



23 - 24 May, Benguela Province, Angola

23 May

08:30 – 09:00

Opening + Presentation Casa de Música Benguela

09:00 – 09:30

Official presentation and opportunities of the Lobito Corridor

Moderators and speakers: tbc

- The role of the Lobito Corridor in African integration, in particular SADC
- Opportunities and economic potential of the Lobito Corridor
- Introduction: identification of priority and strategic value chains

B2B room – all sectors

09:30 – 10:00

The potential of economic diversification in Angola and the benefits of adhering to the EU guidelines

Moderators and speakers: tbc

- Economic scenario in Angola (main services and products, data on market development and sectors)
- The key objectives of the National Development Plan (NDP) and the 4 provinces (Benguela, Huambo, Bié e Moxico) to leverage the private sector
- Human capital in Angola and professionalization initiatives by the Government
- The benefits of adhering to the EU guidelines (credit, market access) - the added value of sustainable investment

B2B and B2G room – all sectors

10:00 – 10:30

Coffee break

10:30 – 11:30

The European Union Market and the Support for Investors in Angola

Moderators and speakers: tbc

- Opportunities for market integration between Europe and Angola (sectors and facilitation measures in place, including, exportation importation, fiscal and commercial supports)
- The Single Window for Investors (SWI) as a measure of simplification for investment
- Success stories and SWI
- Take aways and recommendations

The potential of fisheries in Angola and the role of cross-border trade

Moderators and speakers: tbc

- What investment and returns does the sector hold for European investors?
- Scenario of the sector in Angola and the potential of cross-border trade
- The role of certification for exportation
- Potential of sustainable fisheries in Angola: stock management
- Opportunities for adjacent business: salt production
- Success case
- Take aways and recommendations

B2B sectorial – agriculture, livestock and fisheries

11:30 – 12:30

Opportunities in Logistics and Transport and synergies with other sectors

Moderators and speakers: tbc

- Scenario of the sector, public investment and public-private partnerships (Benguela Railway and the Regulatory Agency for Cargo and Logistics Certification in Angola)
- Opportunities in the sector, considering synergy with EU
- The potential of the logistics platform – Public and Private Partnerships (NL/AO)
- Connections with other sectors (Lobito Corridor chains)
- Success case
- Take aways and recommendations

The potential of the agriculture chain in Angola and economic integration

Moderators and speakers: tbc

- Scenario of the sector in Angola and the Lobito Corridor, with emphasis on the priority chains identified
- Opportunities in Angola, considering synergy with EU
- The role of certification for exportation
- The potential return of investing and financing Angolan enterprises
- Success case (EU + AO)
- Take aways e medidas a serem tomadas

B2B sectorial - digital
Lunch

14:00 – 14:30

The role of SIFA in the face of investment

Moderators and speakers: tbc

- Agreement scenario and premise for signature
- Unlocked potential opportunities and benefits
- Recommendations for years to come and take aways

B2B and B2G room – all sectors

14:30 – 15:30

The potential of livestock farming in Angola and sustainability

Moderators and speakers: tbc

- Scenario of the sector in Angola and in the Lobito Corridor, with emphasis on the value chain
- Opportunities of the sector in Angola, considering synergy with EU (IGAPE)
- Success story: livestock vs. green economy
- The potential returns of investment programs on Angolan enterprises
- Take aways and recommendations

Innovation and digitization solutions necessary to ramp up growth for the African agribusiness

Moderators and speakers: tbc

- Scenario of the sector in Angola and growth perspective
- Opportunities in the Angolan sector, considering synergy with EU
- Success case of LISPA (Laboratory of Innovation of Payment Systems)
- Take away and recommendations

B2B sectorial – logistics and transport

15:30 – 16:30

Recommendations and Joint Way Forward

16:30 – 17:00

Cocktail

24 May

09:00 – 10:00

Dialogue between European entrepreneurs and young Angolans (tbc)

Moderators and speakers: tbc

Opening FIB

- Challenges and learnings: lessons from the European experience
- Case of success

B2B room – all sectors