



APRIL 16-17, 2026 | ARGYLE GRAND HOTEL NAIROBI AIRPORT | NAIROBI, KENYA

*THE HIGH-LEVEL SUMMIT ON THE FUTURE OF INNOVATIONS, SUSTAINABILITY & TRADE
IN THE PROCESSING, PACKAGING & RETAIL OF DAIRY PRODUCTS IN AFRICA*

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Thursday - APRIL 16, 2026

TIME	ACTIVITY	SPONSORED BY
07.30	Registration and Morning Networking Coffee / Tea / Dairy Break	<i>Sponsorship available</i>
09.00	Expo Hall opens & Walk-about by Delegates	
09.30	Session 1: Official Opening Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Official ribbon cutting ceremony• Speeches by organisers, sponsors and chief guests• Acknowledgement of sponsors and partners• Keynote Speeches by Government official, organisers and sponsors THE CEOs ROUNDTABLE – The Future of Dairy Industry in Africa: Boosting Milk Production & Food Security, Processing & Packaging and African Dairy Trade into 2030 and beyond <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mercy Ndoro – Group Managing Director – Dairibord Holdings, Zimbabwe• Denis Chitowe – Managing Director, Mzuzu Dairy, Malawi• Wondirad Abraham – Owner & CEO, Amerti Dairy Farm, Ethiopia• John van Zuylen – CEO, La Fromagerie, Rwanda• Hassan Sheikh – Operations Manager, Bakhresa Food Products Ice Cream Division, Tanzania	<i>Sponsorship available</i>
11.00	Session 2: WHAT'S NEW IN DAIRY INNOVATION & FORMULATION: Focus on Nutrition, Health & Wellness – Updates on the latest Technologies & Innovations that enhance the nutritional, health and wellness profile of dairy products, including sugar reduction, fat reduction, fortification, protein enrichment, plant-based formulations etc. PRESENTATIONS <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Brian Lanton – Managing Director, Cape Food Ingredients	<i>Sponsored by:</i> 
12.00	Session 3: WHAT'S NEW IN DAIRY INNOVATION & FORMULATION: Focus on Taste & Texture, Shelf-life Enhancement & Cost Reduction – Updates on the latest Technologies & Innovations that enhance taste and texture, reduce costs and improve the shelf life of dairy products of dairy products PRESENTATIONS: To be announced	<i>Sponsorship available</i>
13.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lunch Break and Networking at the Expo Hall	<i>Sponsorship available</i>

14.30	<p>Session 4: WHAT'S NEW IN FOOD SAFETY, QUALITY & COMPLIANCE – Updates on the latest quality testing, food safety protocols and compliance systems for the dairy industry in Africa</p> <p>PRESENTATION:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elizabeth Annie Cook – Senior Scientist, ILRI • Prognosis Biotech representative <p>PANEL DISCUSSION – Emerging food safety, quality and compliance issues – Tapping into pan-African partnerships and new technologies towards a safer, more compliant dairy industry in Africa</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Molly Abende – Head of Quality Assurance, Glacier Products Kenya Ltd • Jean Claude Bahati – Project & Innovation Manager, Inyange Industries Ltd, Rwanda • George Ooko Abong', PhD – Food Systems & Nutrition Specialist, University of Nairobi, Kenya 	<i>Sponsorship available</i>
16.00	<p>Session 5: GOVERNANCE, INTEGRITY & TRANSPARENCY IN THE DAIRY INDUSTRY</p> <p>KEYNOTE SPEAKER</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Kwabena Frimpong-Mansu Opuni – Acting CEO, Ghana Food & Drugs Authority <p>PANEL DISCUSSION: Enhancing Governance, Integrity & Transparency in the Dairy Value Chain in Africa: The Opportunity & Challenges across the value chain</p> <p>PANELISTS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jackline Peter Ngasa – Managing Director, Asili Dairy 	<i>Sponsorship available</i>
17.30	Expo Hall Closes	
Friday - APRIL 17, 2026		
08.00	Morning Networking Coffee / Tea / Dairy Break	<i>Sponsorship available</i>
09.00	Expo Hall opens	
09.00	<p>Session 6: WHAT'S NEW IN DAIRY TECHNOLOGY: Processing, Packaging & Cold Chain Excellence – Updates on the latest processing, packaging and cold chain technologies transforming the dairy industry in Africa</p> <p>PRESENTATIONS: To be announced</p>	<i>Sponsorship available</i>
11.00	<p>Session 7: TRENDS IN SUSTAINABLE DAIRY PRODUCTION & CIRCULAR ECONOMY: Updates on the opportunities that can be</p>	<i>Sponsorship available</i>

	<p>tapped into by investors and managers to enhance sustainable dairy production and circular economy across the value chain in Africa</p> <p>Presentations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To be announced 	
12.00	<p>Session 8: WHAT'S NEW IN DAIRY INNOVATION & FORMULATION: Focus on Nutrition, Health & Wellness – Updates on the latest Technologies & Innovations that enhance the nutritional, health and wellness profile of dairy products, including sugar reduction, fat reduction, fortification, protein enrichment, plant-based formulations etc.</p> <p>PRESENTATIONS: To be announced</p>	<i>Sponsorship available</i>
13.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lunch Break and Networking at the Expo Hall 	<i>Sponsorship available</i>
14.30	<p>Session 9: EMERGING ISSUES IN THE DAIRY INDUSTRY IN AFRICA – Updates on the latest research and interventions programs that enable dairy products access towards nutritional, health and wellness in Africa</p> <p>PRESENTATION: To be announced</p> <p>PANEL DISCUSSION: Communicating the Goodness of Dairy in the Age of Social-Media, Fake News & Misinformation</p> <p>PANELISTS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To be announced 	<i>Sponsorship available</i>
15.30	Networking at the Expo Hall	<i>Sponsorship available</i>
16.30	 <p>Official Networking Awards Ceremony & Gala Dinner</p>	<i>Sponsorship available</i>
21.00	The Summit, Awards & Expo Hall closes	