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PLENARY 2: Project development – From the idea to investment
Start-ups, acceleration and investment models

Video Boost Africa (EIB/AfDB)

- **Gunnar Muent**, Director for Innovation and Competitiveness, European Investment Bank
- **Erick Yong**, Chief Executive Officer, Greentec Capital, Germany
- **Kamau Gachigi**, Managing Director, Gearbox, Kenya
- **Randell Kempner**, Executive Director, Aspen Network of Development Entrepreneurs (ANDE)

12:30 – 14:00

Lunch break

14:00 – 15:30

Parallel Session A: Unlocking Remote Potential
E-skills, e-Commerce and telecom expansion

- **Amadou Diallo**, CEO, DHL Global Forwarding Middle East & Africa

Video E-skills for girls (BMZ)

- **Mary Mwangi**, CEO, Data Integrated Limited, Kenya
- **André Bouffioux**, CEO Siemens Belgium-Luxemburg, Morocco-Algeria-Tunisia, West- and Central Africa*
- **Fritz Sacher**, Vice President & Head of Africa Strategy Realization, Merck, Germany
- **Gilles Kounou**, Executive Director, Open SI, Benin

14:00 – 15:30

Parallel Session B: Digital financial inclusion in Africa
Are FinTech start-ups complementing or competing with banks?

Moderator: **Barbara Marchitto**, Head of Country and Financial Sector
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**Panelists:**

- **Thierry Artaud**, CEO, M-BIRR, Ethiopia
- **David Ashiagbor**, Coordinator, Making Finance Work for Africa, AfDB
- **Natascha Beinker**, co-Chair of the G20 Global Partnership for Financial Inclusion (GPFI), Ministry of cooperation (BMZ), Germany
- **Louise Holden**, Head of Public Private Partnerships, MasterCard
- **Kennedy Komba**, Head of Strategy and Member Relations, Alliance for Financial Inclusion (AFI)
- **Minerva Kotei**, Financial Sector Specialist, SME Finance Forum, IFC

**Conference languages:** English and French with simultaneous interpretation throughout all sessions
Welcome

**Stefan Liebing**  
Chairman, Afrika-Verein der deutschen Wirtschaft (AV), Germany

**Fatoumata Baldé Touré**  
Ambassador of the Republic of Guinea

Opening Speech

**Alpha Condé**  
President of the Republic of Guinea, Chairman of the African Union

Presentation

Investing in Guinea – Current Projects and Opportunities  
Agence de Promotion des Investissements Privés (APIP)

Highlevel Sectormeetings

Energy – Renewables and Grids – Vocational Training  
Agriculture – Production and Processing along the Value Chain  
Infrastructure – Connecting Projects – Roads

Followed by  
Networking Session – B2B & B2G