

Bringing Together a Unique Gathering of Executive Leaders
from across The Pan-African Cloud, Content and Telecoms
Ecosystem



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2023

The Pan-African Cloud,
Content and Telecoms Summit

10 - 12 July 2023, Mauritius

A Strategic Platform to Discuss Partnership and Collaboration
Opportunities to Advance Network Connectivity, Infrastructure
and New Services across Africa

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What is CCT Africa 2023?

CCT Africa 2023 (The Pan-African Cloud, Content and Telecoms Executive Summit) provides a much-needed pan-African event bringing together exclusively executive level participants from the cloud, content and telecoms ecosystem from across Africa.

It provides a platform for open debate and discussion on strategic issues and challenges impacting on the development of the Pan-African connectivity and network infrastructure marketplace and allows executives to learn and discuss with peers, define priorities, advance agendas and shape the future development of the African market.

It provides a platform whereby the carrier, service provider, cloud and data centre community can gain a shared understanding on common areas of interest and look at ways to work together, partner and collaborate.

It provides a strategic think tank for developing new ideas, strategies and business models to confront challenges faced and looks at new opportunities.

Focus Areas:

- > partnership and collaboration opportunities and models
- > market outlook and changing landscape
- > building Africa's global cloud infrastructure and converged open digital infrastructure
- > balancing investment and service innovation demands with legacy infrastructure challenges
- > local access challenges and access to data centres
- > new infrastructure investment opportunities

Why is CCT Africa 2023 Different?

● **Executive-level attendees only:** CEOs, CTOs, COOs, CCOs, Heads of Engineering/Network Acquisition/Infrastructure/Network Strategy

● **Participation from across the ecosystem:** Hyperscalers, Fixed and Mobile Carriers and Service Providers, Data Centre/Interconnect Platform Providers, Content Providers

● **Participative and interactive:** Designed to create a platform for interactive strategic discussions with peers to enable dialogue and communication on many of the challenges and opportunities the industry

● **High-quality content with expert speakers and moderators**



Registration and Participation

Participation is by invitation-only and attendees must meet executive-level criteria.

Please contact Rachel Jones for more information on racheljones@theintelligentnetwork.net



Monday 10 July 2023

GOLF EVENT

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Location: Montchoisy Golf Club

Tee-off Time: 9.00am

All CCT Africa 2023 attendees are invited to participate.

Attendees must confirm participation by emailing

racheljones@theintelligentnetwork.net.

6.00pm | Beach BBQ with Cocktail Reception

Hosted by CCT Africa 2023 Founding Partners

Location: La Plage, Trou Aux Biches Beachcomber Resort & Spa



Tuesday 11 July 2023

8.30am | Registration and Welcome Coffee

8.55am | Opening Welcome Remarks

9.00am | PARTNERSHIP AND COLLABORATION OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES ACROSS THE CLOUD, CONTENT AND TELECOMS ECOSYSTEM IN AFRICA

Moderator: Tim Passingham, Chairman, CAMBRIDGE MANAGEMENT CONSULTING

Speakers:

Angelo Gama, CEO, ANGOLA CABLES

Mohammed Aliyu, Chief FiberCo Officer, BAYOBAB

Winston Ritson, COO, LIQUID C2

Salam Yamout, Director, Open Connect Partner Engagement EMEA, NETFLIX

Mohamed Nasr, CEO, TELECOM EGYPT

Mike Last, Group Chief Marketing Officer, WIOCC

10.30am | Coffee Break

11.00am | DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT AND ACCESS TO FUNDING AND INVESTMENT

Moderator: Russell Southwood, CEO, BALANCING ACT

Speakers:

Ed Stumpf, Investment Director, Head of Investment Strategy, AFRICAN INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT MANAGERS (AIIM).

Andile Ngcaba, Founder & Chairman, CONVERGENCE PARTNERS

Robert Aouad, CEO, ISOCEL, SA

Edmund Higenbottam, Managing Director, VERDANT CAPITAL

12.30pm | Lunch

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Day One: Tuesday 11 July 2023 (continued)

2.00pm | SUBSEA CABLE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPACT OF THE NEW CABLES ON NETWORK SUPPLY AND ACCESS: IMPACT ON PRICING, ACCESS TO NEW DATA CENTRES AND COMPETITIVENESS

Moderator: Russell Southwood, CEO, BALANCING ACT

Speakers:

Louis Carver, CCO, AFR-IX

Samuel Carvalho, Head of Global Marketing, ANGOLA CABLES

Yagianath Rosunee, CTO, MAURITIUS TELECOM

Preesh Padayachee, Chief Digital Officer, SEACOM

Ryan Sher, COO, WIOCC

3.30pm | Coffee Break

4.00pm | BUILDING AFRICA'S CONVERGED OPEN INFRASTRUCTURE: BALANCING INVESTMENT AND SERVICE INNOVATION DEMANDS WITH LEGACY INFRASTRUCTURE CHALLENGES EVALUATING OPPORTUNITIES FOR CARRIER NEUTRAL DATA CENTRES

Moderator: Tim Passingham, Chairman, CAMBRIDGE MANAGEMENT CONSULTING

Speakers:

Finhai Nunzara, CFO, AFRICA DATA CENTRES

Niraj Shah, Director - Business Development & Sales, IX AFRICA DATACENTRE

Wellington Makamure, Regional CEO, Central African Region, CEO, Zimbabwe, LIQUID INTELLIGENT TECHNOLOGIES

Judy Nguru, Senior Vice President, Strategic Development, RAXIO GROUP

Wale Ajisebutu, Chairman & CEO, 21ST CENTURY TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED

5.30pm | Cocktail Reception

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Location: Blue Ginger Garden, Trou Aux Biches Beachcomber Resort & Spa

7.30pm | Dinner at Blue Ginger Garden Restaurant

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Wednesday 12 July 2023

8.30am | Welcome and Coffee

9.00am | **EVALUATING ALTERNATIVE WAYS TO INCREASE NETWORK SUPPLY: INFRASTRUCTURE SHARING, PARTNERSHIPS AND COLLABORATION HOW CAN EUROPE ENABLE AFRICA?**

Moderator: Russell Southwood, CEO, BALANCING ACT

Speakers:

Lanre Kolade, Group CEO, CSQUARED

Colin Wallace, Head of Subsea Sales, EMEA, INFINERA

Deon Geyser, CEO, LIQUID INTELLIGENT TECHNOLOGIES SOUTH AFRICA

Miloud Bensaada, Vice President, ORANGE

10.00am | Coffee Break

10.30am | **OVERCOMING LOCAL ACCESS CHALLENGES: ACCESS TO DATA CENTRES, CLOUD SERVICES AND EVALUATING ALTERNATIVE SOLUTIONS**

Moderator: Tim Passingham, Chairman, CAMBRIDGE MANAGEMENT CONSULTING

Speakers:

Ibrahim Dikko, Managing Director, BCN

Andy Halsall, CEO, POA! INTERNET

Caroline Kamaitha, VP, Africa - Enterprise and Cloud, SES

11.30am | Coffee Break

11.45am | **SKILLS AND TALENT: PREPARING AFRICA'S WORKFORCE FOR TOMORROW'S JOBS IN THE SECTOR**

An interactive audience-led discussion to brainstorm over the challenges the CCT industry faces to train and recruit appropriate talent and skills to advance digital transformation across Africa whilst looking at viable solutions to prepare Africa's workforce for tomorrow.

12.45pm | Lunch

2.00pm | End of CCT AFRICA Executive Summit

CCT AFRICA 2023 VENUE

We have negotiated a special rate for CCT Africa 2023 attendees at the Trou Aux Biches Beachcomber Resort & Spa. Please contact Rachel Jones at racheljones@theintelligentnetwork.net for more information.

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Angola Cables also operates two data centres, AngoNAP Fortaleza Tier III (Brazil) and the data centre, AngoNAP Luanda (Angola), and manages PIX in Brazil and Angonix Angola - one of the largest Internet Exchange Points (IXPs) in Africa. Through our partners and resellers in selected markets we offer advanced and secure connectivity solutions and services to a range of customers across multiple industries. *The Center for Applied Internet Data Analysis (CAIDA) 2022

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Liquid Intelligent Technologies is a business of Cassava Technologies, with operations in over 25 countries in Africa. Liquid has firmly established itself as the leading provider of pan-African digital infrastructure with a 100,000 km-long fibre broadband network and satellite connectivity. Liquid also provides Cloud and Cyber Security solutions through strategic partnerships with leading global players. Liquid is a comprehensive technology solutions group providing digital solutions to public and private sector enterprises and SMEs across the continent.

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WIOCC Group is a parent company, which currently comprise WIOCC and Open Access Data Centres (OADC). WIOCC Group are creating an environment in which all Africans can take advantage of world-class technology developments to build better lives, better businesses, and a better world. The groups commitment to Africa is to create and deploy a converged open- access digital infrastructure which will expedite digital transformation across the continent.

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Innovation being embedded in its DNA, Mauritius Telecom has launched several game changing offers and services including my.t money, a service that has revolutionised the payments industry as well as unlimited prepay and postpay data packages. In 2021, MT once again led Mauritius' digital evolution, bringing in a new era of connectivity on mobile through the launch of the first my.t 5G Experience Zones in Mauritius.

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