



AFRICAN TRADE EVENT CALENDAR (Updated: March 9, 2009)

African Global Competitiveness Initiative

EVENT NAME	AREAS ADDRESSED	START DATE	VENUE	SPONSOR	WEB SITE
International Boston Seafood Show	Trade Show - Seafood	15-Mar-09	Boston, MA	Seafood Business	http://www.bostonseafood.com/09/public/enter.aspx
Trade and Investment Framework (TIFA) talks - Liberia	High-level economic development policy	March TBD	Liberia		TBD
Trade and Investment Framework (TIFA) talks - Mozambique	High-level economic development policy	23-Mar-09	Washington DC		TBD
2009 International Food Aid Conference	Trade Show	6-Apr-09	Kansas City, Missouri	USAID and USDA	http://www.fsa.usda.gov/FSA/webapp?area=home&subject=coop&opic=pai-fa
COMESA-EAC-SADC tripartite conference on the North-South Corridor	High-level economic development policy	6-Apr-09	Lusaka, Zambia	COMESA-EAC-SADC Tripartite Task Force	http://www.northsouthcorridor.org/
In-Cosmetics	Trade Show - Cosmetics	21-Apr-09	Munich, Germany	In-Cosmetics	http://www.in-cosmetics.com/
U.S. and Sub-Saharan Africa: Partners in Aviation Safety and Security Conference	Investment in Industry	27-Apr-09	Cape Town, South Africa	USTDA	http://www.ustda.gov/news/events/2008/SubSaharanAfrica/PartnersAviationSafetySecurityConference.asp http://www.trademeetings.com/ssMeetingDetails.asp?meetingId=203
European Seafood Exposition	Trade Show - Seafood	28-Apr-09	Brussels, Belgium	Seafood Processing Europe	http://www.euroseafood.com/08/public/MainHall.aspx?ID=15130
African Development Bank - Annual Meetings	High-level economic development policy	13-May-09	Dakar, Senegal	African Development Bank	http://www.afdb.org
The 4th Tokyo International Conference on African Development (TICAD IV)	High-level economic development policy	28-May-09	Yokohama, Japan	UNDP	http://www.ticad.net/
The Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa Summit	High-level economic development policy	May TBD	Lusaka, Zambia	COMESA	TBD
World Economic Forum on Africa: Uniting Africa's Champions	High-level economic development policy	10-Jun-09	Cape Town, South Africa	World Economic Forum	http://www.weforum.org/en/events/WorldEconomicForumonAfrica2009/index.htm
Summer Fancy Food Show	Trade Show - Specialty Food	28-Jun-09	New York, NY	NASFT	http://www.specialtyfood.com/do/fancyFoodShow/LocationsAndDates

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2009 International Aid +Trade Event	Trade Promotion	9-Jul-09	Washington DC	Sustainable Development International	http://www.aidandtrade.org/view.overview
9th AGOA Forum	AGOA Legislation	3-Aug-09	Nairobi, Kenya	U.S. Department of State	TBD
2009 U.S. - Africa Business Summit	Investment Forum	29-Sep-09	Washington DC	Corporate Council on Africa	http://www.africacncl.org