



# ASWAN FORUM

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***Africa in an Era of Cascading Risks and Climate Vulnerability:  
Pathways for a Peaceful, Resilient, and Sustainable Continent***

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*Draft Agenda*

# 21 JUNE 2022

- 09:30-10:30** Registration & Welcome Coffee
- 11:00-11:15** Welcome Remarks
- 11:15-11:45** Messages from Leaders
- 11:45-13:00** **Opening Session**  
Africa in an Era of Cascading Risks: Challenges and Responses
- 13:00-13:45** Lunch
- 13:45-15:00** **Plenary Session**  
Strengthening the Climate Adaptation and Peacebuilding Nexus: The Way Forward
- Aswan Dialogues**  
UN-AU Partnership in Peace Operations  
(In Partnership with the Challenges Forum International Secretariat CFIS)
- 15:00** Coffee Break
- 15:15-16:45** **Aswan in Practice**  
Advancing Holistic Efforts to Confront Africa's Terrorism Challenge: A Nigerian Case Study
- 15:15-17:00** **Aswan Dialogues**  
Empowering African Youth Voices for a Peaceful and Climate-Resilient Future
- 17:00-18:15** **Plenary Session**  
Leveraging Women's Role as Catalysts for Resilience Towards Sustainable Peace and Development in Africa
- Parallel Session**  
Regional Security Arrangements and AU Post-conflict Reconstruction and Development Efforts in Africa



# 22 JUNE 2022

**09:15-10:30** **Plenary Session**  
The Climate-Displacement Nexus and Sustaining Peace in Africa: Advancing Durable Solutions

**10:45-12:15** **Plenary Session**  
Financing Sustainable Peace and Development in the Face of Cascading Risks

### **Aswan Dialogues**

Climate and Security in Africa: Focus on the Sahel  
(In Partnership with the International Organization of La Francophonie (OIF) and Thinking Africa)

**12:15-12:45** **Coffee Break**

**12:45-14:00** **Plenary Session**  
Statebuilding Challenges in Africa: Resilient Institutions for Sustainable Peace and Development

### **Aswan Dialogues**

Advancing Sustainable Peace and Development in the Red Sea

**14:00-14:45** **Lunch**

**14:45-16:00** **Plenary Session**  
Climate Risks and Opportunities: The Water-Food-Energy Nexus in Africa – Strengthening Cooperation for Sustaining Peace

### **Aswan Dialogues**

The Culture of Peace in Africa  
(In Partnership with Biennale of Luanda: Pan-African Forum for the Culture of Peace)

**16:15-17:30** **Plenary Session**  
Looking Ahead: COP27 and Beyond

**17:30-18:00** **The Aswan Conclusions on Sustainable Peace and Development**

