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08:30-09:00

Coffee and Registration

09:00-09:45	<p>Welcome Address Dr. Dirk Assmann, Country Director GIZ</p>
	<p>Opening message 1 Kosi Yankey-Ayeh, CEO of the Ghana Enterprises Agency</p>
	<p>Opening message 2 Seth Twum-Akwaboah, CEO of the Association of Ghana Industries (AGI)</p>
	<p>Opening message 3 Patrick Yaw Nima, Chief Director of the Ministry of Trade and Industry (MoTI)</p>
	<p>Master of Ceremony: Babilo Mahama, CDC Consult</p> <p>The launching of the new IB/IGB website</p>
09:45-10:45	Presentation and Q+A, moderated by Babilo Mahama, CDC
10:45-11:05	Coffee Break / Media Interviews
11:05 -12:00	Presentation and roundtable discussion, moderated by John Defor, Director Policy and Research and AGI - Institutional arrangements and responsibilities: private sector led, public sector owned, and development partners supported

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12:00-13:15	<p>Discussions - Transforming business for systemic impact</p> <p>The private sector perspectives on business and mentoring an impact-drives-return approach (IDR-BCM).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Third Well (agribusiness, IB-income): Osah Thompson-Mensah, CEO• WashKing (IB-living standards): Dieudonne Kwame Agudah, CEO• Sinapi Aba (financial institution, IB-income): Joyce Nyamekye, Director Corporate Planning• mPharma (IB-living standards): Naa Akwetey, COO• Zuriel (IGB): Christine Antwi-Frimpong, CFO• Other IB/IGB companies and business facilitators in the room <p>Moderated by Dr. Armin Bauer (IB/IGB consultant to GIZ)</p>
13:15-14:15	<p>Group Photography and Lunch break</p>
14:15-14:45	<p>Presentation and Q+A, moderated by Dr. Armin Bauer, IB/IGB consultant to GIZ)- Innovative financing for unleashing change - overview of the proposed Risk Reduction and Social Innovation Fund (RRSIF) for impact investors</p>
14:45-16:00	<p>Discussion- Effective women empowerment, instead of women ownership, and gender-based participation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vera Karikari Bediako, Dy. Director, Gender Division, Ministry of Gender Children and Social Protection (MoGCSP)• Philomena Norman, Director of Gender, Ghana Enterprises Agency [GEA]• (Nana Akua Ayivor, COO, Ladybird Logistics, ZEN Group)• (Odelia Ntimamoah, Gender and Women Empowerment Expert)
16:00-16:15	<p>The African regional perspective (Dr. Patrick Okigbo, Founder and Principal Partner of Nextier, Nigeria)</p>
16:15-16:30	<p>Next steps and closing Remarks (Dr. Christian Jahn, GIZ)</p>