
The Africa Outlook: 2023

Copenhagen

Following the disruption of 2022, which saw the global economy battered by a string of shocks – from the continued effects of the Covid pandemic, to the fallout of the war in Ukraine, which has heightened energy and food insecurity globally – the world is facing another year of uncertainty.

Amid slowing growth in the U.S., EU, and China, The International Monetary Fund now expects a third of the world to experience a recession in 2023.

How will this uncertainty impact African economies, and what are the implications for doing business on the continent?

The Africa Outlook 2023 brings together expert commentators and industry specialists to discuss the key trends and issues that will shape the business, policy, and economy landscape in Africa.

February 23, 2023

Time: 09:00 – 11:00 CET

Location: DLA Piper

Oslo Plads 2,
Copenhagen



Speakers



Mathile Emilie Thue
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Mr Felix Ndi-Obiosa
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Ms. Marie Gad Hansen
Director, Global Development and Sustainability
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Ms. Sarah Baynton-Glen
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Mr. Torben Huss
CEO, IFU



Mr. Vincent Rouget
Director, Africa, Control Risks



Lanre Akinola
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Program:

08:30 – 09:00 Registration, coffee and tea

09:00 – 09:10 **Welcoming remarks**

Ms. Mathile Emilie Thue, CEO, NABA

Mr Felix Ndi-Obiosa, of Counsel, DLA Piper

09:10 – 10:25 **Presentations**

Mr. Lanre Akinola, NABA: Key trends that will shape 2023

Ms. Sarah Baynton-Glen, Economist, Standard Chartered Bank: The Macroeconomic Outlook

Mr. Torben Huss, CEO, IFU: The Development Finance Perspective

Ms. Marie Gad Hansen, Director, Global Development and Sustainability, Confederation of Danish Industry: The perspective from Denmark

Mr. Vincent Rouget, Director, Africa, Control Risks: The risk outlook

10:25 – 11:00 **Panel discussion and Q&A**

The presenters expand on key issues outlined in the

presentations, with active participation from the audience.

Moderator:

Lanre Akinola, NABA

Speakers:

Ms. Sarah Baynton-Glen, Economist, Standard Chartered Bank

Mr. Vincent Rouget, Director, Africa, Control Risks:
The risk outlook

11:00

Closing remarks & Networking

Lanre Akinola, NABA
