

Livingstone Competition and Consumer Law Summit

Shaping the Future of Fair Markets in Africa
Livingstone, Zambia | 17-18 March 2025



Venue: Radisson Blu Mosi-Oa-Tunya Livingstone Resort, Zambia

Languages: English

DAY 1: FOUNDATIONS AND GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES

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| 08h30 - 09h | Registration |
| 09h - 09h15 | Welcome remarks by Dr Willard Mwemba, CEO COMESA Competition Commission |
| 09h15 - 09h30 | Opening keynote: Andrew Wilson, ICC Deputy Secretary General – Policy |
| 09h30 - 10h30 | Session 1: Launch of the COMESA Competition and Consumer Protection Regulations <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presentation by the CCC on key provisions,• objectives and• expected outcomes of the newly launched regulations <p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TBC <p><u>Panellists:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Members of the COMESA Competition Commission |
| 10h30 - 11h | Tea Break |
| 11h - 12h30 | Session 2: The Role of Competition Policy in Strengthening Small Economies <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A panel discussion with representatives from smaller economies and competition experts <p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TBC <p><u>Panellists:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Johanne Peyre• Paulo Burnier da Silveira• Willard Mwemba• Sean Ennis• Chuck Webb• Jerome Philip• Representatives from a small economy's competition authority |

- Economist specialising in developing markets
 - Simon Roberts / Reena Das Nair (Centre for or Competition, Regulation and Economic Development)
- 12h30 - 13h30 Lunch Break
- 13h30 - 14h30 **Keynote Session: Global Trends in Competition Law and Policy**
- 14h30 – 15h30 **Session 3: Global Perspectives on Competition Law**
- Panel discussion featuring representatives from the DOJ, FTC, EC and ICC
- Panellists:
- DOJ Antitrust Division official
 - FTC Representative
 - Olivier Guersent, Director General for Competition of the European Commission
 - Patrick Hubert, Partner, Clifford Chance & Chair of the ICC Task Force on State Aid and International Trade
 - African Competition Authority Representative
- 15h30 - 16h Tea Break
- 16h - 17h **Session 4 : Regulatory Challenges in the African Context**
- A roundtable discussion with regional authorities
 - COMESA: Willard Mwemba
 - ECOWAS: Dr. Siméon Koffi (Executive Director of ECOWAS Regional Competition Authority)
 - CEMAC: Juliette Engoué (Director of Trade and Competition)
- 17h **Cocktail Networking Event**

DAY 2: PRACTICAL INSIGHTS AND STRATEGIC IMPLEMENTATION

- 08h30 - 09h **Registration**
- 09h - 10h30 **Session 5: Challenges and Opportunities in Enforcing Competition Law in Africa**
- Panel discussion
 - Insights from Members of Botswana, Kenya, South Africa, Nigeria, Mauritius Eswatini and Zambia's Competition Authorities
- 10h30 - 10h45 Tea Break
- 10h45 - 12h15 **Session 6: Collaboration Opportunities between COMESA and the ICC**
- Interactive workshop to identify areas of partnership and mutual growth
- Speakers:
- John Oxenham (ICC and Primerio)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Other speakers to be confirmed
12h15 - 13h15	Lunch Break
14h45 - 15h	<p>Session 7: Enforcement and Compliance Best Practices</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Case studies and insights from enforcement agencies • Merger control • Prohibited practices • Market inquiries <p><u>Speakers to be confirmed:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Co-chairs / Members of the ICC Task Force on Merger Control • Other speakers to be confirmed
14h45 - 15h	Tea Break
15h - 16h	<p>Closing Session: Roadmap for implementation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summary of key outcomes and strategic next steps • Closing Remarks: Co-chairs of the Summit <p><u>Speakers to be confirmed</u></p>
17h	Networking and Farewell Event