned and Way Forward

Medium Conference Hall

ClimHealth Africa – Climate Information in the Health Sector

Small Conference Hall 2

Showcasing Current Thinking: A Needs-Based Regional CIS Platform

Small Conference Hall 3

Taking Benefit from Existing and Future Weather Satellites

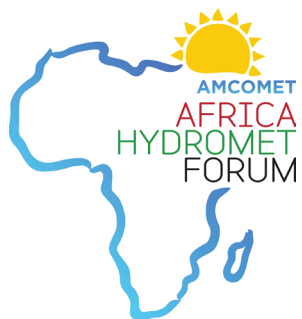
Location TBC

Side Events



THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2017 | African Union Commission Headquarters, Addis Ababa

9:00–10:30	Plenary: Social, Youth and Gender Inclusion in Hydromet Services <i>Medium Conference Hall</i>	AMCOMET Bureau Meeting, Ministerial Segment (by invitation) 9:00-12:00 <i>Small Conference Hall 2</i>
10:30–11:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
11:00–12:30	Plenary: Sustainability in Hydromet Services – Lessons Learned and Good Practices <i>Medium Conference Hall</i> Expert Segment Wrap Up	
12:30–13:45	Lunch	Side Events
	How to Co-Design an Early Warning System for the Lake Victoria Region? <i>Small Conference Hall 2</i>	Free Innovative Products to Access Global Data and Knowledge <i>Small Conference Hall 3</i>
		CREWS Initiative (by invitation) <i>Location TBC</i>
		Swedish Meteorological and Hydrological Institute <i>Location TBC</i>
14:00–15:00	Plenary: Opening Ceremony – Ministerial Segment <i>Medium Conference Hall</i>	
15:00–15:30	<i>Coffee Break and Group Photo</i>	
15:30–17:30	Plenary: Building Climate and Disaster Resilience <i>Medium Conference Hall</i>	
18:00	Reception	



FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2017 | African Union Commission Headquarters, Addis Ababa

9:00–11:00

Plenary: Hydromet Services for Sustainable Development

Medium Conference Hall

11:00–11:30

Coffee Break

11:30–12:30

Closing Plenary: Ministerial Recommendations

Medium Conference Hall

12:30–13:00

Closing of AMCOMET Africa Hydromet Forum – Vote of Thanks and Pledge of Cooperation

Medium Conference Hall

13:00–14:00

Lunch and Adjournment

Venue details:

Registration - AUC New Conference Center Entrance Gate (opened 8:00-9:00 on Sept 12-13-15, 8:00-13:45 on Sept 14)

Lunch - Multipurpose Hall

Coffee Break - Lobby A (in front of Multipurpose Hall)

Reception - Multipurpose Hall