



**Sixty-third meeting of the UNWTO Regional Commission for Africa and
Forum on African Youth for Sustainable Tourism Solutions
Savoy Seychelles Resort & Spa, Mahe, Seychelles
Date: 25– 27 March 2020**

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME – PUBLIC

Wednesday 25th March 2020

09:00 – 10:00 **Registration**

10:00 – 10:45 **Official Opening Ceremony**

10:45 – 11:00 ***Family photo (Coffee break)***

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11:00 – 13:00 CAF Working session of the 63rd UNWTO Commission for Africa

13:00 – 14:30 **Lunch Break** - courtesy *Ministry of Tourism, Civil Aviation, Ports and Marine*

14:30 – 17:00 CAF Working session cont'd

18:00 -19:00 **Welcome Cocktail**- courtesy *Ministry of Tourism, Civil Aviation, Ports and Marine*

NOTE: UNWTO/AUDA-NEPAD INNOVATION DESIGN THINKING WORKSHOP FOR AFRICAN YOUTH FOR SUSTAINABLE TOURISM SOLUTIONS WILL RUN IN PARALLEL TO THE COMMISSION MEETING

Thursday 26th March 2020

Forum on African Youth for Sustainable Tourism Solutions

- 08:30 – 09:30 **Registration**
- 09:30 – 09:50 Opening Remarks
- 09:50 – 10:00 UNWTO Innovation Strategy and Start up initiatives
- 10:00 – 10:10 Access to Financing for Entrepreneurs
- 10:10 – 11:30 **PANEL 1: Innovative Financing for Entrepreneur Development**
- 11:30 – 11:40 Policy Processes for Entrepreneurship
- 11:40 – 13:00 **PANEL 2: Creating an Enabling Environment for an Enhanced Tourism Ecosystem**
- 13:00 - 14:30 **Lunch Break** - courtesy Ministry of Tourism, Civil Aviation, Ports and Marine
- 14:30 – 16:30 **Presentations by African youth on Sustainable Tourism Solutions including initiatives from Host Country**
- 16:30 – 17:00 **Closing remarks**
- 19:00 **Gala Dinner** - hosted by the Ministry of Tourism, Civil Aviation, Ports and Marine

Friday 27th March 2019

09:00 **Courtesy visit to Statehouse - President of the Republic Seychelles** (by invitation only)

Alternative Social programme for the delegates (TBC)

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